West Virginia Legislature

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Introduced

House Bill 2644

BY Delegate Foster

[Introduced January 17, 2023; Referred to the Committee on Energy and Manufacturing then the Judiciary]

A BILL to amend and reenact §64-3-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to rules for quarrying and reclamation.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 3. Authorization for Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate legislative rules.

§64-3-1. Department of Environmental Protection.

The legislative rule filed in the State Register on May 26, 2022, authorized under the authority of §22-4-4 of this code, modified by the Department of Environmental Protection to meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State Register on October 6, 2022, relating to the Department of Environmental Protection (rules for quarrying and reclamation, [38 CSR 03](http://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/rule.aspx?rule=38-03)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to rules for quarrying and reclamation.

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