

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Chapter 5 of Title 2.1 a section numbered*
3 *2.1-51.6:6, relating to the Governor's substance abuse prevention program.*

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5 Approved

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

7 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Chapter 5 of Title 2.1 a section numbered**
8 **2.1-51.6:6 as follows:**

9 *§ 2.1-51.6:6. Governor to administer substance abuse prevention program.*

10 *It shall be the responsibility of the Governor to administer the substance abuse prevention program*
11 *within this Commonwealth and to authorize, direct, and coordinate activities of agencies of this*
12 *Commonwealth in such program. The Governor is hereby empowered to establish an office of substance*
13 *abuse prevention within the office of the Governor to assist in the coordination of the substance abuse*
14 *prevention activities of the Commonwealth, review substance abuse prevention program expenditures by*
15 *agencies of the Commonwealth, and determine the direction and appropriateness of such expenditures.*
16 *The Governor shall cooperate with federal, state and local agencies, private and public agencies,*
17 *interested organizations, and individuals in order to prevent substance abuse within this Commonwealth.*
18 *The Governor shall report annually by December 1 of each year to the General Assembly on the*
19 *activities of the office.*

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