

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 18.2-323.02, relating to*  
3 *prohibition against concealment of dead body; penalty.*

4 [H 1777]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 18.2-323.02 as follows:**8 *§ 18.2-323.02. Prohibition against concealment of dead body; penalty.*

9 *Any person who transports, secretes, conceals or alters a dead body, as defined in § 32.1-249, with*  
10 *malicious intent and to prevent detection of an unlawful act or to prevent the detection of the death or*  
11 *the manner or cause of death is guilty of a Class 6 felony.*

12 **2. That the provisions of this act may result in a net increase in periods of imprisonment or**  
13 **commitment. Pursuant to § 30-19.1:4, the estimated amount of the necessary appropriation cannot**  
14 **be determined for periods of imprisonment in state adult correctional facilities and is \$0 for**  
15 **periods of commitment to the custody of the Department of Juvenile Justice.**

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