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By Request of the Executive)*

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section two, article five, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the elimination of the twenty-year service cap on granting incremental salary increases to eligible state employees.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 5. SALARY INCREASE FOR STATE EMPLOYEES.

§5-5-2. Granting incremental salary increases based on years of service.

1 (a) Every eligible employee with three or more years of
2 service shall receive an annual salary increase equal to
3 fifty dollars times the employee's years of service. In each
4 fiscal year and on the first day of July, each eligible
5 employee shall receive an annual increment increase of
6 fifty dollars for that fiscal year.

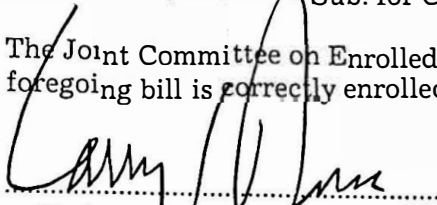
7 (b) Every employee becoming newly eligible as a result
8 of meeting the three years of service minimum requirement
9 on the first day of July in any fiscal year, is entitled to the
10 annual salary increase equal to fifty dollars times the
11 employee's years of service, where he or she has not in a
12 previous fiscal year received the benefit of an increment
13 computation. Thereafter, the employee shall receive a
14 single annual increment increase of fifty dollars for each
15 subsequent fiscal year.

16 (c) These incremental increases are in addition to any
17 across-the-board, cost-of-living or percentage salary
18 increases which may be granted in any fiscal year by the
19 Legislature.

20 (d) This section shall not be construed to prohibit other
21 pay increases based on merit, seniority, promotion or other
22 reason, if funds are available for the other pay increases:
23 *Provided*, That the executive head of each spending unit
24 shall first grant the mandated increase in compensation in
25 this section to all eligible employees prior to the consider-
26 ation of any increases based on merit, seniority, promotion
27 or other reason.

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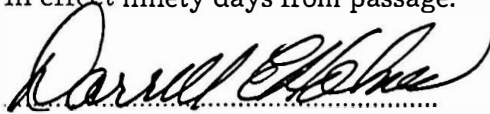
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.


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Chairman Senate Committee

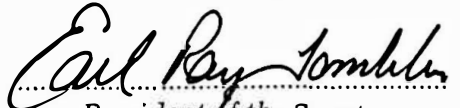

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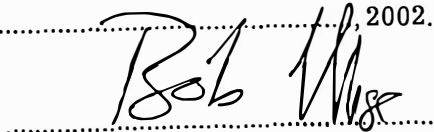

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Clerk of the Senate


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Clerk of the House of Delegates


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President of the Senate


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Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 29th
Day of May, 2002.


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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

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Date 3/28/02

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