

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **Senate Bill 21**

By Senator Woodrum

[Introduced January 10, 2024; referred  
to the Committee on the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-5-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to  
2 authorizing the Department of Health to promulgate a legislative rule relating to assisted  
3 living residences.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 5. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN  
RESOURCES TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

**§64-5-1. Department of Health**

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on February 16, 2023, authorized under the  
2 authority of §16-5D-5 of this code, modified by the Department of Health to meet the objections of  
3 the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State Register on August 21,  
4 2023, relating to the Department of Health (assisted living residences, [64 CSR 14](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Department of Health to promulgate a legislative rule relating to assisted living residences.

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