

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2024 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

House Bill 4157

By Delegate Smith

[Introduced January 10, 2024; Referred
to Committee on Health and Human Resources then
the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-9-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to
 2 authorizing the West Virginia Board of Registered Nurses to promulgate a legislative rule
 3 relating to policies, standards and criteria for the evaluation, approval and national nursing
 4 accreditation of prelicensure nursing education programs.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 9. AUTHORIZATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS BOARDS AND AGENCIES TO
 PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

§64-9-1. West Virginia Board of Registered Nurses.

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on August 1, 2023, authorized under the
 2 authority of §30-7-4 of this code, modified by the West Virginia Board of Registered Nurses to
 3 meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State
 4 Register on November 16, 2023, relating to the West Virginia Board of Registered Nurses
 5 (policies, standards and criteria for the evaluation, approval and national nursing accreditation of
 6 prelicensure nursing education programs, [19 CSR 01](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the West Virginia Board of Registered Nurses to promulgate a legislative rule relating to policies, standards and criteria for the evaluation, approval and national nursing accreditation of prelicensure nursing education programs.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.