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**H. B. 2287**

(By Delegates Sobonya and Frich)

[Introduced January 26, 2015; referred to the  
Committee on Finance then the Judiciary.]

A BILL to amend and reenact article 3, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,  
relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a  
legislative rule relating to the awarding of WV Stream Partners Program Grants.

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

That article 3, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and  
reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 3. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROTECTION TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

**§64-3-1. Department of Environmental Protection.**

The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 29, 2014, authorized under the  
authority of section three, article twenty-two, chapter twenty-two of this code, relating to the  
Department of Environmental Protection (awarding of WV Stream Partners Program Grants, [60 CSR](#)  
[4](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the Awarding of WV Stream Partners Program Grants.

This section is new; therefore, it has been completely underscored.