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SENATE BILL NO. 508

(By Senator Minard **)**

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section seven, article twenty-seven, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the confidential treatment of materials filed in accordance with the "Model Insurance Holding Company Systems Act".

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section seven, article twenty-seven, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 27. INSURANCE HOLDING COMPANY SYSTEMS.

§33-27-7. Confidential treatment.

1 All information, documents and copies thereof obtained
2 by or disclosed to the commissioner or any other person in
3 the course of an examination or investigation made
4 pursuant to section six of this article and all information
5 reported pursuant to sections four and five of this article,
6 shall be given confidential treatment and are not subject

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7 to subpoena and may not be made public by the commis-
8 sioner or any other person, except to insurance depart-
9 ments of other states, without the prior written consent of
10 the insurer to which it pertains unless the commissioner,
11 after giving the insurer and its affiliates who would be
12 affected thereby, notice and opportunity to be heard,
13 determines that the interests of policyholders, sharehold-
14 ers or the public will be served by the publication thereof,
15 in which event he or she may publish all or any part
16 thereof in such manner as he or she may consider appro-
17 priate.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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Chairman Senate Committee

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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

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Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

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President of the Senate

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Speaker House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *30th*
Day of *April*, 2001.

[Signature]
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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/30/01

Time 2:45pm