# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

### **2021 REGULAR SESSION**

### Introduced

## House Bill 3144

By Delegate Pritt

[Introduced March 15, 2021; Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary]

Intr HB 2021R2893

1 A BILL to repeal §51-2A-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to family

2 court jurisdiction, exceptions, and limitations.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

#### **ARTICLE 2A. FAMILY COURT.**

#### §1. Repeal of section related to family court jurisdiction; exceptions; limitations.

1 That §51-2A-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, is repealed.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to repeal the section of code limiting the jurisdiction of circuit courts to consider divorce cases.

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