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With this issue the West Virginia Law Review begins its seventy-seventh year of publication. The Law Review, established in 1894, has a long tradition of service to the West Virginia Bar, and its utility to the West Virginia practitioner cannot be duplicated in any other publication.

Volume 77 begins with an entirely new undertaking for the Law Review, an extensive review of the pending West Virginia Corporation Act. This survey is the culmination of more than six months work on the part of nine members of the Student Board of Editors under the supervision of Associate Dean John W. Fisher, II and Michael D. Foster. The purposes are to compare the present corporation statutes with the pending Corporation Act, to illuminate the uncertain provisions of the pending Act, and to offer amendments where necessary. The article is not intended as a comprehensive, in-depth study of every aspect of the Act.

On November 15, 1974, the West Virginia Law Review, in conjunction with the Continuing Legal Education Committee of the West Virginia State Bar, presented a seminar on the pending West Virginia Corporation Act. In addition to the members of the Special Committee to Study the Recodification of the Corporation Laws of West Virginia, the seminar was attended by about fifty lawyers from throughout the State. The seminar was another first for the West Virginia Law Review, and we believe that these types of programs should be continued as a regular part of Law Review activities.

We invite and, indeed, urge your critical comments and recommendations regarding this issue, and any suggestions as to how we can improve the Law Review will be welcomed.

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