

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

**2024 REGULAR SESSION**

**ENROLLED**

**House Bill 5549**

BY DELEGATE LINVILLE

[Passed March 4, 2024; in effect ninety days from  
passage.]



1 AN ACT to amend and reenact §15A-4-15 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,  
2 relating to allowing license plates, road signs, and markers to be obtained from sources  
3 other than the Division of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

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

**ARTICLE 4. CORRECTIONS MANAGEMENT.**

**§15A-4-15. Manufacture of license plates, road signs or markers.**

1 (a) The commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered to establish and operate a  
2 plant in his or her institution for the manufacture of road signs and markers of any description for  
3 state roads and of license plates.

4 (b) The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall secure all license plates from the division:  
5 *Provided*, That the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles may secure license plates from alternative  
6 sources if the division is unable to provide a six-month supply of license plates due to a shortage  
7 of resources, labor, or other circumstance beyond the control of the division.

8 (c) The Commissioner of Highways may obtain road signs and markers of any description  
9 for state roads from the division.



The Clerk of the House of Delegates and the Clerk of the Senate hereby certify that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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*Clerk of the House of Delegates*

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*Clerk of the Senate*

Originated in the House of Delegates.

In effect ninety days from passage.

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*Speaker of the House of Delegates*

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*President of the Senate*

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Day of ....., 2024.

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*Governor*