

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act for the relief of Anthony Fields.*

3 [H 688]

4 Approved

5 Whereas, Anthony Fields (Mr. Fields) was convicted on December 20, 1993, of possession of
6 cocaine; and7 Whereas, Mr. Fields was given credit for time previously served, and was paroled on March 11,
8 1999; and9 Whereas, Mr. Fields was arrested for a parole violation and returned to incarceration on May 17,
10 1999; and11 Whereas, the date recorded on official records as his return to incarceration was erroneously listed as
12 May 17, 2000, not May 17, 1999; and

13 Whereas, the error in the records was not discovered until September of 2003; and

14 Whereas, Mr. Fields was released from incarceration on September 12, 2003; and

15 Whereas, Mr. Fields should have been released from incarceration on September 25, 2002, but for
16 the erroneously recorded return date; and17 Whereas, due to the error, Mr. Fields served 12 more months than his sentence required him to
18 serve; and19 Whereas, Mr. Fields has not been arrested or incarcerated since his release in September 2003; now,
20 therefore,21 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**22 **1. § 1.** *That there shall be paid for the relief of Anthony Fields from the State Insurance Reserve Trust*
23 *Fund of the state treasury, upon execution of a release and waiver forever releasing (i) the*
24 *Commonwealth or any agency, instrumentality, officer, employee, or political subdivision thereof, (ii)*
25 *any legal counsel appointed pursuant to § 19.2-159 of the Code of Virginia, and (iii) all other parties of*
26 *interest from any present or future claims he may have against such enumerated parties in connection*
27 *with the aforesaid occurrence, the sum of \$32,544 on or before August 1, 2008, by check issued by the*
28 *State Treasurer on warrant of the Comptroller.*