WV STATE EMPLOYEE PAY RAISE PETITION - 2005

We, the undersigned state employees, support AFSCME's salary increase proposal of 'NOT ONE PENNY LESS' than the teachers in our state. State Employees are long overdue for salary increases. The last increase was over three years ago in the 2nd year of the Wise Administration and was a very disappointing half a raise of $500. For over 2 decades WV state employee salaries ranked 47th, 48th or 49th in the nation. **We deserve better!**

In addition, we also urge the repeal of the 80-20 legislation which will drastically increase PEIA premiums. Salary increases should not be consumed by increased PEIA premiums.

AGENCY_____ COUNTY / LOCATION_____

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Please Return to AFSCME West Virginia by September 6, 2005. These petitions will be copied and presented to the Governor, Senate President and Speaker of the House. Circulate among all your coworkers and additional copies can be printed from www.afscmewv.org.

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