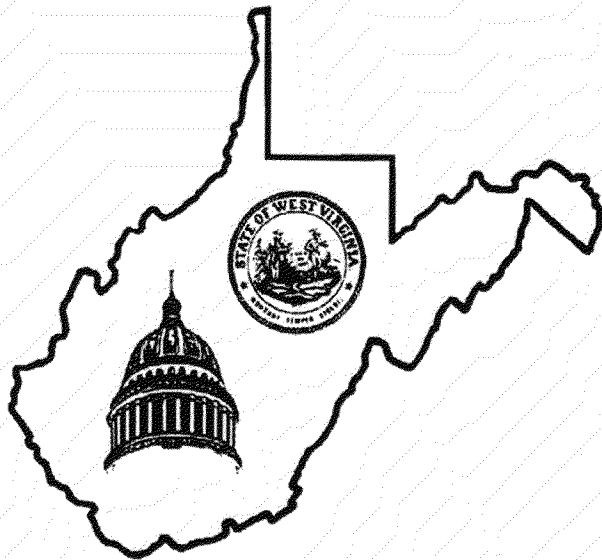




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Miners' Health, Safety and Training (56-03)	Rule Governing the Safety of Those Employed in and Around Surface Mines in West Virginia Legislative	§22A-1-38	Written Comments Only: January 16, 2026, 4:00pm Frank Foster, Director Office of Miner's Health, Safety and Training 7 Players Club Dr., Suite 2 Charleston, WV 25311 frank.g.foster@wv.gov
Secretary of State (153-57)	Exempt Purchasing for Critical Election Infrastructure Procedural	§§51-1-12 and 5A-3-1	Written Comments Only: January 16, 2026, 5:00pm David P. Cook State Capitol, Bldg. 1, Ste. 157-K Charleston, WV 25305 dcook@wvsos.gov

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AGENCY/RULE	RULE NAME	AUTHORITY	EFFECTIVE DATE COMMENT END DATE
Miners' Health, Safety and Training (56-03)	Rule Governing the Safety of Those Employed in and Around Surface Mines in West Virginia	§22A-1-38	ERD by January 26, 2026 January 16, 2026



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- Emergency rules will not have a "Notice" date until the agency files one, but the rule will appear in Columns 1, 2, & 5. An Agency must file for a public comment period either before filing as an emergency or no more than 30 days after filing the rule as an emergency
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Administration (148-25)	One-Stop-Shop Permitting Program Legislative	6/10/2025	7/25/2025	6/9/2025 Approved 6/10/2025	8/22/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/23/2025			
Agriculture (61-01B) Sunset Provision	Registration Forms and Tags for Registration, Taxation and Control of Dogs Legislative				6/23/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/21/2025			
Agriculture (61-08) Sunset Provision	West Virginia Grades and Standards for Apples Legislative				6/24/2025	Modified & Approved 8/13/2025 Filed 8/18/2025			
Agriculture (61-11)	Regulations Governing Public Markets Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Agriculture (61-11H) Sunset Provision	Licensing of Livestock Dealers Legislative				6/23/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/18/2025			
Agriculture (61-15)	Grade "A" Pasteurized Milk Legislative	6/4/2025	7/4/2025	6/4/2025 Approved 6/10/2025	7/8/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Agriculture (61-30)	Select Plant-Based Derivatives and Select Plant-Based Derivative Products-Hemp and Kratom Legislative	6/10/2025	7/10/2025	6/10/2025 Approved 6/10/2025	7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 12/4/2025			
Agriculture (61-37)	Agritourism Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Agriculture (61-40) Sunset Provision	WV Exempted Dairy Farms and Milk and Milk Products Processing Rules Legislative				3/6/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/20/2025			
Air Quality (45-01)	Alternative Emission Limitations During Startup and Shutdown Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/22/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			
Air Quality (45-08)	Ambient Air Quality Standards Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			

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Air Quality (45-16)	Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 10/8/2025	
Air Quality (45-18)	Control of Air Pollution from Combustion of Solid Waste Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 10/8/2025	
Air Quality (45-25)	Control of Air Pollution from Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 9/7/2025	
Air Quality (45-34)	Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 9/7/2025	
Air Quality (45-43)	Cross-State Air Pollution Rule to Control Annual Nitrogen Oxides Emissions, Annual Sulfur Dioxide Emissions, and Ozone Season Nitrogen Oxides Emissions Legislative	5/30/2025	7/1/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 9/7/2025	
Alcohol Beverage Control Commission (175-02)	Private Club Licensing Legislative	6/18/2025	7/18/2025		7/22/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/11/2025	
Architects (2-01)	Registration of Architects Legislative	6/12/2025	7/12/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 11/25/2025	
Architects (2-03)	Fees for Registration of Architects Legislative	6/12/2025	7/12/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/8/2025	
Attorney General (142-03)	Legislative Rule Pertaining to the Establishment and Qualification of Third-Party Dispute Mechanisms Legislative					Authorized w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025	
Attorney General (142-04)	Fair Treatment of Crime Victims and Witnesses Legislative					Authorized w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025	
Attorney General (142-05)	Prevention of Unfair or Deceptive Acts or Practices in Home Improvement Transactions Legislative					Authorized w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025	

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Attorney General (142-06)	Legislative Rule Pertaining to the Prevention of Unfair or Deceptive Acts or Practices in Sale of Damaged Goods or Damaged Products Legislative					Authorized w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025			
Attorney General (142-08)	Administration of Preneed Burial Contracts Legislative					Authorized w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025			
Auditor (155-01)	Standards for Requisitions for Payment Issued by State Officers on the Auditor Legislative	1/2/2025	2/3/2025		2/7/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/17/2025			
Barbers and Cosmetologists (3-02)	Qualifications, Training, Examination, and Certification of Instructors in Barbering, Hair Styling, Nail Technology, Aesthetics, Waxing, and Cosmetology Legislative	6/17/2025	7/25/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/19/2025			
Barbers and Cosmetologists (3-04)	Operational Standards for Schools of Barbering, Cosmetology, Hair Styling, Nail Technology, Waxing, and Aesthetics Legislative	6/17/2025	7/25/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/19/2025			
Barbers and Cosmetologists (3-13)	Barber Apprenticeship Legislative	6/17/2025	7/25/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/23/2025			
Barbers and Cosmetologists (3-14)	Waxing Specialist Legislative	6/18/2025	7/25/2025		7/28/2025	Approved 9/5/2025			
Coal Mine Health and Safety (36-60)	Rules and Regulations Governing Equipment and Operations for Open-Pit Mines, the Surface of Underground Mines, Preparation Plants and Loadouts Legislative Exempt	6/24/2025	7/24/2025					12/16/2025	1/15/2026
Community and Technical College Education (135-28)	Skilled Trades Apprenticeship Nontraditional Degree (STAND) Program Legislative	6/2/2025	7/3/2025	6/2/2025 Approved 7/9/2025 Amendment 8/5/2025 Effective 9/16/2025	7/18/2025	Modified & Approved 9/8/2025 Filed 9/9/2025			

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Community and Technical College Education (135-43, repeal)	Purchasing Efficiencies Legislative	6/3/2025	7/7/2025		7/18/2025	Approved 12/8/2025			
Contractor Licensing Board (28-02)	West Virginia Contractor Licensing Act Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 9/10/2025			
Counseling (27-01)	Licensing Rule Legislative	6/25/2025	7/24/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/21/2025			
Counseling (27-03)	Licensed Professional Counselor License Requirements and Continuing Professional Education Requirements Legislative	6/25/2025	7/24/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/21/2025			
Counseling (27-08)	Marriage and Family Therapist Licensing Legislative	6/25/2025	7/24/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/21/2025			
Crime Delinquency and Correction (149-02)	Law Enforcement Training and Certification Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Economic Development (145-16) Sunset Provision	Tourism Development Districts Legislative				10/8/2024	Approved 8/5/2025			
Economic Development (145-20)	Rule to Petition the Department of Commerce for Certification of a Microgrid District or Certification as a High Impact Data Center Legislative	11/10/2025	12/10/2025	11/10/2025 ERD by 12/22/2025					
Education (126-089)	West Virginia Design and Equipment Requirements for School Transportation Vehicles (4334) Legislative Exempt	5/14/2025	6/14/2025						
Financial Institutions, Division of (106-05)	Rule Pertaining to Mortgage Lenders, Brokers, and Loan Originators Legislative	6/19/2025	7/21/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/10/2025			

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Financial Institutions, Division of (106-07)	Installation, Operation and Sharing of Customer Bank Communication Terminals and the Utilization of Nonexclusive Access Interchange System Legislative	6/19/2025	7/21/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 9/5/2025			
Financial Institutions, Division of (106-17)	Notice and Treatment of Joint Accounts Legislative	6/19/2025	7/21/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 9/5/2025			
Financial Institution (106-21) Sunset Provision	Rule Pertaining to the Fintech Regulatory Sandbox Legislative				2/3/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Fire Commission (87-01)	Fire Code Legislative	3/6/2025 4/9/2025	4/7/2025 5/9/2025	3/6/2025 Approved 3/6/2025	6/3/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 10/6/2025			
Forestry (22-06)	Rules for the Certification of Managed Timberland Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 12/10/2025 Filed 12/10/2025			
Funeral Service Examiners (6-01)	Funeral Director, Embalmer, Apprentice, Courtesy Card Holders and Funeral Establishment Requirements Legislative	6/19/2025	7/22/2025	6/19/2025 Approved 7/9/2025	7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/10/2025			
Health (64-19)	Water Well Regulations Legislative					Authorized as Modified w/Certain Amendments 9/5/2025			
Health (64-45)	Lead Abatement Licensing Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/17/2025			
Health (64-48)	Emergency Medical Services Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 9/10/2025 Filed 9/18/2025			
Health (64-51)	Fees for Services Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Authorized as Modified w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025 Filed 12/5/2025			
Health (64-57)	Clinical Laboratory Practitioner Licensure Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/17/2025			

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Health (64-59)	Patient Rights at State-Operated Mental Health Facilities Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 9/10/2025		
Health (64-67, repeal)	Distribution of State Funds for Support of Local Boards of Health Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Approved 10/8/2025		
Health (64-73)	Basic Public Health Service Standards for Local Boards of Health Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/25/2025	Authorized as Modified w/Certain Amendments 10/8/2025 Filed 12/5/2025		
Health (64-115)	Diabetes Self-Management Education Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 10/8/2025		
Health Care Authority (65-29) Sunset Provision	Exemption from Certificate of Need Legislative				7/21/2025	Approved 8/12/2025		
Higher Education Policy Commission (133-41)	Health Sciences Program Procedural	6/30/2025	7/30/2025					
Higher Education Policy Commission (133-43, repeal)	Purchasing Efficiencies Legislative	6/30/2025	7/30/2025		7/31/2025	12/8/2025 Approved		
Higher Education Policy Commission (133-48, repeal)	Research Trust Fund Legislative	6/30/2025	7/30/2025		7/31/2025	Approved 9/12/2025		
Higher Education Policy Commission (133-63)	Mental Health Loan Repayment Program Legislative	6/30/2025	7/30/2025		7/31/2025	Approved 9/12/2025		
Higher Education Policy Commission (133-64)	Administrative Exemption Legislative	6/30/2025	7/30/2025		7/31/2025	Modified & Approved 12/8/2025 Filed 12/10/2025		
Highways (157-03)	Construction and Reconstruction of State Roads Legislative				8/7/2025			
Highways (157-05)	Traffic and Safety Rules Legislative	11/10/2025	12/10/2025	11/10/2025 ERD by 12/22/2025	12/11/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-02A) Sunset Provision	Fingerprinting Requirements for Applicants for Insurance Producer and Insurance Adjuster License Legislative				4/16/2025	Approved 8/5/2025		

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Insurance Comm. (114-07, repeal)	Premium Financing of Life Insurance for College Students Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/22/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-09, repeal)	Mass Marketing of Property and Liability Insurance Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-10, repeal)	Advertisement of Accident and Sickness Insurance Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/22/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-25) Sunset Provision	Insurance Adjusters Legislative				4/16/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-35)	Insurance Holding Company Systems Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/22/2025	Modified & Approved 8/12/2025 Filed 8/21/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-40) Sunset Provision	Credit for Reinsurance Legislative				4/16/2025	Modified & Approved 8/13/2025 Filed 8/21/2025			
Insurance Comm. (114-64) Sunset Provision	Mental Health Parity Legislative				4/16/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Labor (42-09)	Child Labor Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/10/2025			
Landscape Architects (9-03)	Fees Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			
Landscape Architects (9-04) Sunset Provision	Application for Waiver of Initial Licensing Fees for Certain Individuals Legislative				7/25/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Lottery Commission (179-10) Sunset Provision	West Virginia Lottery Interactive Wagering Rule Legislative				6/25/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Medicine (11-01B)	Licensure, Practice Requirements, Disciplinary and Complaint Procedures, Continuing Education, Physician Assistants Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			
Medicine (11-06)	Continuing Education for Physicians and Podiatric Physicians Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			

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Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Tech. Board of Examiners (18-01)	WV Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Tech. Board of Examiners Legislative	4/11/2025	5/31/2025		6/3/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/13/2025			
Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Tech. Board of Examiners (18-02, repeal)	Continuing Education Legislative	4/1/2025	5/31/2025		6/3/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Tech. Board of Examiners (18-05)	Standard of Ethics Legislative	6/13/2025	7/15/2025		7/16/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/13/2025			
Miners' Health Safety and Training (56-03)	Rule Governing the Safety of Those Employed in and Around Surface Mines in West Virginia Legislative	12/15/2025	1/16/2026	12/15/2025 ERD 1/26/2026					
Miners' Health Safety and Training (56-08)	Rule Governing the Submission and Approval of a Comprehensive Mine Safety Program for Coal Mining Operations in the State of West Virginia Legislative				9/24/2024	Approved 8/5/2025			
Motor Vehicles (91-11, repeal)	Motor Vehicle Equipment Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Motor Vehicles (91-13)	Compulsory Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/22/2025			
Motor Vehicles (91-25)	Special Purpose Vehicles Legislative				6/23/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Municipal Pensions Oversight Board (211-02)	Exempt Purchasing Legislative				10/9/2024	Approved 8/5/2025			
Natural Resources (58-14, repeal)	Rules Governing Small Arms Hunting Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Natural Resources (58-21)	Wildlife Rehabilitation Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 12/11/2025			
Natural Resources (58-26)	Special Boating Rules Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			

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Natural Resources (58-46) Sunset Provision	Defining the Terms Used in All Hunting and Trapping Legislative				3/31/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Natural Resources (58-47)	Prohibitions When Hunting and Trapping Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			
Natural Resources (58-50) Sunset Provision	Deer Hunting Rule Legislative				3/31/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Natural Resources (58-56) Sunset Provision	Special Migratory Game Bird Hunting Legislative				3/31/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Occupational Therapy (13-04)	Continuing Education and Competence Legislative	4/17/2025	6/1/2025		6/3/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Office of Technology (163-03) Sunset Provision	Cyber Reporting Legislative				7/18/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/14/2025			
Office of the Inspector General (71-15)	Nursing Home Licensure Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 12/10/2025			
Office of the Inspector General (71-17)	Delegation of Medication Administration and Health Maintenance Tasks to Approved Medication Assistive Personnel Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/25/2025	Authorized as Modified w/Certain Amendments 12/10/2025			
Office of the Inspector General (71-21)	Assisted Living Residences Legislative					Authorized as Modified w/Certain Amendments 12/10/2025			
Office of the Inspector General (71-24)	Syringe Services Program Licensure Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 12/10/2025			
Office of the Inspector General (71-25)	Behavioral Health Centers Licensure Legislative					Authorized as Modified w/Certain Amendments 12/10/2025			
Optometry (14-01)	Rules of the West Virginia Board of Optometry Legislative	6/10/2025	7/10/2025	6/10/2025 Approved 7/9/2025	7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/18/2025			
Optometry (14-02)	Oral Pharmaceutical Certificate Legislative	6/10/2025	7/10/2025		7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/18/2025			

RULE MONITOR									
AGENCY/SERIES NUMBER	RULE	NOTICE	HEARING	EMER RULE	AGENCY APPROVED	LRMRC/LOCEA ACTION	LEGIS	FINAL FILE	EFFECTIVE
Optometry (14-03)	Contested Case Hearing Procedure Procedural	11/19/2025	12/19/2025						
Optometry (14-04)	Disciplinary and Complaint Procedures for Optometrists Procedural	11/19/2025	12/19/2025						
Optometry (14-05)	Schedule of Fees Legislative	6/10/2025	7/10/2025	6/10/2025 Approved 7/9/2025	7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/18/2025			
Optometry (14-06, repeal)	Interview Evaluation Legislative	11/19/2025	12/19/2025						
Optometry (14-07)	Administration and Board Meetings Procedural	11/19/2025	12/19/2025						
Optometry (14-08)	Licensure by Reciprocity Legislative	6/10/2025	7/10/2025	6/10/2025 Approved 7/9/2025	7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/18/2025			
Optometry (14-10)	Continuing Education Legislative	6/10/2025	7/10/2025		7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/18/2025			
Osteopathic Medicine (24-01)	Licensing Procedures for Osteopathic Physicians Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 12/9/2025			
Osteopathic Medicine (24-02)	Osteopathic Physician Assistants Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/28/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 12/9/2025			
Osteopathic Medicine (24-09) Sunset Provision	Emergency Temporary Permits to Practice During States of Emergency or States of Preparedness Legislative				3/27/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Pharmacy (15-01)	Licensure and Practice of Pharmacy Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 11/24/2025			
Pharmacy (15-06)	Mail-Order and Non-Resident Pharmacies Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 11/24/2025			

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Pharmacy (15-07)	Board of Pharmacy Rules for Registration of Pharmacy Technicians Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 11/24/2025			
Pharmacy (15-10)	Board of Pharmacy Rules for Pharmacist Recovery Networks Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 11/24/2025			
Pharmacy (15-12)	Board of Pharmacy Rules for Immunizations Administered by Pharmacists, Pharmacy Interns, and Pharmacy Technicians Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/22/2025			
Pharmacy (15-15)	Rules Governing Pharmacy Permits Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 11/24/2025			
Pharmacy (15-16)	Rules Governing Pharmacist Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 11/24/2025			
Pharmacy (15-19)	Inspections Legislative	6/19/2025	7/19/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/22/2025			
Physical Therapy (16-01)	General Provisions for Physical Therapist and Physical Therapist Assistants Legislative	2/25/2025 6/17/2025	3/28/2025 7/17/2025	2/21/2025 Approved 2/25/2025	4/1/2025 7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/21/2025			
Physical Therapy (16-05)	General Provisions for Athletic Trainers Legislative	6/17/2025	7/17/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 10/21/2025			
Psychologists (17-03)	Requirements for Licensure as a Psychologist And/OR a School Psychologist Legislative	7/16/2025	8/16/2025	7/9/2025 Effective 8/20/2025	8/18/2025	Modified & Approved 12/10/2025			
Public Service Commission (150-37) Sunset Provision	Rules Governing the Occupancy of Customer-Provided Conduit Legislative				3/12/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Racing Commission (178-01)	Thoroughbred Racing Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 10/8/2025 Filed 11/5/2025			

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Racing Commission (178-10) Sunset Provision	Advance Deposit Account Wagering (ADW) Legislative				7/22/2025	Approved 8/5/2025		
Real Estate Commission (174-01)	Licensing Real Estate Brokers, Associate Brokers, and Salespersons and the Conduct of Brokerage Business Legislative	7/1/2025	7/30/2025		7/31/2025	Modified & Approved 9/10/2025 Filed 9/18/2025		
Rehabilitation Services (198-01) Sunset Provision	Ron Yost Personal Assistance Services Act Board Legislative				3/31/2025	Approved 8/5/2025		
Risk and Insurance Management (115-01) Sunset Provision	Mine Subsidence Insurance Legislative				7/18/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/14/2025		
Risk and Insurance Management (115-02)	Public Entities Insurance Program Legislative	6/2/2025	7/1/2025		7/8/2025	Modified & Approved 10/2/2025 Filed 10/10/2025		
Risk and Insurance Management (115-06; repeal)	Preferred Medical Liability and High Risk Medical Liability Program Legislative	6/19/2025	7/20/2025		7/21/2025	Approved 8/5/2025		
Secretary of State (153-10) Sunset Provision	Loan and Grant Programs Under the Help America Vote Act (HAVA) for the Purchase of Voting Equipment, Election Systems, Software, Services and Upgrades Legislative				6/24/2025	Approved 8/5/2025		
Secretary of State (153-57)	Exempt Purchasing for Critical Election Infrastructure Procedural	12/15/2025	1/16/2026					
Senior Services (76-06) Sunset Provision	Shared Table Initiative for Senior Citizens Legislative				7/21/2025	Approved 10/8/2025		
Social Work Examiners (25-03) Sunset Provision	Fee Schedule Legislative				7/25/2025	Approved 8/5/2025		
State Emergency Response Commission (55-01) Sunset Provision	Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Legislative				1/8/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/13/2025		

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AGENCY/SERIES NUMBER	RULE	NOTICE	HEARING	EMER RULE	AGENCY APPROVED	LRMRC/LOCEA ACTION	LEGIS	FINAL FILE	EFFECTIVE
State Police (81-03)	West Virginia State Police Career Progression System Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
State Police (81-05)	Contracted Police or Security Services Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/5/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
State Police (81-08)	West Virginia State Police Member Grievance Procedure Legislative	6/23/2025	7/23/2025		7/23/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Tax (110-01H)	Valuation of Timberland and Managed Timberland Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 9/7/2025			
Tax (110-01M)	Valuation of Public Utility Property for Ad Valorem Property Tax Purposes Legislative	6/25/2025	7/25/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Tax (110-13FF) Sunset Provision	Tax Credit for Providing Vehicles to Low-Income Workers Legislative				3/31/2025	Modified & Approved 8/5/2025 Filed 8/26/2025			
Tax (110-13GG) Sunset Provision	Downstream Natural Gas Manufacturing Investment Tax Credit Legislative				3/31/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Tax (110-13II) Sunset Provision	High-Wage Growth Business Tax Credit Legislative				3/31/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Tax (110-13Q, repeal)	Commercial Patent Incentives Tax Credit Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 9/7/2025			
Tax (110-16A)	On-Line Bingo and Raffles Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Tax (110-19, repeal)	Soft Drinks Tax Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 8/5/2025			
Tax (110-21H)	Income Tax Credits for Property Taxes Paid Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Modified & Approved 9/7/2025 Filed 9/24/2025			
Tax (110-36)	Prereed Cemetery Companies Legislative	6/24/2025	7/24/2025		7/25/2025	Approved 9/10/2025			

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Treasurer (112-17)	Exempt Purchasing Procedural	10/21/2025	11/20/2025					12/2/2025	1/1/2026
Waste Mgmt. Div. of Water & Waste Mgmt. (33-20)	Hazardous Waste Management System Legislative	5/30/2025	7/15/2025		7/23/2025	Approved 10/8/2025			
Water Resources, Division of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-02)	Requirements Governing Water Quality Standards Legislative	5/30/2025	7/15/2025 Extended to 7/21/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 12/10/2025			
Water Resources, Division of Water & Waste Mgmt. (47-09B)	Carbon Dioxide Sequestration Fee Schedule Legislative	5/30/2025	7/15/2025		7/24/2025	Modified & Approved 12/10/2025			



NOTICE OF FINAL FILING AND ADOPTION OF A LEGISLATIVE EXEMPT, INTERPRETIVE OR PROCEDURAL
RULE

AGENCY: Coal Mine Health And Safety TITLE-SERIES: 36-60
RULE TYPE: Legislative Amendment to Existing Rule: No Repeal of existing rule: No
EXEMPT
RULE NAME: Rules and Regulations Governing Equipment and
Operations for Open-Pit Mines, the Surface of
Underground Mines, Preparation Plants and
Loadouts
CITE STATUTORY AUTHORITY: W. Va. Code §§ 22A-6-4, 22A-6-5, 22A-4-2

This rule is filed with the Secretary of State. This rule becomes effective on the following date:
January 15, 2026

BY CHOOSING 'YES', I ATTEST THAT THE PREVIOUS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Yes

John F Willens -- By my signature, I certify that I am the person authorized to file
legislative rules, in accordance with West Virginia Code §29A-3-11 and §39A-3-2.

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POLICY DIRECTIVE UPDATES

NUMBER	DATE	SUBJECT
309.00	12 January 2026	Key Control
400.04	12 January 2026	Health Screenings and Appraisals at Jails & Short-Term Holding Facilities
402.00	12 January 2026	Food Service
410.06	12 January 2026	Communicable and Infectious Diseases
413.00	12 January 2026	Juvenile Health Screenings and Appraisals
514.01	01 January 2026	WVDCR Bible College



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**NOTICE OF FILING CHANGES TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
MANUAL WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

AGENCY: West Virginia Department of Human Services

BUREAU: Family Assistance

TITLE OF MANUAL TO WHICH POLICY IS BEING FILED:

STATE RULE:	FEDERAL RULE:	EFFECTIVE DATE:	January 1, 2026
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CHANGE NUMBER:	Updated New Income Maintenance Manual 872
CHAPTERS/SECTIONS EFFECTED:	1, 4-Appendices, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 20, 23, 24, 26, Acronyms

SEE DW-17 FORM FOR SPECIFIC CHANGES / MODIFICATIONS.

Incorporate approved policy language related to the SNAP Healthy Choices waiver (soda restriction), and clarify procedures and responsibilities for implementation of the SNAP Soda Restriction waiver (includes SEBT and D SNAP). Move the majority of SNAP AGs (NR population) from 12-month certification periods to 6-month certification period. Eliminating the PRC-2 interim contact form for the NR population. Update SNAP Employment and Training (SNAP E&T), including worker responsibilities, supportive services, third-party partners, in-demand occupations list, and reporting. Introduce the new reporting requirement measure skills gains (MSG) and credential attainment. Introduction of the SNAP (Notice of Match Results) NCHZ; when data matches are received and independent verification is required. Update the address for Legal Aid. Annual updates for Medicaid are effective January 1, 2026.

REASON FOR
MANUAL CHANGE:

THIS IS PART OF AN EXISTING LEGISLATIVE RULE

The above policy is hereby filed as an incorporated portion of an existing legislative rule.

CONTACT:
Office of the Secretary
West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources
State Capitol Complex, Building 3, Room 206
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304.558.7899 Telephone

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Authorized Signature

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

AGENCY:	Miners Health Safety And Training			TITLE-SERIES:	56-03
RULE TYPE:	Legislative	Amendment to Existing Rule:	Yes	Repeal of existing rule:	No
RULE NAME:	Rule Governing the Safety of Those Employed In and Around Surface Mines in West Virginia				
CITE STATUTORY AUTHORITY:	W. Va. Code 22A-1-38				
COMMENTS LIMITED TO:					
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DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING:

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DATE WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD ENDS: 01/16/2026 4:00 PM

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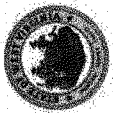
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

AGENCY: Secretary Of State TITLE-SERIES: 153-57
RULE TYPE: Procedural Amendment to Existing Rule: No Repeal of existing rule: No
RULE NAME: Exempt Purchasing for Critical Election Infrastructure

CITE STATUTORY AUTHORITY: W. Va. Code 51-1-12 and 5A-3-1

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NOTICE OF AN EMERGENCY RULE

AGENCY: Miners Health Safety And Training TITLE-SERIES: 56-03

RULE TYPE: Legislative Amendment to Existing Rule: Yes

RULE NAME: Rule Governing the Safety of Those Employed In
and Around Surface Mines in West Virginia

CITE STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR PROMULGATING EMERGENCY RULE:

W. Va. Code 22A-1-38

IF THE EMERGENCY RULE WAS PROMULGATED TO COMPLY WITH A TIME LIMIT ESTABLISHED BY CODE OR
FEDERAL STATUTE OR REGULATION, CITE THE CODE PROVISION, FEDERAL STATUTE OR REGULATION AND TIME
LIMIT ESTABLISHED THEREIN:

N/A

PRIMARY CONTACT:

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THE ABOVE RULE IS BEING FILED AS AN EMERGENCY RULE TO BECOME EFFECTIVE AFTER APPROVAL BY THE
SECRETARY OF STATE OR THE 42ND DAY AFTER FILING, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST. THE FACTS AND
CIRCUMSTANCES CONSTITUTING THE EMERGENCY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Orders Report

Docket Number	Agency	Respondent	Date Rendered
25-6-13446-X	Health Care Authority	United Hospital Center, Inc.	11/19/2025
24-6-13060-H	Health Care Authority	United Hospital Center, Inc.	11/19/2025
25-11-13384-P	Health Care Authority	WMC Physician Practice, LLC	11/19/2025
25-9-13389-P	Health Care Authority	West Virginia University Medical Corporation	11/19/2025
25-9-13400-P	Health Care Authority	West Virginia University Medical Corporation	11/19/2025
25-9-13410-P	Health Care Authority	West Virginia University Medical Corporation	11/19/2025
25-6-13460-X	Health Care Authority	RSCR West Virginia, Inc.	11/19/2025
25-1-13449-X	Health Care Authority	Council of the Southern Mountains	11/19/2025
25-4/6/7-13379-A	Health Care Authority	Adoration Hospice Care Acquisitions, LLC	11/12/2025
25-1C-183955	Insurance Commission	PHL Variable Insurance Company	11/28/2025
25-1C-185232	Insurance Commission	Caresource West Virginia Company	12/17/2025

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Notice of Review

December 16, 2025

NEWS ITEM

The West Virginia Health Care Authority (Authority), pursuant to the Certificate of Need program, has declared complete and accepted for review the expedited applications referenced below:

December 12, 2025 - Augusta Levy Learning Center, Inc., CON File #25-5/10/11-13465-BH, for the development of outpatient Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Waiver services in Ohio, Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Wetzel and Tyler Counties in West Virginia. Capital Expenditure \$0.

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An application that has been declared complete is one in which there is sufficient information for the Authority to make an informed decision. It does not mean that the approval of the application is warranted.

The review cycle begins on **December 15, 2025**.

On or before **January 13, 2026**, any affected person has the right to request that the Authority hold a public hearing on the projects as part of the review. If a public hearing is conducted during the course of the review, a notice of hearing, specifying the date, time and location of the hearing, will be issued to affected persons.

If no public hearing is requested, the file closing date will be **January 20, 2026**. After that date, no further information or evidence will be accepted by the Authority for the remainder of the review of the applications.

The Decision on the project referenced above will be issued by the Authority after it has reviewed the contents of the case files of the projects, including the application, additional information submitted to the Authority during the review, and the record of any Authority public hearing. If there is no request for public hearing, the Decision will be issued on or before **February 12, 2026**.

A press release will be issued after the Decision is made. Anyone wishing to be directly notified of the Decision should submit a written request to Gordon C. Lane, Jr., Interim Executive Director, Certificate of Need, West Virginia Health Care Authority, 100 Dee Drive, Charleston, West Virginia, 25311. Further information on any project referenced in this news release may be obtained by contacting the Certificate of Need office at telephone number (304) 558-7000.

December 2025
Date


Eddie Fuiks
CON Secretary
West Virginia Health Care Authority

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Charleston, West Virginia 25311-1600

12/15/2025

LEGAL NOTICE

The West Virginia Health Care Authority announces the following Certificate of Need activities for the week ending **12/12/2025**.

LETTER OF INTENT RECEIVED

December 12, 2025 - University Physicians & Surgeons Inc. and Cabell Huntington Hospital, Inc., CON File #25-2/3-13484-P, for the development of 28 ambulatory health care facilities in Cabell, Lincoln, Logan, Mason, Mingo, Putnam, and Wayne counties in West Virginia through the use of a mobile bus. The capital expenditure is projected to be approximately \$500,000.

CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION RECEIVED

December 11, 2025 - Camden-Clark Physician Corporation, CON File #25-5-13472-P, for the development of an ambulatory health care facility in Parkersburg, Wood County, West Virginia. Capital Expenditure \$600,000.

December 11, 2025 - Mercer County Opportunity Industries, CON File #25-1-13474-BH, for the provision of IDD Waiver Services in Mercer, Monroe and Summers Counties in West Virginia. Capital Expenditure \$0.

APPLICATIONS DECLARED COMPLETE AND UNDER REVIEW

December 12, 2025 - Augusta Levy Learning Center, CON File #25-5/10/11-13465-BH, for the development of outpatient Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Waiver services in Ohio, Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Wetzel and Tyler Counties in West Virginia. Capital Expenditure \$0.

PROJECTS DETERMINED NOT REVIEWABLE

December 10, 2025 - Council of the Southern Mountains, CON File #25-1-13449-X, for the complete office relocation at 148 McDowell Street, Welch, McDowell County, West Virginia to 21 Bank Street, Welch, McDowell County, West Virginia.

December 10, 2025 - RSCR West Virginia, Inc., CON File #25-6-13460-X, for the reestablishment of eight (8) adult Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with

Intellectual Disabilities ("ICF/IID") beds.

December 10, 2025 - United Hospital Center, Inc., CON File #25-6-13446-X, for the development of inpatient psychiatric services through the addition of twelve (12) inpatient psychiatric beds and related renovation of the hospital. The capital cost related to the project is approximately \$2,400,000.

CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPROVAL ISSUED

December 11, 2025 - West Virginia University Medical Corporation, CON File #25-9-13410-P, to provide diagnostic imaging services for all residents of the service area, Inwood, Berkeley County, West Virginia. The capital expenditure associated with the project is \$10,000.00.

December 11, 2025 - West Virginia University Medical Corporation, CON File #25-9-13400-P, to provide diagnostic imaging services to persons that are not patients of the United Health Associates urgent care services in Charles Town, Jefferson County, West Virginia. The capital expenditure associated with the project is \$10,000.00.

Further information may be obtained on any of the above-referenced projects by contacting The West Virginia Healthcare Authority Staff at 305.558.7000.

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