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In several respects, Volume 78 marks the beginning of a new era for the West Virginia Law Review. The Law Review is operating this year with a new organizational structure—one which we believe will enhance the overall quality of the publication. Additionally, by going to a subscription basis of distribution, the Law Review has taken a significant step forward in relieving some of the financial problems that have plagued us in the past. Most importantly, however, through the publication in this issue of *Survey of Developments in West Virginia Law*, the Law Review has established what we hope will be the beginning of a long tradition of service to the West Virginia bar.

In publishing the *Survey of Developments in West Virginia Law*, the Law Review has embarked on a course of action which reflects our emphasis on service to the West Virginia practitioner. Publication of this *Survey* was guided by our desire to provide West Virginia lawyers with materials highly relevant to their practice. The *Survey* provides an overview of West Virginia Supreme Court cases decided in 1975-1976. Although it does not attempt an in depth analysis of each decision, it does attempt to provide our readers with an awareness of recent trends and developments in the law in West Virginia. We invite you to read this article critically and we welcome your comments and suggestions, whether in organization, content or readability.

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