

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **Senate Bill 511**

By Senators Maynard, Chapman and Smith

[Introduced January 23, 2024; referred  
to the Committee on Education; and then to the  
Committee on Finance]



- 20 (1) Include the Mountaineer Challenge Academy in the child nutrition program;
- 21 (2) Provide the names and mailing addresses of all high school dropouts in the state to the
- 22 director of the Mountaineer Challenge Academy annually; and
- 23 (3) Provide for Mountaineer Challenge Academy graduates to participate in the adult basic
- 24 education program.
- 25 (c) Further cooperation with the Mountaineer Challenge Academy is encouraged by the
- 26 Legislature for the purpose of assisting the Mountaineer Challenge Academy to achieve its
- 27 mission and help prepare young people for productive adulthood.
- 28 (d) The Mountaineer Challenge Academy and the Department of Health Facilities shall
- 29 cooperate to implement a plan that permits the use of group home funds for cadets' enrollment
- 30 costs at the Mountaineer Challenge Academy.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to use Department of Health and Human Resources group home funds to assist cadets' enrollment at the Mountaineer Challenge Academy.

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