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### HOUSE BILL NO. 280

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*A BILL to amend and reenact § 46.2-337 of the Code of Virginia, relating to issuance of a license to operate a motorcycle.*

Patrons—BaCote, Eisenberg, Englin, Jones, D.C., Miller, Scott, J.M., Spruill and Watts

Referred to Committee on Transportation

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

#### **1. That § 46.2-337 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 46.2-337. Passage of motorcycle rider training course certified by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation prerequisite for licensure to operate motorcycle; regulations.

No person shall ~~drive~~ *be licensed to drive* any motorcycle on a highway in the Commonwealth unless he has passed a ~~special examination, including written material and a road test, pertaining to his ability to drive a motorcycle with reasonable competence and with safety to other persons using the highways~~ *motorcycle rider training course certified by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation. The Department shall adopt regulations as may be necessary to provide for the special examination under § 46.2-325 of persons desiring to qualify to drive motorcycles in the Commonwealth and for the granting of licenses or permits suitably endorsed for qualified applicants.*

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