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HOUSE BILL NO. 793

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A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 22.1-208.2:1.2, relating to instructional materials in systematic and explicit phonics.

Patrons—Bolvin, Reese and Welch

Referred to Committee on Education

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 22.1-208.2:1.2 as follows:

§ 22.1-208.2:1.2. Instructional materials in phonics.

Local school boards shall make available to all teachers employed in grades prekindergarten through three, special education, and in English as a second language, or as reading specialists, materials to assist in the provision of instruction in systematic and explicit phonics.

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