WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2024 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

House Bill 4516

By Delegate Linville

[Introduced January 10, 2024 ; Referred to

the Committee on the Judiciary]

- 1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article,
- 2 designated §12-3-21, relating to establishing the revocation of authority for spending by an
- 3 agency in support of a challenge to West Virginia law.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE	3.	LIMITATIC	DNS	ON	AGENC	Y	SPENDING.
<u>§12-3-21.</u>	Limitation	on	on agencies'		use	of	funding.

1 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, there is no spending authority for any

2 political subdivision or state agency for the purposes of challenging a West Virginia state law.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to prohibit spending authority for money used by an agency in support of a challenge to WV law.

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