

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **Senate Bill 438**

BY SENATORS WOODRUM AND DEEDS

[Introduced January 12, 2024; referred  
to the Committee on Government Organization]



1 A BILL to amend and reenact §5-30-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating  
2 to requirements for rosters of individuals who have obtained professional, occupational,  
3 and trade licenses, registrations, and certificates made available to public; establishing  
4 exception for certain authorizing entities; and removing geographical information from  
5 rosters.

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

**ARTICLE 30. ROSTERS OF INDIVIDUALS AUTHORIZED TO PRACTICE  
PROFESSIONS, OCCUPATIONS, AND TRADES.**

**§5-30-2. Roster of licensed, registered, or certified practitioners to be made available to  
the public; exception.**

1 The secretary or director of every board, commission, agency, or entity that issues  
2 licenses, registrations, or certificates, or otherwise authorizes individuals to practice a profession,  
3 occupation, or trade in this state, except for those subject to the provisions of §30-1-13 of this  
4 code, shall prepare and maintain a complete roster of the names ~~and mailing addresses~~ of all  
5 persons licensed, registered, certified, or otherwise authorized to practice in this state the  
6 profession, occupation, or trade to which such board, commission, agency, or entity relates,  
7 arranged alphabetically by name. ~~and also by the municipalities or counties in which their mailing~~  
8 ~~addresses are situated~~ Each such board, commission, agency, or entity shall make the roster  
9 available upon request to any member of the public and shall also place and maintain the roster  
10 on its website if it maintains one.