WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

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Introduced

House Bill 2478

By Delegate Foster

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to the Committee on Government Organization]

A BILL to amend and reenact §64-9-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to authorizing the Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to guidelines and standards for electronic notarization.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 9. Authorization for miscellaneous agencies and boards to promulgate legislative rules.

§64-9-1. Secretary of State.

The legislative rule filed in the State Register on June 25, 2020, authorized under the authority of §39-4-25 of this code, modified by the Secretary of State to meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State Register on December 4, 2020, relating to the Secretary of State (guidelines and standards for electronic notarization, [153 CSR 45](http://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/rule.aspx?rule=153-45)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to guidelines and standards for electronic notarization.

This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and underscoring have been omitted.