

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 46.2-651 of the Code of Virginia, relating to one-trip permits for*  
3 *transportation to Virginia of certain vehicles purchased in other states.*

4 [H 1375]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 46.2-651 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

8 § 46.2-651. One-trip permits; regulations; fees.

9 A. The Department may, on application on forms provided by the Department, issue a one-trip permit  
10 to any owner of a motor vehicle, trailer, or semitrailer which would otherwise be subject to registration  
11 plates but is not currently registered. If the vehicle operating under the permit is a vehicle designed as a  
12 property-carrying vehicle, it shall be unladen at the time of operation under the permit. The permit shall  
13 be valid for three days and shall show the registration or permit number, the date of issue, the date of  
14 expiration, the make of vehicle, the vehicle identification number, the beginning point and the point of  
15 destination. Any vehicle so operated shall only operate between the beginning and destination points.  
16 The fee for the permit shall be five dollars.

17 B. For vehicles to be purchased in another state by a Virginia resident and registered in Virginia,  
18 the Department shall issue to the prospective purchaser upon his application therefor one-trip permits  
19 as provided in subsection A of this section, except that permits issued under this subsection shall not be  
20 valid unless and until the prospective purchaser receives an original bill of sale pertaining to the  
21 vehicle purchased. Permits issued under this subsection shall be valid for three days, beginning on the  
22 date of the original bill of sale, and shall be kept with the original bill of sale in the purchased vehicle  
23 at all times during the trip until the vehicle is properly registered with the Department. Any vehicle so  
24 operated shall only operate between the beginning and destination points. The Commissioner may  
25 charge a reasonable fee, adequate to recover the Department's costs, for the issuance of permits under  
26 this subsection, and may promulgate such regulations as he deems necessary or convenient in carrying  
27 out the provisions of this subsection.

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