

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

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House Bill 4311

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[Introduced January 14, 2020; Referred
to the Committee on Energy then the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-3-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating
2 to authorizing the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission to promulgate a legislative rule
3 relating to rules of the commission.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 3. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

§64-3-1. Oil and Gas Conservation Commission.

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 25, 2019, authorized under the
2 authority of §22C-9-4 of this code, modified by the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission to meet
3 the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State Register
4 on January 3, 2020, relating to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (rules of the
5 commission, [39 CSR 01](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to rules of the commission.

This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and underscoring have been omitted.