2000 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL NO. 467

Offered January 17, 2000

2 3 A BILL to amend and reenact § 20-21 of the Code of Virginia, relating to list of marriage licenses not 4 5 6 7 8 returned.

Patrons-McDonnell and Wardrup

Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

10 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 20-21 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows: 11

12 § 20-21. Clerk to furnish attorney for the Commonwealth list of licenses not returned by minister.

13 It shall be the duty of every clerk issuing marriage licenses on the first day of February no later than March 31 of each year to furnish to the attorney for the Commonwealth of his county or city a list of 14 all marriage licenses issued for the year just preceding the first day of January last past during the 15 preceding calendar year that have not been returned by the minister or other person celebrating the 16 marriage, and for failure to perform the duty required by this section the clerk shall be liable, on 17 18 conviction, to a fine of twenty dollars.

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