

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **House Bill 4116**

BY Delegate Smith

[Introduced January 10, 2024; referred to  
Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources  
then the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-9-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to  
 2 authorizing the West Virginia Department of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule  
 3 relating to select plant-based derivative products.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

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

**§64-9-1. West Virginia Department of Agriculture.**

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 28, 2023, authorized under the  
 2 authority of §19-12E-7 of this code, relating to the West Virginia Department of Agriculture (select  
 3 plant-based derivative products, [61 CSR 30](#)), is not authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the West Virginia Department of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to select plant-based derivative products.

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