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Accountancy (1-1)	Board Rules and Rules of Professional Conduct Legislative	6/15/2015	7/15/2015		7/24/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 148 HB 4081 BUNDLED SB 159		
Administration (148-1)	Purchasing Division Legislative	7/27/2015	8/26/2015	7/23/2015 Approved 7/31/2015	9/1/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB149 HB 4046 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Agriculture (61-23D)	Inspection of Nontraditional, Domesticated Animals Legislative	6/10/2015	7/17/2015	6/10/2015 Effective 7/22/2015	7/30/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/3/2015	SB 151 HB 4083 BUNDLED SB 159		
Agriculture (61-28)	Poultry Litter and Manure Movement Into Primary Poultry Breeder Rearing Areas Legislative	6/30/2015	7/30/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 152 HB 4084 BUNDLED SB 159		
Agriculture (61-30)	Dangerous Wild Animal Rule-Repeal Legislative	1/11/2016	2/10/2016						
Agriculture (61-31)	Livestock Care Standards Legislative	6/30/2015	7/30/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 153 HB 4085 BUNDLED SB 159		
Agriculture (61-31)	Livestock Care Standards-Repeal Legislative	1/11/2016	2/10/2016						
Agriculture (61-34)	Captive Cervid Farming Legislative	4/28/2015	5/28/2015	4/28/2015 Approved 5/12/2015	7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 154 HB 4086 BUNDLED SB 159		
Air Quality (45-16)	Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 172 HB 4049 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Air Quality (45-18)	Control of Air Pollution from Combustion of Solid Waste Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 173 HB 4050 BUNDLED HB 4053		

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Air Quality (45-25)	Control of Air Pollution from Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 174 HB 4051 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Air Quality (45-34)	Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 175 HB 4052 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Air Quality (45-39)	Control of Annual Nitrogen Oxides Emissions - Repeal Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 176 HB 4053 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Air Quality (45-40)	Control of Ozone Season Nitrogen Oxides Emissions Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 177 HB 4054 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Air Quality (45-41)	Control of Annual Sulfur Dioxide Emissions - Repeal Legislative	6/3/2015	7/6/2015		7/24/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 178 HB 4055 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Alcohol Beverage Control Comm. (175-2)	Private Club Licensing Legislative	6/10/2015	7/11/2015		7/31/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 155 HB 4047 BUNDLED SB 157		
Alcohol Beverage Control Comm. (175-10)	Distilleries and Mini-Distilleries Legislative	6/10/2015	7/11/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/4/2015	SB 156 HB 4087 BUNDLED SB 157		
Alcohol Beverage Control Comm – Beer (176-1)	Nonintoxicating Beer Licensing and Operations Procedures Legislative	6/10/2015	7/11/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/4/2015	SB 157 HB 4088 BUNDLED SB 157		
Conservation Committee (63-2)	WV Conservation Agency Financial Assistance Program Legislative	4/29/2015	5/29/2015	4/29/2015 Approved 5/12/2015	6/5/2015	Modified & Approved 9/15/2015 Filed 9/16/2015	SB 158 HB 4089 BUNDLED SB 159		
Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-2)	Benefit Determination and Appeal Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 163 HB 4091 BUNDLED HB 4046		

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Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-3)	Teachers' Defined Contribution Retirement System Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 9/15/2015 Filed 9/22/2015	SB 164 HB 4092 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-4)	Teachers Retirement System Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 9/15/2015 Filed 9/22/2015	SB 165 HB 4093 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-7)	Refund, Reinstatement, Retroactive Service,Loan and Correction of Error Interest Factors Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 9/15/2015 Filed 9/22/2015	SB 166 HB 4094 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-8)	Service Credit for Accrued and Unussed Sick and Annual Leave Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Approved 9/15/2015	SB 167 HB 4048 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-9)	West Virginia State Police Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 168 HB 4095 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Consolidated Public Retirement Board (162-10)	Deputy Sheriff Retirement System Legislative	6/4/2015	7/6/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 169 HB 4090 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Counseling (27-1)	Licensing Rule Legislative	6/15/2015	7/15/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 10/20/2015	SB 129 HB 4096 BUNDLED SB 159		
Counseling (27-3)	Licensed Professional Counselor License Renewal and Continuing Professional Education Requirements Legislative	6/15/2015	7/15/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/29/2015	SB 160 HB 4098 BUNDLED SB 159		
Counseling (27-5)	Disciplinary and Complaint Procedures for Counselors Procedural	6/17/2015	7/20/2015						

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Counseling (27-8)	Marriage and Family Therapists Licensing Rule Legislative	6/15/2015	7/15/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 10/20/2015	SB 161 HB 4099 BUNDLED SB 159		
Counseling (27-10)	Marriage and Family License Renewal and Continuing Professional Education Legislative	6/15/2015	7/15/2015		7/28/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/29/2015	SB 162 HB 4097 BUNDLED SB 159		
Counseling (27-11)	Disciplinary and Complaint Procedures for Marriage and Family Therapists Procedural	6/17/2015	7/20/2015						
Counseling (27-12)	Contested Case Hearing Procedure for Marriage and Family Therapist Procedural	6/17/2015	7/20/2015						
Crime, Delinquency and Correction (GCCDC) (149-2)	Law Enforcement Training and Certification Standards Legislative	6/15/2015	7/22/2015		7/27/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/5/2015	SB 214 HB 4019 BUNDLED SB 159		
Dangerous Wild Animal Board (74-1)	Dangerous Wild Animals Legislative	1/11/2016	2/10/2016		2/11/2016				
Dentistry (5-11)	Continuing Education Requirements Legislative	5/13/2015	6/13/2015		7/23/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/23/2015	SB170 HB 4100 BUNDLED SB 159		
Dentistry (5-13)	Expanded Duties of Dental Hygienists and Dental Assistants Legislative	5/13/2015	6/13/2015		7/23/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/23/2015	SB171 HB 4101 BUNDLED SB 159		
Education (126-13)	A Process for Improving Education: Performance Based Accreditation System (2320) Legislative Exempt	4/14/2016	5/16/2016						
Education (126-28)	WV's Universal Access to a Quality Early Education System (2525) Legislative Exempt	5/12/2016	6/13/2016						

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Education (126-42)	Assuring the Quality of Education: Regulations for Education Programs (2510) Legislative Exempt	2/12/2016	3/14/2016					4/14/2016	7/1/2016
Education (126-44AA)	WV College and Career-Readiness Standards for English Language Arts (2520.1A) Legislative Exempt	11/13/2015	12/14/2015					12/18/2015	7/1/2016
Education (126-44BB)	WV College and Career-Readiness Standards for Mathematics (2520.2B) Legislative Exempt	11/13/2015	12/14/2015					12/18/2015	7/1/2016
Education (126-44D)	Next Generation Content Standards and Objectives for Social Studies in WV Schools (2520.4) Legislative Exempt	4/14/2016	5/16/2016						
Education (126-44P)	Alternate Academic Achievement Standards for Science in WV Schools (2520.16) Legislative Exempt	8/13/2015	9/14/2015					10/15/2015	7/1/2016
Education (126-73)	School Calendar (3234) Legislative Exempt	12/18/2015	1/19/2016					2/12/2016	7/1/2016
Education (126-81)	Attendance (4110) Legislative Exempt	4/14/2016	5/16/2016						
Education (126-114)	Approval of Educator Preparation Programs (5100) Legislative Exempt	4/14/2016	5/16/2016						
Education (126-136)	Minimum Requirements for the Licensure of Professional/Paraprofessional Personnel and Advanced Salary Classifications (5202) Legislative Exempt	4/14/2016	5/16/2016						
Education (126-149)	Professional Development for WV Educators (5500) Legislative Exempt	12/18/2015	1/19/2016					2/12/2016	7/1/2016
Election Commission (146-3)	Regulation of Campaign Finance Legislative	5/20/2015	6/19/2015		7/31/2015	Modified w/certain amendments and approved 11/19/2015 Filed 11/30/2015 2nd Filed 12/22/2015	SB 207 HB 4140 BUNDLED SB 159		

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Election Commission (146-5)	WV Supreme Court of Appeals Campaign Financing Program Legislative	5/20/2015	6/19/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 11/30/2015 2nd Filed 12/22/2015	SB 208 HB 4105 BUNDLED SB 159		
Ethics Commission (158-6)	Private Gain Legislative	5/17/2016	6/16/2016						
Ethics Commission (158-21)	Public Use of Names or Likeness Legislative	5/12/2015	6/12/2015	5/12/2015 Effective 6/23/2015	6/30/2015	Approved w/certain amendments 11/19/2015	SB 210 HB 4143 BUNDLED HB 4046	Disapproved by Legislature HB 4046 §64-2-3 Effective 6/10/2016	
Fire Commission (87-1)	Fire Code Legislative	5/1/2015	5/29/2015 Written Comments 6/1/2015		6/29/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 211 HB 4060 BUNDLED HB 4060	5/3/2016	7/1/2016
Fire Commission (87-4)	State Building Code Legislative	5/1/2015	6/1/2015		6/29/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/10/2015	SB 212 HB 4107 BUNDLED HB 4060	5/3/2016	8/1/2016
Fire Commission (87-7)	Standards for the Certification and Continuing Education of Municipal, County, and Other Public Sector Building Code Officials, Inspectors and Plans Examiners Legislative	5/1/2015	6/1/2015		6/29/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/10/2015	SB 213 HB 4108 BUNDLED HB 4060	5/3/2016	6/1/2016
Fire Marshal (103-4)	Regulation of Fireworks and Related Explosive Materials Legislative	5/12/2016	6/13/2016	5/12/2016 ERD by 6/23/2016					
Health (64-48)	Emergency Medical Services Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/8/2015	SB 186 HB 4112 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Health (64-51)	Fees for Service Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/27/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 187 HB 4061 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016

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Health (64-56)	Infectious Medical Waste Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/27/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/23/2015	SB 188 HB 4113 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Health (64-64)	Aids-Related Medical Testing and Confidentiality Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/27/2015	Approved 9/16/2015	SB 189 HB 4062 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Health (64-76)	Tuberculosis Testing, Control, Treatment and Commitment Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/27/2015	Approved 9/16/2015	SB 190 HB 4063 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Health (64-102)	Farmers Market Vendors Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/27/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 10/23/2015	SB 191 HB 4110 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Health (64-104)	Certification of Opioid Overdose Prevention and Treatment Training Programs Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/27/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/23/2015	SB 192 HB 4111 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Health & Human Resources (69-9)	Neonatal Abstinence Centers Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015	6/25/2015 Approved 7/29/2015 Amendment 12/8/2015 Approved 12/15/2015	7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/8/2015	SB 194 HB 4116 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Higher Education Policy Comm. (133-19)	Guidelines for the Offering of Early Enrollment Courses for High School Students Procedural	11/24/2015	12/24/2015						
Higher Education Policy Comm. (133-26)	Underwood-Smith Teacher Scholarship Program Legislative	6/4/2015	7/4/2015			Approved 10/28/2015	HB 4617		
Higher Education Policy Comm. (133-58)	Nursing Scholarship Program Legislative	6/4/2015	7/4/2015			Approved 10/28/2015	HB 4617		
Human Rights Commission (77-10)	Pregnant Workers' Fairness Act Legislative	6/29/2015	7/30/2015		7/31/2015	Modifed w/certain amendments & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/8/2015	SB 216 HB 4140	4/21/2016	7/20/2016

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Human Services (78-1)	Child Care Center Licensing Requirements Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/31/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 196 HB 4064 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Human Services (78-18)	Family Child Care Facility Licensing Requirements Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/31/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 197 HB 4065 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Human Services (78-19)	Family Child Care Home Registration Requirements Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 10/28/2015	SB 198 HB 4117 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Human Services (78-23)	W. Va. Works Program Sanctions Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015	6/25/2015 Amendment 7/31/2015 Approved 9/4/2015	7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/13/2015	SB 199 HB 4118 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Human Services (78-24)	Qualifications for a Restricted Provisional License to Practice as a Social Worker Within the Dept. of Health & Human Resources Legislative	6/25/2015	7/25/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/8/2015	SB 200 HB 4119 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Human Services (78-25)	Goals for Foster Children Legislative	6/26/2015	7/26/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/22/2015	SB 201 HB 4120 BUNDLED SB 195	4/28/2016	7/1/2016
Livestock Care Standards Bd (73-1)	Livestock Care Standards Legislative	1/11/2016	2/10/2016		2/11/2016				
Lottery (179-5)	Limited Video Lottery Legislative (Called up by the 2016 Legislature)						SB 157		
Medical Imaging & Radiation Therapy Tech. Bd. of Exam. (18-1)	Rules of the WV Medical Imaging & Radiation Therapy Tech Bd of Exam Legislative	3/6/2015	5/1/2015		6/8/2015	Approved 10/22/2015	SB 221 HB 4067 BUNDLED SB 159		
Medicine (11-11)	Establishment and Regulation of Limited License to Practice Medicine and Surgery at Certain State Veterans Nursing Home Facilities Legislative	6/12/2015	7/13/2015	6/12/2015 Approved 6/30/2015	7/27/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 10/23/2015	SB 223 HB 4125 BUNDLED SB 159		

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Miners' Health Safety and Training (56-22)	Certification, Recertification and Training of EMT-Miners and the Certification of EMT-M Instructors Legislative	4/29/2016	6/3/2016	4/29/2016 ERD by 6/10/2016					
Mining and Reclamation (38-2)	WV Surface Mining Reclamation Legislative	6/23/2015	7/24/2015		7/27/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 182 HB 4056 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Nursing Home Administrators Licensing Bd. (21-1)	Nursing Home Administrators Legislative	6/9/2015	7/10/2015		7/17/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 11/2/2015	SB 225 HB 4028 BUNDLED SB 159		
Oil and Gas (35-8)	Horizontal Well Development Legislative	7/24/2015	Hearing 7/23/2015 Written 7/27/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 11/23/2015	SB 179 HB 4102 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Personnel (143-1)	Administrative Rule of the WV Div. of Personnel Legislative	5/19/2015	6/30/2015		7/21/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 226 HB 4072 BUNDLED HB 4046		
Pharmacy (15-1)	Licensure and Practice of Pharmacy Legislative	5/22/2015	6/24/2015		7/16/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 12/17/2015	SB 227 HB 4129 BUNDLED SB 159		
Pharmacy (15-2)	Rules of the Bd. Of Pharmacy for the Uniform Controlled Substances Act Legislative	5/22/2015	6/24/2015		7/16/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/17/2015	SB 228 HB 4130 BUNDLED SB 159		
Pharmacy (15-4)	Record Keeping and Automated Data Processing Systems Legislative	5/22/2015	6/24/2015		7/16/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 12/17/2015	SB 229 HB 4131 BUNDLED SB 159		
Pharmacy (15-5)	Licensure of Wholesale Drug Distributors, Third-Party Logistics Providers and Manufacturers Legislative	5/22/2015	6/24/2015		7/16/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 12/17/2015	SB 230 HB 4132 BUNDLED SB 159		

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AGENCY/SERIES NO	RULE	NOTICE	HEARING	EMER RULE	SEC/STATE	LRMRC-ACTION	LEGIS	FINAL FILE	EFFECTIVE
Physical Therapy (16-4)	Fees for Physical Therapist and Physical Therapist Assistant Legislative	3/16/2016	4/18/2016						
Professional Engineers (7-1)	Examination, Licensure and Practice of Professional Engineers Legislative	4/3/2015	5/4/2015	4/3/2015 Withdrawn 5/11/2015 5/11/2015 Approved 6/2/2015	5/11/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/22/2015	SB 206 HB 4106 BUNDLED SB 159		
Property Valuation Training & Procedures Commission (189-5)	Tax Map Sales Legislative	6/11/2015	7/13/2015		7/29/2015	Modified & Approved 10/22/2015 Filed 10/27/2015	SB 231 HB 4133 BUNDLED SB 159		
Public Service Commission (150-9)	Motor Carriers, Private Commercial Carriers, and the Filing of Evidence of Insurance and Financial Responsibility by Motor..... Legislative Exempt	5/13/2016	6/16/2016						
Racing Commission (178-1)	Thoroughbred Racing Legislative	6/11/2015	7/13/2015		7/22/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 232 HB 4073 BUNDLED SB 157		
Racing Commission (178-3)	Organization and Meeting Notices Procedural	5/4/2016	6/6/2016						
Racing Commission (178-5)	Pari-Mutuel Wagering Legislative	6/11/2015	7/13/2015		7/22/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 233 HB 4074 BUNDLED SB 157		
Real Estate Commission (174-5)	Compliance with Requirement that Broker's Trust Fund Accounts be Insured Against Loss Interpretive	4/29/2016	5/31/2016						
Registered Professional Nurses (19-5)	Contested Case Hearing Procedure Legislative	4/4/2016	5/5/2016						
Registered Professional Nurses (19-6)	Open Meetings and Bylaws Procedural	4/1/2016	5/2/2016						
Secondary School Activities Comm. (127-3)	Provisions Governing Contests Legislative Exempt	5/12/2016	6/13/2016						

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Secretary of State (153-3)	(Repeal of) Registration Forms and Receipts Legislative	5/27/2015	6/30/2015		6/30/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 235 HB 4076 BUNDLED SB 159		
Secretary of State (153-9)	(Repeal of) Elimination of Precinct Registration Books Legislative	5/27/2015	6/30/2015		7/1/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 236 HB 4077 BUNDLED SB 159		
Secretary of State (153-23)	(Repeal of) Absentee Voting by Military Voters Who Are Members of Reserve Units Called to Active Duty Legislative	5/27/2015	6/30/2015		6/30/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 237 HB 4075 BUNDLED SB 159		
Secretary of State (153-52)	Freedom of Information Act Database Legislative	5/18/2015	6/19/2015	7/1/2015 Effective 8/12/2015	6/30/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 11/30/2015 2nd Filed 12/22/2015	SB 238 HB 4134 BUNDLED SB 159		
Social Work, WV Bd of (25-1)	Qualifications for the Profession of Social Work Legislative	6/9/2015	7/10/2015	5/26/2015 Approved 6/9/2015	7/21/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/4/2015	SB 234 HB 4135 BUNDLED SB 159		
Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology (29-1)	Licensure of Speech-Pathology and Audiology Legislative	4/22/2015	6/5/2015		6/8/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015	SB 239 HB 4136 BUNDLED SB 159		
Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology (29-2)	Rule Governing Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Assistants Legislative	4/22/2015	6/5/2015		6/8/2015	Modified w/certain amendments & Approved 11/19/2015	SB 240 HB 4142 BUNDLED SB 159		
Tax Department (110-10F)	Payment of Taxes by Electronic Funds Transfer Legislative	6/11/2015	7/13/2015		7/29/2015	Modified & Approved 9/16/2015 Filed 9/18/2015	SB 241 HB 4137 BUNDLED SB 157		
Tax Department (110-14C)	Motor Fuel Excise Tax Interpretive	11/5/2015	12/4/2015						

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Tax Department (110-50H)	Exchange of Info Agreement Between the Comm of the Tax Div of the Dept of Rev and the Sec of the Dept of Commerce, the Sec of the Dept of Environmental Protection, the Dir of the Div of Forestry of the Dept of Commerce and the Comm of the PSC Legislative	6/11/2015	7/13/2015		7/29/2015	Approved 9/16/2015	SB 242 HB 4078 BUNDLED SB 157		
Veterans' Assistance (86-2)	State Home for Veterans-Fiscal Legislative	5/29/2014	6/28/2014	5/28/2014 Approved 6/2/2014 Expired 9/2/2015	8/1/2014	Approved 9/16/2015	SB 244 HB 4079 BUNDLED SB 4080		
Veterans' Assistance (86-4)	VA Headstones or Markers Legislative	5/28/2014	6/28/2014		8/1/2014	Approved 9/16/2015	SB 245 HB 4080 BUNDLED SB 4080		
Veterinary Medicine (26-4)	Standards of Practice Legislative	3/10/2016	4/11/2016						
Water Resources, Div. of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-2)	Requirements Governing Water Quality Standards Legislative	6/15/2015	Hearing 7/21/2015 Written Comments 7/31/2015	6/29/2015 Effective 8/10/2015 Amendment 9/21/2015 Approved 10/22/2015	7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 11/24/2015	SB 180 HB 4103 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Water Resources, Div. of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-30B)	Administrative Proceedings and Civil Penalty Assessment Legislative	6/23/2015	7/24/2015		7/27/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 183 HB 4057 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Water Resources, Div. of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-63)	Aboveground Storage Tanks Legislative	6/25/2015	7/30/2015		7/31/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015	SB 181 HB 4104 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Water Resources, Div. of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-64)	Aboveground Storage Tank Administrative Proceedings and Civil Penalty Assessment Legislative	6/25/2015	7/30/2015		7/31/2015	Approved 11/19/2015	SB 184 HB 4058 BUNDLED HB 4053		
Water Resources, Div. of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-65)	Aboveground Storage Tank Fee Assessments Legislative	6/25/2015	7/30/2015		7/31/2015	Approved 1/26/2016	SB 185 HB 4059 BUNDLED HB 4053		

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WorkForce West Virginia (96-4)	WV Prevailing Wage Act Legislative	9/22/2015	10/22/2015	8/28/2015 ERD by 10/9/2015	11/6/2015	Modified & Approved 11/19/2015 Filed 12/4/2015	SB 222 HB 4140 BUNDLED SB 202		

Orders Report

Docket Number	Agency	Respondent	Date Rendered
N/A	Medicine, West Virginia Board Of	J. Jorge A. Gordinho, MD	5/16/2016
N/A	Medicine, West Virginia Board Of	Iraj Derakhshan, MD	5/16/2016

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May 23, 2016

The Honorable Lisa A. Hopkins
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Dear Auditor Hopkins:

You have asked for an Opinion of the Attorney General regarding whether an individual who previously held a position in state government categorized for "arrears pay" status must be converted to "current pay" status because that individual has been appointed to fill a vacancy in an elected office. This Opinion is being issued pursuant to West Virginia Code § 5-3-1, which provides that the Attorney General "shall give written opinions and advice upon questions of law . . . whenever required to do so, in writing, by . . . the auditor." To the extent this Opinion relies on facts, it is based solely upon the factual assertions set forth in your correspondence with the Attorney General's Office.

In your letter, you explain that you were appointed to fill the unexpired term of State Auditor Glen B. Gainer III. *See* W. Va. Code §§ 3-10-1, 3-10-3. You explain that your previous position as General Counsel to the State Auditor was categorized as "arrears pay" status, but that elected officers historically have been treated as "current pay" employees. Your question is whether your salary payment must be converted from "arrears pay" to "current pay."

Your letter raises the following specific legal question:

Must an individual appointed to fill the unexpired term of an elected official be paid on a current basis?

The relevant statutory provision is West Virginia Code § 6-7-1. In pertinent part, the provision reads:

> All full-time and part-time salaried and hourly officials, officers and employees of the state, state institutions of higher education and the Higher Education Policy Commission shall be paid at least twice per month, and under the same procedures and in the same manner as the State Auditor currently pays agencies: *Provided,* That on and after July 1, 2002, all new officials, officers and employees of the state, a state institution of higher education and the Higher Education Policy Commission, statutory officials, contract educators with higher education and any exempt official who does not earn annual and sick leave, except elected officials, shall be paid one pay cycle in arrears. . . . *Provided, however,* That, after July 1, 2014, all state employees paid on a current basis will be converted to payment in arrears. . . . Nothing contained in this section is intended to increase or diminish the salary or wages of any official, officer or employee.

W. Va. Code § 6-7-1. The West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals has interpreted this provision only once and has never addressed the question you pose. *See State ex rel. Graney v. Sims*, 144 W. Va. 72, 105 S.E.2d 886 (1958). There are also no previous Opinions of the Attorney General addressing your question.

We read Section 6-7-1 to establish a default rule, subject to two significant exemptions, for the payment of certain persons by the State. The default rule is that "officials, officers and employees of the state, state institutions of higher education and the Higher Education Policy Commission" "shall be paid at least twice per month" and under the procedures of the State Auditor that were "current[]" at the time that statutory language was written. *See* Syl. pt. 5, *State v. Bostic*, 229 W. Va. 513, 729 S.E.2d 835 (2012) ("It is well established that the word 'shall,' in the absence of language in the statute showing a contrary intent on the part of the Legislature, should be afforded a mandatory connotation." (internal quotations omitted)). The statute then creates two exemptions from that default rule. First, those officials and officers who took office after July 1, 2002—with the notable exception of some or all "elected officials"—must "be paid one cycle in arrears." Second, all "state employees" must also be paid "in arrears."

Under this reading, we believe that the State must pay on an "arrears basis" any individual recently appointed to fill the unexpired term of an elected office. With only one exception, the statutory text requires that any official or officer who took office after July 1, 2002, and all state employees regardless of date of hire, must be paid in arrears. The only exception is for "elected officials," but we do not believe that exception applies to a person appointed to an elected office. In the West Virginia Code, the Legislature refers to such an appointed person not as an "elected official," but rather as an "appointee." For example, West Virginia Code § 3-10-1 provides that if a vacancy in the office of the State Auditor occurs after the primary cutoff date, "then th[e] appointee shall hold the office until the end of the term of office." Longstanding principles of statutory interpretation require that we give meaning to the Legislature's specific choice of every word. *See, e.g., Osborne v. United States*, 211 W. Va. 667, 673, 567 S.E.2d 677, 683 (2002) ("[i]t is presumed the legislature had a purpose in the use of every word, phrase and clause found in a statute and intended the terms so used to be effective"); *cf.* W. Va. Att'y Gen. Op., 2013 WL 1287949 at *2 (Mar. 4, 2013) (distinguishing between qualifications required for election and those required for appointment).

Sincerely,

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Legal Notice

Public notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held, pursuant to the provisions of Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, on June 15, 2016, at 11:00 am, prevailing time, in the offices of Dinsmore & Shohl LLP located at 215 Don Knotts Boulevard, Suite 310, Morgantown, WV 26501, to discuss the plan of financing of the West Virginia Economic Development Authority (the "Authority") involving the issuance of one or more series of tax-exempt obligations by the Authority, in an amount not to exceed $55,000,000 (the "Bonds") to finance the costs of a project consisting of (i) the refunding of the Authority's outstanding Energy Revenue Bonds, Series 2011 (Morgantown Energy Associates Project) (the "Prior Bonds"), (ii) the funding of a deposit to a debt service reserve fund securing the Bonds, and (iii) the payment of certain costs of issuance of the Bonds (the "Refunding Project").

Proceeds of the Prior Bonds had been applied by Morgantown Energy Associates (the "Borrower") to the refinancing of then-outstanding indebtedness which had been utilized for the acquisition, construction, installation and equipping of an approximately 69 megawatt waste coal and coal-fired circulating fluidized bed cogeneration facility, including a steam transmission line and auxiliary gas-fired boiler and related facilities (including facilities for the generation and distribution of steam for sale to West Virginia University and West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc.) or portions thereof, located in Morgantown, West Virginia (the "Plant").

Issuance of the Bonds by the Authority will benefit the Borrower by fixing the interest rates on the debt and removing the need for certain credit enhancement facilities. The Borrower is a West Virginia partnership, engaged in the business of electricity generation. The location of the Plant which is the subject of the Refunding Project described above is a four acre site located at 555 Beechurst Avenue in the City of Morgantown, West Virginia, along the Monongahela River.

The hearing will provide a reasonable opportunity for persons to be heard and express their views on the Refunding Project and the issuance of the Bonds.

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LEGAL NOTICE

James L. Pitrolo, Jr., Chairman, West Virginia Health Care Authority, announces the following Certificate of Need activities for the week ending **May 20, 2016**.

EXPEDITED APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

May 17, 2016 – Mobile Diagnostic Imaging, LLC, Hudson, Ohio, CON File #15-10-10590-PV/A, for the correction of the company's current structure; capital expenditure: $103,000.

May 20, 2016 – Genesis Eldercare Rehabilitation Services, LLC, Kennett Square, Pennsylvania, CON File #16-9-10781-P, for the provision of medically necessary rehabilitation services, including physical therapy, occupational therapy and speech therapy, as well as respiratory therapy and wellness service in patients' homes or in other community settings in Berkeley and Jefferson counties; capital expenditure: $25,000.

May 20, 2016 – Genesis Eldercare Rehabilitation Services, LLC, Kennett Square, Pennsylvania, CON File #16-1/2/3/4/5/6/7-10782-P, for the provision of medically necessary rehabilitation services, including physical therapy, occupational therapy and speech therapy, as well as respiratory therapy and wellness service in patients' homes or in other community settings in Barbour, Boone, Cabell, Fayette, Greenbrier, Harrison, Jackson, Kanawha, Lewis, Lincoln, Marion, Mason, Mercer, Monongalia, Putnam, Nicholas, Summers, Taylor, Raleigh, and Wayne counties; capital expenditure: $25,000.

Further information may be obtained on any of the above-referenced projects by contacting Timothy E. Adkins, Director, Certificate of Need Division.