

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2026 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

Senate Bill 281

BY Senator Rucker

[Introduced January 15, 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 Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency, and Correction to
3 promulgate a legislative rule relating to law-enforcement training and certification
4 standards.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

§64-6-1. Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency, and Correction.

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 24, 2025, authorized under the
2 authority of §30-29-3 of this code, modified by the Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency,
3 and Correction to meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and
4 refiled in the State Register on September 24, 2025, relating to the Governor's Committee on
5 Crime, Delinquency, and Correction (law enforcement training and certification standards, [149](#)
6 [CSR 02](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency, and Correction to promulgate a legislative rule relating to law enforcement training and certification standards.

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