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House Bill 4613

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to Committee on Roads and Transportation then the
Judiciary.]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,
2 designated §17-4-55, relating to declaring rights-of-way held by the Division of Highways
3 that are no longer publically travelled, or not maintained by the Division of Highways for
4 five or more years, null and void.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

1 That the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new
2 section, designated §17-4-55 to read as follows:

ARTICLE 4. STATE ROAD SYSTEM.

§17-4-55. Null and void right-of-way.

1 Any right-of-way held by the Division of Highways that is no longer publicly travelled, or
2 has not been maintained by the Division of Highways for five or more years, shall be designated
3 as null and void by the Division of Highways.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to declare rights-of-way no longer publically travelled, or not maintained by the DOH for five or more years, null and void.

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