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086210232 1 **SENATE BILL NO. 490** 2 3 4 5 6 Offered January 9, 2008 Prefiled January 9, 2008 A BILL to direct the Board of Education to develop a plan to withdraw from participation in the federal No Child Left Behind Act. Patrons—Hanger; Delegate: Landes 7 8 Referred to Committee on Education and Health 9 10 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 1.§. 1. Unless waivers that allow Virginia's existing educational accountability system, as set forth in the 11 Standards of Quality, Standards of Learning, and Standards of Accreditation, to substantially meet the 12 requirements of the federal No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act are granted by the U.S. Department of 13 14 Education, the Board of Education shall develop a plan to withdraw from participation in NCLB by 15 June 30, 2009.