

# VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 2008 SESSION

## CHAPTER 578

*An Act to amend and reenact § 18.2-108 of the Code of Virginia, relating to receiving stolen goods; penalty.*

[H 159]

Approved March 12, 2008

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

**1. That § 18.2-108 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 18.2-108. Receiving, etc., stolen goods.

A. If any person ~~buy or receive~~ *buys or receives* from another person, or ~~aid~~ *aids* in concealing, any stolen goods or other thing, knowing the same to have been stolen, he shall be deemed guilty of larceny thereof, and may be proceeded against, although the principal offender ~~be~~ *is* not convicted.

B. *If any person buys or receives any goods or other thing, used in the course of a criminal investigation by law enforcement that such person believes to have been stolen, he shall be deemed guilty of larceny thereof.*

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