

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

Senate Bill No. 248

(By Senator Williams)

[Originating in the Committee on
Banking and Insurance;
reported February 3, 2015.]

A BILL to amend and reenact §17C-4-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the duty to give information after a car crash; and requiring person involved in a car crash to provide certain insurance, vehicle owner information and exhibit his or her driver's license.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §17C-4-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 4. ACCIDENTS.

§17C-4-3. Duty to give information and render aid.

1 The driver of any vehicle involved in a crash resulting in injury to or death of any person or
2 damage to any vehicle which is driven or attended by any person shall give his or her name, address
3 and the registration number of the vehicle he or she is driving, proof of insurance, insurance policy
4 number and the name and address of the owner of the vehicle, if different, and ~~shall upon request~~
5 ~~and~~ if available exhibit his or her driver's license to the person struck or the driver or occupant of
6 or person attending any vehicle collided with and shall render to any person injured in such crash
7 reasonable assistance, including the carrying, or the making arrangements for the carrying, of such
8 person to a physician, surgeon or hospital for medical or surgical treatment if it is apparent that such
9 treatment is necessary or if such carrying is requested by the injured person.

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(NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to require a person involved in a car crash to provide certain insurance and car owner information.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from the present law, and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.)