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HOUSE BILL 2487

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[Introduced January 17, 2019; Referred
to the Committee on Technology and Infrastructure
then Government Organization.]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,
2 designated §17-2A-8e, relating to requiring the Commissioner of Highways to develop an
3 app and a map that permits individuals to report, and keep track of, potholes on the roads
4 and streets of the state.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 2A. WEST VIRGINIA COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

§17-2A-8e. Pothole app and map.

1 (a) The commissioner shall develop and made available a free pothole app for phones
2 and tablets so that individuals may report, and keep track of, potholes on the roads and streets of
3 the state. In addition to being available on the app, the commissioner shall also prepare and keep
4 current a master road and highway map available on the Internet identifying the location of all
5 reported potholes. The app and the map shall also show the status of any improvement to those
6 potholes and the condition of the potholes as they affect highway travel.
7 (b) The app and the map shall be made available no later than December 1, 2019.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to require the Commissioner of Highways to develop an app and a map that permits individuals to report, and keep track of, potholes on the roads and streets of the state.

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