

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2026 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

House Bill 4234

By Delegate D. Smith

[Introduced January 14, 2026; referred to the
Committee on the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-6-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to
 2 authorizing the West Virginia State Police to promulgate a legislative rule relating to
 3 contracted police or security services.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 6. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO
 PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

§64-6-1. West Virginia State Police.

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 23, 2025, authorized under the
 2 authority of §15-2-18 of this code, modified by the West Virginia State Police to meet the
 3 objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in the State Register on
 4 September 24, 2025, relating to the West Virginia State Police (contracted police or security
 5 services, [81 CSR 05](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the West Virginia State Police to promulgate a legislative rule relating to contracted police or security services.

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