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SENATE BILL NO. 128

(By Senator WAGNER, ET AL)



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(BY SENATORS WAGNER, BOWMAN, WIEDEBUSCH,  
YODER AND MINEAR)

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[Passed March 9, 1996; in effect ninety days from passage.]

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section two, article ten-a, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to continuing the division of rehabilitation services until the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred ninety-seven.

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

That section two, article ten-a, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 10A. VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION.**

**§18-10A-2. Division of rehabilitation services.**

1 The division of rehabilitation services is hereby  
2 transferred to the department of education and the arts  
3 created in article one, chapter five-f of this code. The  
4 secretary shall appoint any such board, commission or  
5 council over the division to the extent required by  
6 federal law to qualify for federal funds for providing

7 rehabilitation services for disabled persons. The secre-  
8 tary and such boards, commissions or councils as he or  
9 she is required by federal law to appoint are authorized  
10 and directed to cooperate with the federal government to  
11 the fullest extent in an effort to provide rehabilitation  
12 services for disabled persons.

13 References in this article or article ten-b of this  
14 chapter to the state board of vocational education, the  
15 state board of rehabilitation or the state board as the  
16 governing board of vocational or other rehabilitation  
17 services or facilities means the secretary of education  
18 and the arts. All references in the code to the division of  
19 vocational rehabilitation means the division of rehabili-  
20 tation services and all references to the director of the  
21 division of vocational rehabilitation means the director  
22 of the division of rehabilitation services.

23 Notwithstanding the provisions of article ten, chapter  
24 four of this code, the division of rehabilitation services  
25 shall terminate on the first day of July, one thousand  
26 nine hundred ninety-seven to allow for monitoring of  
27 compliance with recommendations contained in the full  
28 performance audit and to allow for further review by the  
29 joint committee on government operations.

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

*Randy Scherover*  
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Chairman Senate Committee

*Rudy Deament*  
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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.  
In effect ninety days from passage.

*Harrell Bell*  
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Clerk of the Senate

*Breagyn W. Boney*  
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Clerk of the House of Delegates

*Carl Ray Tomleiter*  
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President of the Senate

*Carl Albert*  
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Speaker House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *March*, 1996.

*Gaston Caperton*  
.....  
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE  
GOVERNOR

Date 3/20/96

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