SENATE BILL NO. 333

Offered January 19, 2000

A BILL to amend and reenact §§ 15.2-2226 and 15.2-2229 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the comprehensive plan.

Patrons-Martin, Marsh and Watkins; Delegates: Cox, DeBoer, Ingram, Nixon, Reid and Ware

Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That §§ 15.2-2226 and 15.2-2229 of the Code of Virginia are amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 15.2-2226. Adoption or disapproval of plan by governing body.

After certification of the plan or part thereof, the governing body, after a public hearing with notice as required by § 15.2-2204, shall proceed to a consideration of the plan or part thereof and shall approve and adopt, amend and adopt, or disapprove the plan. *In acting on the plan or part thereof, or any amendments to the plan,* Thethe governing body shall act within ninety days of the local planning commission's recommending resolution.

§ 15.2-2229. Amendments.

After the adoption of a comprehensive plan, all amendments to it shall be recommended, and approved and adopted, respectively, as required by § 15.2-2204. If the governing body desires an amendment it may direct the local planning commission to prepare an amendment and submit it to public hearing within sixty days after formal written request by the governing body. In acting on any amendments to the plan, the governing body shall act within ninety days of the local planning commission's recommending resolution.