

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2026 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

Senate Bill 104

FISCAL
NOTE

By Senator Garcia

[Introduced January 14, 2026; referred
to the Committee on Energy, Industry, and Mining;
and then to the Committee on Finance]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding a new section,
2 designated §22A-1-10a, relating to state mine inspectors; providing a \$4,000 raise; and
3 providing an effective date.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 1. OFFICE OF MINERS’ HEALTH, SAFETY, AND TRAINING;
ADMINISTRATION; ENFORCEMENT.**

§22A-1-10a. Raise for state mine inspectors and other inspectors.

1 (a) State mine inspectors, including electrical inspectors, underground mine inspectors,
2 surface mine inspectors, and any other class of inspector described in this chapter, shall enjoy a
3 \$4,000 raise to their current salary.
4 (b) The provisions of this section shall be effective upon passage.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to provide state mine inspectors with a \$4,000 raise.

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