

# VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 2000 SESSION

## CHAPTER 374

*An Act to amend and reenact § 7.1-41 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the Senate armorial bearings.*

[S 194]

Approved April 4, 2000

**Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

**1. That § 7.1-41 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 7.1-41. Use of Senate armorial bearings.

The utilization of any armorial bearings adopted by the Senate of Virginia as their official armorial bearings shall carry the following protections:

1. Only current and former members of the Senate of Virginia *and the Clerk of the Senate* shall have the authority to utilize such armorial bearings or any facsimile or representations thereof.

~~2. Representations of such armorial bearings used by current members of the Senate shall be colored gold.~~

~~3.~~ 2. Representations of such armorial bearings used by former members of the Senate shall be colored blue.

~~4.~~ 3. Such use shall not be for any commercial purpose.

~~5.~~ 4. Any person violating the provisions of subdivision 1 herein shall be punished as for a Class 3 misdemeanor. Any person violating the provisions of subdivisions 2, *and* 3, ~~or~~ 4 herein shall be punished as for a Class 4 misdemeanor.