



Jim Justice
Governor of West Virginia

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VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Mac Warner
Secretary of State
Building 1, Suite 157-K
State Capitol
Charleston, West Virginia 25305

RE: Enrolled Committee Substitute for the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 141

Dear Secretary Warner:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section Fourteen, Article VII of the Constitution of West Virginia, I hereby disapprove and return Enrolled Committee Substitute for the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 141.

Enrolled Committee Substitute for the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 141 amends and reenacts current West Virginia Code §7-7-6e. The current law requires the assessment and collection of \$1 on all breeding age sheep and goats to participate in the Coyote Control Program. The bill expands the assessment and collection of \$1 on breeding age cows to participate in the Coyote Control Program. It creates a new fee for cow owners. It could be the first step toward making the fee for cow owners mandatory.

For these reasons, I must disapprove and return Enrolled Committee Substitute for the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 141.

Sincerely,


Jim Justice
Governor

cc: The Honorable Mitch Carmichael
President of the Senate

The Honorable Tim Armstead
Speaker of the House of Delegates