

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2026 REGULAR SESSION

Enrolled

Committee Substitute

for

Senate Bill 643

By Senators Charnock, Chapman, Takubo, Tarr,

Weld, Hamilton, Morris, Woelfel, and Deeds

[Passed March 13, 2026; in effect 90 days from
passage (June 11, 2026)]

1 AN ACT to amend and reenact §3-12-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to
2 repeal §3-12-2, §3-12-3, §3-12-4, §3-12-5, §3-12-6, §3-12-7, §3-12-8, §3-12-9, §3-12-10,
3 §3-12-11, §3-12-12, §3-12-13, §3-12-14, §3-12-15, and §3-12-16, relating to discontinuing
4 the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign Financing Program; and
5 transferring any unexpended balance remaining to the General Revenue Fund.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 12. WEST VIRGINIA SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS PUBLIC CAMPAIGN
FINANCING PILOT PROGRAM.**

**§3-12-1. Termination of the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign
Financing Program.**

1 The West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals Campaign Financing Pilot Program
2 established pursuant to this article will terminate on June 30, 2026: *Provided*, That on or after July
3 1, 2026, any unexpended balance remaining in the Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign
4 Financing Fund shall be transferred to the General Revenue Fund.

§3-12-2. Legislative findings and declarations.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-3. Definitions.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-4. Alternative public campaign financing option.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-5. Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign Financing Fund.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-6. Sources of revenue for the fund.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-7. Declaration of intent.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-8. Exploratory period; contributions; expenditures.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-9. Qualifying contributions.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-10. Certification of candidates.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-11. Schedule and amount of Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign Financing Fund payments.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-12. Restrictions on contributions and expenditures.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-13. Reporting requirements.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-14. Duties of the State Election Commission; Secretary of State.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-15. Criminal penalties.

1 [Repealed]

§3-12-16. Civil penalties.

1 [Repealed]

The Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates hereby certify that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

Originated in the Senate.

In effect 90 days from passage.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Delegates

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Day of, 2026.

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Governor