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Senate Bill No. 544

(By Senators Snyder and Stollings)

[Originating in the Committee on Government Organization;
reported March 20, 2013.]

A BILL to amend and reenact §4-10-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the schedule of departments for agency review.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §4-10-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 10. PERFORMANCE REVIEW ACT.

§4-10-8. Schedule of departments for agency review.

- 1 (a) Each department shall make a presentation, pursuant
2 to the provisions of this article, to the joint standing

3 committee and the committee during the first interim meeting
4 after the regular session of the year in which the department
5 is to be reviewed pursuant to the schedule set forth in
6 subsection (b) of this section.

7 (b) An agency review shall be performed on one or more
8 agencies under the purview of each department at least once
9 every ~~six~~ seven years, ~~commencing~~ as follows:

10 ~~(1) 2008, the Department of Administration;~~

11 ~~(2) 2009, the Department of Education and the Arts, and~~
12 ~~the Department of Education, including the Higher Education~~
13 ~~Policy Commission and the West Virginia Council for~~
14 ~~Community and Technical College Education;~~

15 ~~(3) 2010, the Department of Revenue and the Department~~
16 ~~of Commerce;~~

17 ~~(4) 2011, the Department of Environmental Protection~~
18 ~~and the Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety;~~

19 ~~(5) 2012, the Department of Health and Human~~
20 ~~Resources, including the Bureau of Senior Services;~~

21 ~~(6)~~ (1) 2013, the Department of Transportation; ~~and~~
22 (2) 2014, the Department of Administration;
23 (3) 2015, the Department of Education, including the
24 Higher Education Policy Commission and the West Virginia
25 Council for Community and Technical College Education;
26 ~~(7)~~ (4) 2016, the Department of Veterans' Assistance and
27 the Department of Education and the Arts;
28 (5) 2017, the Department of Revenue and the Department
29 of Commerce;
30 (6) 2018, the Department of Environmental Protection
31 and the Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety;
32 (7) 2019, the Department of Health and Human
33 Resources, including the Bureau of Senior Services; and
34 (8) 2020, the Department of Transportation.

(NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to restart the yearly schedule of departments for agency review.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from the present law, and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.)