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House Bill 4364

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1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,

2 designated §16-1-20, relating to registration period for nurse aide registrants.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 1. STATE PUBLIC HEALTH SYSTEM.

§16-1-20. Office of Health Facility Licensure and Certification to modify registration period for nurse aide registrants.

- To the extent permitted by federal law, the Office of Health Facility Licensure and
- 2 <u>Certification shall modify the Nurse Aide Program so that:</u>
- 3 (1) An individual's registration expires every other year on June 30;
- 4 (2) The initial registration period for a nurse aide is for a period of one to two years so that
- 5 the registration expires on the second June 30 occurring after the initial approval; and
- 6 (3) Each reregistration is renewed for a period beginning on the date of renewal and
- 7 <u>expiring on the second June 30 following the date of renewal.</u>

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to make the registration for a nurse aide expire every other year on June 30.

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