

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

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House Bill 2478

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[Introduced February 13, 2021; Referred
to the Committee on Government Organization]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-9-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating
2 to authorizing the Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to guidelines
3 and standards for electronic notarization.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 9. AUTHORIZATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS AGENCIES AND BOARDS
TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

§64-9-1. Secretary of State.

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on June 25, 2020, authorized under the
2 authority of §39-4-25 of this code, modified by the Secretary of State to meet the objections of the
3 Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State Register on December 4,
4 2020, relating to the Secretary of State (guidelines and standards for electronic notarization, [153](#)
5 [CSR 45](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to guidelines and standards for electronic notarization.

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