## 076386428 **HOUSE BILL NO. 2781** 1 2 3 4 5 Offered January 10, 2007 Prefiled January 10, 2007 A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Article 15 of Chapter 1 of Title 33.1 a section numbered 33.1-223.2:17, relating to transfer of highways, highway rights-of-way, and landings by 6 Commonwealth Transportation Board to control of public access authorities. 7 Patrons—Morgan and Wittman 8 9 Referred to Committee on Transportation 10 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 11 1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding Article 15 of Chapter 1 of Title 33.1 a section 12 13 numbered 33.1-223.2:17 as follows: § 33.1-223.2:17. Commonwealth Transportation Board may transfer interest in and control over 14

certain highways, highway rights-of-way, and landings.

Notwithstanding any contrary provision of this title, the Commonwealth Transportation Board, upon receipt of a written request from a public access authority established pursuant to Title 15.2 and without first abandoning or discontinuing such highway, highway right-of-way, or landing, may transfer to such authority any and all rights and interests of the Board in such highway, highway right-of-way,

and landing as the Board may deem in the public interest. Such transfer may be either with or without

compensation from the authority.

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