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# House Bill No. 4634

(By Delegate White)

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AN ACT to amend and reenact §49-6C-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §60-2-21 of said code, all relating to fiscal audits conducted by the Legislative Auditor of the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission and the Children's Trust Fund; increasing audits of the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission from two fiscal years to five fiscal years; and increasing audits of the Children's Trust Fund from three fiscal years to five fiscal years.

#### Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §49-6C-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted; and that §60-2-21 of said code be amended and reenacted, all to read as follows:

## CHAPTER 49. WEST VIRGINIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES ACT.

#### ARTICLE 6C. CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND.

#### §49-6C-1. Continuation and transfer of control of trust fund.

- 1 (a) The Children's Fund, created for the sole purpose of
- 2 awarding grants, loans and loan guarantees for child abuse

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3 and neglect prevention activities by enactment of chapter 4 twenty-seven, Acts of the Legislature, 1984, as last amended 5 and reenacted by chapter one hundred fifty-nine, Acts of the 6 Legislature, 1999, is hereby continued and renamed the West 7 Virginia Children's Trust Fund: Provided, That upon the 8 effective date of the enactment of this section during the second extraordinary session of the 2007 Legislature, the 9 10 fund shall be administered by the Commissioner of the 11 Bureau for Children and Families. Gifts, bequests or 12 donations for this purpose, in addition to appropriations to the 13 fund, shall be deposited in the State Treasury in a special 14 revenue account under the control of the Secretary of the 15 Department of Health and Human Resources or his or her 16 designee.

17 (b) Each state taxpayer may voluntarily contribute a 18 portion of the taxpayer's state income tax refund to the 19 Children's Trust Fund by designating the contribution on the 20 state personal income tax return form. The bureau shall 21 approve the wording of the designation on the income tax 22 return form. The State Tax Commissioner shall determine by 23 July 1, of each year the total amount designated pursuant to 24 this subsection and shall report that amount to the State 25 Treasurer, who shall credit that amount to the Children's 26 Trust Fund.

(c) All interest accruing from investment of moneys in the
Children's Trust Fund shall be credited to the fund. The
Legislative Auditor shall conduct an audit of the fund at least
every five fiscal years.

31 (d) Grants, loans and loan guarantees may be awarded
32 from the Children's Trust Fund by the Commissioner of the
33 Bureau for Children and Families for child abuse and neglect
34 prevention activities.

35 (e) Upon the effective date of the enactment of this 36 section, all employees, records, responsibilities, obligations, 37 assets and property, of whatever kind and character, of the 38 Governor's Cabinet on Children and Families are hereby 39 transferred to the Bureau for Children and Families within the 40 Department of Health and Human Resources, including, but 41 not limited to, all rights and obligations held by the 42 Governor's Cabinet on Children and Families under any 43 grants, loans or loan guarantees previously awarded from the 44 Children's Trust Fund.

45 (f) All orders, determinations, rules, permits, grants, contracts, certificates, licenses, waivers, bonds, authorizations 46 47 and privileges which have been issued, made, granted or 48 allowed to become effective by the Governor, by any state 49 department or agency or official thereof, or by a court of 50 competent jurisdiction, in the performance of functions which 51 have been transferred to the Bureau for Children and Families 52 within the Department of Health and Human Resources, and 53 were in effect on the date the transfer occurred continue in 54 effect, for the benefit of the department, according to their 55 terms until modified, terminated, superseded, set aside or 56 revoked in accordance with the law by the Governor, the 57 Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Resources 58 or other authorized official, a court of competent jurisdiction 59 or by operation of law.

#### CHAPTER 60. STATE CONTROL OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.

#### ARTICLE 2. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL COMMISSIONER.

#### §60-2-21. Audit.

- 1 At least every five fiscal years, the Legislative Auditor
- 2 shall audit the affairs of the West Virginia Alcohol Beverage

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- 3 Control Commissioner and report the results of the audit to
- 4 the Governor. The cost of the audit shall be paid from the
- 5 operating fund.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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Chairman, House Committee

Chairman, Senate Committee

Originating in the House.

To take effect ninety days from passage.

Clerk of the House of Delegates

Clerk of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

The within \_\_\_\_\_\_ this the \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

Governor