

2 **Senate Bill No. 256**

3 (By Senator Minard)

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5 [Introduced January 18, 2012; referred to the Committee on the
6 Judiciary.]

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10 A BILL to amend and reenact article 3, chapter 64 of the Code of
11 West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to authorizing the
12 Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a
13 legislative rule relating to ambient air quality standards.

14 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

15 That article 3, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931,
16 as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

17 **ARTICLE 3. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL**
18 **PROTECTION TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

19 **§64-3-1. Department of Environmental Protection.**

20 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on the
21 twenty-ninth day of July, two thousand eleven, authorized under the
22 authority of section four, article five, chapter twenty-two, of

1 this code, relating to the Department of Environmental Protection
2 (ambient air quality standards, [45 CSR 8](#)), is authorized.

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4 NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Department
5 of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule
6 relating to Ambient Air Quality Standards.

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8 This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and
9 underscoring have been omitted.