

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 54.1-516.1, relating to the*  
3 *Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; Board for Asbestos, Lead, and Home*  
4 *Inspectors; summary suspension of licenses.*

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6 Approved

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

8 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 54.1-516.1 as follows:**

9 *§ 54.1-516.1. Summary suspension of licenses or approvals; allegations to be in writing.*

10 *The Board may suspend the license or the approval of any (i) accredited training program, (ii)*  
11 *training manager or (iii) principal instructor of any person holding a license issued by it without a*  
12 *hearing simultaneously with the institution of proceedings for a hearing or an informal fact finding*  
13 *conference, if the relevant board finds that there is a substantial danger to the public health or safety*  
14 *that warrants this action. The Board may meet by telephone conference call when summarily suspending*  
15 *a license or the approval of an accredited training program, training manager or principal instructor if*  
16 *a good faith effort to assemble a quorum of the Board has failed and, in the judgment of a majority of*  
17 *the members of the Board, the continued practice by the licensee or approved individual or training*  
18 *program constitutes a substantial danger to the public health or safety. Institution of proceedings for a*  
19 *hearing or an informal fact finding conference shall be provided simultaneously with the summary*  
20 *suspension. Such hearing or conference shall be scheduled within a reasonable time of the date of the*  
21 *summary suspension. Allegations of violations of this section shall be made in accordance with*  
22 *§ 54.1-307.1.*

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