

VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 2005 SESSION

CHAPTER 463

An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 63.2-505.1, relating to eligibility for food stamp benefits.

[H 2268]

Approved March 21, 2005

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

- 1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 63.2-505.1 as follows:**

§ 63.2-505.1. Transitional food stamp benefits.

To the extent permitted by federal law, the Department shall provide transitional food stamp benefits for a period of not more than five months after the date on which Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) cash assistance is terminated. However, no household shall be eligible for transitional food stamp benefits if TANF cash assistance was terminated because all children in the assistance unit were removed from the home as a result of a child protective services investigation.