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VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - CHAPTER

An Act to amend and reenact § 46.2-208 of the Code of Virginia and to amend the Code of Virginia by 2 3 adding in Article 1 of Chapter 8 of Title 46.2 a section numbered 46.2-819.5, relating to enforcement 4 of use of a photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification system; Dulles Access 5 Highway.

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8 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

9 1. That § 46.2-208 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted and that the Code of Virginia 10 is amended by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 8 of Title 46.2 a section numbered 46.2-819.5 as follows: 11

12 § 46.2-208. Records of Department; when open for inspection; release of privileged information.

13 A. All records in the office of the Department containing the specific classes of information outlined below shall be considered privileged records: 14

1. Personal information, including all data defined as "personal information" in § 2.2-3801;

2. Driver information, including all data that relates to driver's license status and driver activity; and

16 17 3. Vehicle information, including all descriptive vehicle data and title, registration, and vehicle 18 activity data. 19

B. The Commissioner shall release such information only under the following conditions:

20 1. Notwithstanding other provisions of this section, medical data included in personal data shall be 21 released only to a physician physician assistant, or nurse practitioner as provided in § 46.2-322. 22

2. Insurance data may be released as specified in §§ 46.2-372, 46.2-380, and 46.2-706.

23 3. Notwithstanding other provisions of this section, information disclosed or furnished shall be 24 assessed a fee as specified in § 46.2-214.

25 4. When the person requesting the information is (i) the subject of the information, (ii) the parent or 26 guardian of the subject of the information, (iii) the authorized representative of the subject of the 27 information, or (iv) the owner of the vehicle that is the subject of the information, the Commissioner 28 shall provide him with the requested information and a complete explanation of it. Requests for such 29 information need not be made in writing or in person and may be made orally or by telephone, provided 30 that the Department is satisfied that there is adequate verification of the requester's identity. When so 31 requested in writing by (a) the subject of the information, (b) the parent or guardian of the subject of 32 the information, (c) the authorized representative of the subject of the information, or (d) the owner of 33 the vehicle that is the subject of the information, the Commissioner shall verify and, if necessary, correct 34 the personal information provided and furnish driver and vehicle information in the form of an abstract 35 of the record.

36 5. On the written request of any insurance carrier, surety, or representative of an insurance carrier or 37 surety, the Commissioner shall furnish such insurance carrier, surety, or representative an abstract of the 38 record of any person subject to the provisions of this title. The abstract shall include any record of any 39 conviction of a violation of any provision of any statute or ordinance relating to the operation or 40 ownership of a motor vehicle or of any injury or damage in which he was involved and a report of 41 which is required by § 46.2-372. No such report of any conviction or accident shall be made after 60 42 months from the date of the conviction or accident unless the Commissioner or court used the 43 conviction or accident as a reason for the suspension or revocation of a driver's license or driving privilege, in which case the revocation or suspension and any conviction or accident pertaining thereto 44 45 shall not be reported after 60 months from the date that the driver's license or driving privilege has been 46 reinstated. This abstract shall not be admissible in evidence in any court proceedings.

47 6. On the written request of any business organization or its agent, in the conduct of its business, the Commissioner shall compare personal information supplied by the business organization or agent with 48 that contained in the Department's records and, when the information supplied by the business 49 50 organization or agent is different from that contained in the Department's records, provide the business organization or agent with correct information as contained in the Department's records. Personal 51 information provided under this subdivision shall be used solely for the purpose of pursuing remedies 52 53 that require locating an individual.

54 7. The Commissioner shall provide vehicle information to any business organization or agent on such 55 business' or agent's written request. Disclosures made under this subdivision shall not include any 56 personal information and shall not be subject to the limitations contained in subdivision 6 of this HB1295ER2

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57 subsection.

58 8. On the written request of any motor vehicle rental or leasing company or its designated agent, the 59 Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information supplied by the company or agent with that 60 contained in the Department's records and, when the information supplied by the company or agent is 61 different from that contained in the Department's records, provide the company or agent with correct 62 information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide the company or agent with driver 63 information in the form of an abstract of any person subject to the provisions of this title. Such abstract 64 shall include any record of any conviction of a violation of any provision of any statute or ordinance 65 relating to the operation or ownership of a motor vehicle or of any injury or damage in which the 66 subject of the abstract was involved and a report of which is required by § 46.2-372. No such abstract 67 shall include any record of any conviction or accident more than 60 months after the date of such conviction or accident unless the Commissioner or court used the conviction or accident as a reason for 68 69 the suspension or revocation of a driver's license or driving privilege, in which case the revocation or 70 suspension and any conviction or accident pertaining thereto shall cease to be included in such abstract after 60 months from the date on which the driver's license or driving privilege was reinstated. No 71 72 abstract released under this subdivision shall be admissible in evidence in any court proceedings.

73 9. On the request of any federal, state, or local governmental entity, local government group 74 self-insurance pool, law-enforcement officer, attorney for the Commonwealth, court, or the authorized 75 agent of any of the foregoing, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information supplied by the 76 governmental entity, local government group self-insurance pool, law-enforcement officer, attorney for 77 the Commonwealth, court, or the authorized agent of any of the foregoing, with that contained in the 78 Department's records and, when the information supplied by the governmental entity, local government 79 group self-insurance pool, law-enforcement officer, attorney for the Commonwealth, court, or the 80 authorized agent of any of the foregoing, is different from that contained in the Department's records, 81 provide the governmental entity, local government group self-insurance pool, law-enforcement officer, 82 attorney for the Commonwealth, court, or the authorized agent of any of the foregoing, with correct 83 information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide driver and vehicle information in 84 the form of an abstract of the record showing all convictions, accidents, driver's license suspensions or 85 revocations, and other appropriate information as the governmental entity, local government group 86 self-insurance pool, law-enforcement officer, attorney for the Commonwealth, court, or the authorized 87 agent of any of the foregoing, may require in order to carry out its official functions. The abstract shall 88 be provided free of charge.

89 10. On request of the driver licensing authority in any other state or foreign country, the
90 Commissioner shall provide whatever classes of information the requesting authority shall require in
91 order to carry out its official functions. The information shall be provided free of charge.

92 11. On the written request of any employer, prospective employer, or authorized agent of either, and 93 with the written consent of the individual concerned, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal 94 information supplied by the employer, prospective employer, or agent with that contained in the 95 Department's records and, when the information supplied by the employer, prospective employer, or 96 agent is different from that contained in the Department's records, provide the employer, prospective 97 employer, or agent with correct information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide the 98 employer, prospective employer, or agent with driver information in the form of an abstract of an 99 individual's record showing all convictions, accidents, driver's license suspensions or revocations, and 100 any type of driver's license that the individual currently possesses, provided that the individual's position 101 or the position that the individual is being considered for involves the operation of a motor vehicle.

102 12. On the written request of any member of or applicant for membership in a volunteer fire 103 company or volunteer rescue squad, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information supplied 104 by the volunteer fire company or volunteer rescue squad with that contained in the Department's records 105 and, when the information supplied by the volunteer fire company or volunteer rescue squad is different 106 from that contained in the Department's records, provide the volunteer fire company or volunteer rescue 107 squad with correct information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide driver 108 information in the form of an abstract of the member's or applicant's record showing all convictions, 109 accidents, license suspensions or revocations, and any type of driver's license that the individual 110 currently possesses. Such abstract shall be provided free of charge if the request is accompanied by appropriate written evidence that the person is a member of or applicant for membership in a volunteer 111 112 fire company or volunteer rescue squad and the abstract is needed by a volunteer fire company or volunteer rescue squad to establish the qualifications of the member or applicant to operate equipment 113 114 owned by the volunteer fire company or volunteer rescue squad.

115 13. On the written request of any person who has applied to be a volunteer with a Virginia affiliate
of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information
117 supplied by a Virginia affiliate of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America with that contained in the

Department's records and, when the information supplied by a Virginia affiliate of Big Brothers/Big 118 119 Sisters of America is different from that contained in the Department's records, provide the Virginia 120 affiliate of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America with correct information as contained in the 121 Department's records and (ii) provide driver information in the form of an abstract of the applicant's 122 record showing all convictions, accidents, license suspensions or revocations, and any type of driver's 123 license that the individual currently possesses. Such abstract shall be provided at a fee that is one-half 124 the normal charge if the request is accompanied by appropriate written evidence that the person has 125 applied to be a volunteer with a Virginia affiliate of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America.

126 14. On the written request of any person who has applied to be a volunteer with a court-appointed
127 special advocate program pursuant to § 9.1-153, the Commissioner shall provide an abstract of the
128 applicant's record showing all convictions, accidents, license suspensions or revocations, and any type of
129 driver's license that the individual currently possesses. Such abstract shall be provided free of charge if
130 the request is accompanied by appropriate written evidence that the person has applied to be a volunteer
131 with a court-appointed special advocate program pursuant to § 9.1-153.

132 15. Upon the request of any employer, prospective employer, or authorized representative of either, 133 the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information supplied by the employer, prospective employer, or agent with that contained in the Department's records and, when the information supplied 134 135 by the employer, prospective employer, or agent is different from that contained in the Department's 136 records, provide the employer, prospective employer, or agent with correct information as contained in 137 the Department's records and (ii) provide driver information in the form of an abstract of the driving 138 record of any individual who has been issued a commercial driver's license, provided that the 139 individual's position or the position that the individual is being considered for involves the operation of **140** a commercial motor vehicle. Such abstract shall show all convictions, accidents, license suspensions, 141 revocations, or disqualifications, and any type of driver's license that the individual currently possesses.

142 16. Upon the receipt of a completed application and payment of applicable processing fees, the
143 Commissioner may enter into an agreement with any governmental authority or business to exchange
144 information specified in this section by electronic or other means.

145 17. Upon the request of an attorney representing a person in a motor vehicle accident, the146 Commissioner shall provide vehicle information, including the owner's name and address, to the147 attorney.

148 18. Upon the request, in the course of business, of any authorized representative of an insurance 149 company or of any not-for-profit entity organized to prevent and detect insurance fraud, or perform 150 rating and underwriting activities, the Commissioner shall provide to such person (i) all vehicle 151 information, including the owner's name and address, descriptive data and title, registration, and vehicle 152 activity data as requested or (ii) all driver information including name, license number and classification, 153 date of birth, and address information for each driver under the age of 22 licensed in the 154 Commonwealth of Virginia meeting the request criteria designated by such person, with such request 155 criteria consisting of driver's license number or address information. No such information shall be used 156 for solicitation of sales, marketing, or other commercial purposes.

157 19. Upon the request of an officer authorized to issue criminal warrants, for the purpose of issuing a
warrant for arrest for unlawful disposal of trash or refuse in violation of § 33.1-346, the Commissioner
shall provide vehicle information, including the owner's name and address.

160 20. Upon written request of the compliance agent of a private security services business, as defined
161 in § 9.1-138, which is licensed by the Department of Criminal Justice Services, the Commissioner shall
162 provide the name and address of the owner of the vehicle under procedures determined by the
163 Commissioner.

164 21. Upon the request of the operator of a toll facility, or of the Dulles Access Highway, or an authorized agent or employee of a toll facility operator or the Dulles Access Highway, for the purpose of obtaining vehicle owner data under subsection L of § 46.2-819.1 or subsection N of § 46.2-819.5.
167 Information released pursuant to this subdivision shall be limited to the name and address of the registered owner of the vehicle having failed to pay a toll or having improperly used the Dulles Access Highway and the vehicle information, including all descriptive vehicle data and title and registration data of the same vehicle.

171 22. On the written request of any person who has applied to be a volunteer with a Virginia affiliate 172 of Compeer, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information supplied by a Virginia affiliate of 173 Compeer with that contained in the Department's records and, when the information supplied by a Virginia affiliate of Compeer is different from that contained in the Department's records, provide the 174 175 Virginia affiliate of Compeer with correct information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) 176 provide driver information in the form of an abstract of the applicant's record showing all convictions, accidents, license suspensions or revocations, and any type of driver's license that the individual 177 178 currently possesses. Such abstract shall be provided at a fee that is one-half the normal charge if the

179 request is accompanied by appropriate written evidence that the person has applied to be a volunteer 180 with a Virginia affiliate of Compeer.

181 23. Upon the request of the Department of Environmental Quality for the purpose of obtaining 182 vehicle owner data in connection with enforcement actions involving on-road testing of motor vehicles, 183 pursuant to § 46.2-1178.1.

184 24. On the written request of any person who has applied to be a volunteer vehicle operator with a Virginia chapter of the American Red Cross, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information 185 186 supplied by a Virginia chapter of the American Red Cross with that contained in the Department's 187 records and, when the information supplied by a Virginia chapter of the American Red Cross is different 188 from that contained in the Department's records, provide the Virginia chapter of the American Red Cross 189 with correct information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide driver information in 190 the form of an abstract of the applicant's record showing all convictions, accidents, license suspensions 191 or revocations, and any type of driver's license that the individual currently possesses. Such abstract 192 shall be provided at a fee that is one-half the normal charge if the request is accompanied by appropriate written evidence that the person has applied to be a volunteer vehicle operator with a 193 Virginia chapter of the American Red Cross. 194

195 25. On the written request of any person who has applied to be a volunteer vehicle operator with a 196 Virginia chapter of the Civil Air Patrol, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information 197 supplied by a Virginia chapter of the Civil Air Patrol with that contained in the Department's records 198 and, when the information supplied by a Virginia chapter of the Civil Air Patrol is different from that 199 contained in the Department's records, provide the Virginia chapter of the Civil Air Patrol with correct 200 information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide driver information in the form of 201 an abstract of the applicant's record showing all convictions, accidents, license suspensions or 202 revocations, and any type of driver's license that the individual currently possesses. Such abstract shall 203 be provided at a fee that is one-half the normal charge if the request is accompanied by appropriate 204 written evidence that the person has applied to be a volunteer vehicle operator with a Virginia chapter of 205 the Civil Air Patrol.

206 26. On the written request of any person who has applied to be a volunteer vehicle operator with 207 Faith in Action, the Commissioner shall (i) compare personal information supplied by Faith in Action 208 with that contained in the Department's records and, when the information supplied by Faith in Action is 209 different from that contained in the Department's records, provide Faith in Action with correct 210 information as contained in the Department's records and (ii) provide driver information in the form of 211 an abstract of the applicant's record showing all convictions, accidents, license suspensions or 212 revocations, and any type of driver's license that the individual currently possesses. Such abstract shall 213 be provided at a fee that is one-half the normal charge if the request is accompanied by appropriate 214 written evidence that the person has applied to be a volunteer vehicle operator with Faith in Action.

215 C. Whenever the Commissioner issues an order to suspend or revoke the driver's license or driving privilege of any individual, he may notify the National Driver Register Service operated by the United 216 217 States Department of Transportation and any similar national driver information system and provide 218 whatever classes of information the authority may require. 219

D. Accident reports may be inspected under the provisions of §§ 46.2-379 and 46.2-380.

220 E. Whenever the Commissioner takes any licensing action pursuant to the provisions of the Virginia 221 Commercial Driver's License Act (§ 46.2-341.1 et seq.), he may provide information to the Commercial 222 Driver License Information System, or any similar national commercial driver information system, 223 regarding such action.

224 F. In addition to the foregoing provisions of this section, vehicle information may also be inspected 225 under the provisions of §§ 46.2-633, 46.2-644.02, 46.2-644.03, and §§ 46.2-1200.1 through 46.2-1237.

226 G. The Department may promulgate regulations to govern the means by which personal, vehicle, and 227 driver information is requested and disseminated.

228 H. Driving records of any person accused of an offense involving the operation of a motor vehicle 229 shall be provided by the Commissioner upon request to any person acting as counsel for the accused. If 230 such counsel is from the public defender's office or has been appointed by the court, such records shall 231 be provided free of charge.

232 I. The Department shall maintain the records of persons convicted of violations of § 18.2-36.2, 233 subsection B of § 29.1-738, and §§ 29.1-738.02, 29.1-738.2, and 29.1-738.4 which shall be forwarded by 234 every general district court or circuit court or the clerk thereof, pursuant to § 46.2-383. Such records 235 shall be electronically available to any law-enforcement officer as provided for under clause (ii) of 236 subdivision B 9.

237 § 46.2-819.5. Enforcement through use of photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification 238 system in conjunction with usage of Dulles Access Highway.

239 A. A photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification system established at locations 240 along the Dulles Access Highway, in order to identify vehicles that are using the Dulles Access Highway 241 in violation of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (Authority) regulation regarding usage, 242 which makes violations of the regulation subject to civil penalties, shall be administered in accordance 243 with this section. The civil penalties for violations of such regulation may not exceed the following: \$50 244 for the first violation; \$100 for a second violation within one year from the first violation; \$250 for a 245 third violation within two years from the second violation; and \$500 for a fourth and any subsequent 246 violation within three years from the second violation. In the event a violation of the Authority 247 regulation is identified via the photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification system, the 248 operator of the Dulles Access Highway shall send a notice of the violation, of the applicable civil 249 penalty and of any administrative fee calculated in accordance with subsection C to the registered 250 owner of the vehicle identified by the system prior to seeking further remedies under this section. Upon 251 receipt of the notice, the registered owner of the vehicle may elect to avoid any action by the operator 252 to enforce the violation in court by waiving his right to a court hearing, pleading guilty to the violation, 253 and paying a reduced civil penalty along with any applicable administrative fee to the operator. Should 254 the recipient of the notice make such an election, the amount of the reduced civil penalty shall be as 255 follows: \$30 for the first violation; \$50 for a second violation within one year from the first violation; 256 \$125 for a third violation within two years from the second violation; and \$250 for a fourth and any 257 subsequent violations within three years from the second violation.

258 B. Information collected by the photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification system 259 referenced in subsection A shall be limited exclusively to that information that is necessary for 260 identifying those drivers who improperly use the Dulles Access Highway in violation of the Authority regulation. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, all photographs, microphotographs, electronic 261 images, or other data collected by a photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification system 262 shall be used exclusively for the identification of violators and shall not (i) be open to the public; (ii) be 263 264 sold or used for sales, solicitation, or marketing purposes; (iii) be disclosed to any other entity except 265 as may be necessary for the identification of violators or to a vehicle owner or operator as part of a 266 challenge to the imposition of a civil penalty; or (iv) be used in a court in a pending action or 267 proceeding unless the action or proceeding relates to a violation of the Authority regulation governing 268 usage of the Dulles Access Highway or upon order from a court of competent jurisdiction. Information 269 collected by the system shall be protected in a database with security comparable to that of the 270 Department of Motor Vehicles' system, and be purged and not retained later than 30 days after the 271 collection and reconciliation of any civil penalties and administrative fees. The operator of the Dulles 272 Access Highway shall annually certify compliance with this subsection and make all records pertaining 273 to such system available for inspection and audit by the Commonwealth Transportation Commissioner or the Commissioner of the Department of Motor Vehicles or their designee. Any violation of this 274 275 subsection shall constitute a Class 1 misdemeanor. In addition to any fines or other penalties provided 276 for by law, any money or other thing of value obtained as a result of a violation of this subsection shall 277 be forfeited to the Commonwealth.

278 C. The operator of the Dulles Access Highway may impose and collect an administrative fee, in 279 addition to the civil penalty established by regulation, so as to recover the expenses of collecting the 280 civil penalty, which administrative fee shall be reasonably related to the actual cost of collecting the 281 civil penalty and shall not exceed \$100 per violation. Such fee shall not be levied upon the operator of 282 the vehicle until a second violation has been documented within 12 months of an initial violation, in 283 which case the fee shall apply to such second violation and to any additional violation occurring 284 thereafter. If the recipient of the notice referenced in subsection A makes the election provided by that 285 subsection, the administrative fee shall not exceed \$25.

286 D. If the election provided for in subsection A is not made, the operator of the Dulles Access 287 Highway may proceed to enforce the violation in court. If the matter proceeds to court, the registered 288 owner or operator of a vehicle shall be liable for the civil penalty set out in the Authority regulation 289 governing usage of the Dulles Access Highway, any applicable administrative fees calculated in 290 accordance with subsection C and applicable court costs if the vehicle is found, as evidenced by 291 information obtained from a photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle identification system as 292 provided in this section, to have used the Dulles Access Highway in violation of the Authority 293 regulation; provided, that the civil penalty may not exceed the amount of the penalty identified in 294 subsection A.

E. Any action under this section shall be brought in the General District Court of the county in which the violation occurred.

297 F. Proof of a violation of the Authority regulation governing the use of the Dulles Access Highway
298 shall be evidenced by information obtained from the photo-monitoring system or automatic vehicle
299 identification system referenced in subsection A. A certificate, sworn to or affirmed by a technician
300 employed or authorized by the operator of the Dulles Access Highway, or a facsimile of such a

301 certificate, that is based on inspection of photographs, microphotographs, videotapes, or other recorded
302 images or electronic data produced by the photo-monitoring system shall be prima facie evidence of the
303 facts contained therein. Any photographs, microphotographs, videotape, or other recorded images or
304 electronic data evidencing such a violation shall be available for inspection in any proceeding to
305 adjudicate the liability for such violation under this section.

306 G. A summons issued under this section, which describes a vehicle that, on the basis of a certificate
307 referenced in subsection F, is alleged to have been operated in violation of the Authority regulation
308 governing usage of the Dulles Access Highway, shall be prima facie evidence that such vehicle was
309 operated in violation of the Authority regulation.

H. Upon a finding by a court that the vehicle described in the summons issued under this section
was in violation of the Authority regulation, the court shall impose a civil penalty upon the registered
owner or operator of such vehicle in accordance with the penalty amounts specified in subsection D,
together with any applicable court costs and applicable administrative fees calculated in accordance
with subsection C. Civil penalties and administrative fees assessed as a result of an action initiated
under this section and collected by the court shall be remanded by the clerk of the court that
adjudicated the action to the treasurer or director of finance of the county or city in which the violation
occurred for payment to the operator of the Dulles Access Highway.

318 The registered owner of a vehicle shall be given reasonable notice of an enforcement action in court 319 by way of a summons that informs the owner that his vehicle has been used in violation of the Authority 320 regulation governing the use of the Dulles Access Highway and of the time and place of the court 321 hearing, as well as of the civil penalty and court costs for the violation. Upon the filing of an affidavit 322 with the court at least 14 days prior to the hearing date by the registered owner of the vehicle stating 323 that he was not the driver of the vehicle on the date of the violation and providing the legal name and 324 address of the operator of the vehicle at the time of the violation, a summons shall be issued to such 325 alleged operator of the vehicle.

326 In any action against such a vehicle operator, an affidavit made by the registered owner providing
327 the name and address of the vehicle operator at the time of the violation shall constitute prima facie
328 evidence that the person named in the affidavit was operating the vehicle at all the relevant times
329 relating to the matter addressed in the affidavit.

If the registered owner of the vehicle produces a certified copy of a police report showing that the vehicle had been reported to the police as stolen prior to the time of the alleged offense and remained stolen at the time of the alleged offense, then the court shall dismiss the summons issued to the registered owner of the vehicle.

334 I. Upon a finding by a court that a person has three or more violations of the Authority regulation 335 governing the use of the Dulles Access Highway and has failed to pay the required civil penalties, administrative fees and court costs into the court, the court shall notify the Commissioner of the 336 Department of Motor Vehicles, who shall refuse to issue or renew any vehicle registration certificate to 337 or for such person or the license plate for the vehicle owned by such person until the court has notified 338 the Commissioner that such civil penalties, fees, and costs have been paid. The Commissioner shall 339 340 collect a \$40 administrative fee from such person to defray the cost of responding to court notices given 341 pursuant to this subsection.

342 J. For purposes of this section, "operator of the Dulles Access Highway" means the Metropolitan 343 Washington Airports Authority; "owner" means the registered owner of a vehicle on record with the 344 Department of Motor Vehicles; "photo-monitoring system" means equipment that produces one or more 345 photographs, microphotographs, videotapes, or other recorded images of vehicles at the time they are 346 used or operated in violation of the Authority regulation governing the use of the Dulles Access 347 Highway; "automatic vehicle identification system" means an electronic vehicle identification system that 348 automatically produces an electronic record of each vehicle equipped with an automatic vehicle 349 identification device that uses monitored portions of the Dulles Access Highway; and "automatic vehicle 350 identification device" means an electronic device that communicates by wireless transmission with an 351 automatic vehicle identification system.

352 K. Any vehicle rental or vehicle leasing company, if named in a summons, shall be released as a 353 party to the action if it provides the operator of the Dulles Access Highway with a copy of the vehicle 354 rental agreement or lease, or an affidavit that identifies the renter or lessee, prior to the date of hearing 355 set forth in the summons. Upon receipt of such rental agreement, lease, or affidavit, a summons shall be 356 issued to such renter or lessee. Release of this information shall not be deemed a violation of any 357 provision of the Government Data Collection and Dissemination Practices Act (§ 2.2-3800 et seq.) or 358 the Insurance Information and Privacy Protection Act (§ 38.2-600 et seq.). In any action against the 359 renter or lessee, a copy of the vehicle rental agreement, lease, or affidavit identifying the renter or lessee of the vehicle at the time of the violation shall be prima facie evidence that the person named in 360 the rental agreement, lease, or affidavit was operating the vehicle at all the relevant times relating to 361

362 the matter named in the summons.

L. Imposition of a civil penalty pursuant to this section shall not be deemed a conviction as an operator and shall not be made a part of the driving record of the person upon whom such civil penalty is imposed, nor shall it be used for insurance purposes in the provision of motor vehicle insurance coverage. The provisions of § 46.2-395 shall not be applicable to any civil penalty, administrative fee, or cost imposed or ordered paid under this section.

M. On a form prescribed by the Supreme Court, a summons for a violation of the Authority 368 369 regulation governing the use of the Dulles Access Highway may be executed pursuant to § 19.2-76.2. 370 The operator of the Dulles Access Highway or its personnel or agents mailing such summons shall be 371 considered conservators of the peace for the sole and limited purpose of mailing such summons. 372 Pursuant to § 19.2-76.2, the summons for a violation of the Authority regulation governing usage of the 373 Dulles Access Highway may be executed by mailing by first-class mail a copy thereof to the address of the owner of the vehicle as shown on the records of the Department of Motor Vehicles or, if the 374 375 registered owner or rental or leasing company has named and provided a valid address for the operator 376 of the vehicle at the time of the violation as provided in this section, to the address of such named 377 operator of the vehicle. If the summoned person fails to appear on the date of return set out in the summons mailed pursuant to this section, the summons shall be executed in the manner set out in 378 379 § 19.2-76.3.

N. The operator of the Dulles Access Highway may enter into an agreement with the Department of
Motor Vehicles, in accordance with the provisions of subdivision B 21 of § 46.2-208, to obtain vehicle
owner information regarding the registered owners of vehicles that improperly use the Dulles Access
Highway. Information provided to the operator of the Dulles Access Highway shall only be used in the
enforcement of the Authority regulation governing use of the Dulles Access Highway, and the operator
shall be subject to the same conditions and penalties regarding release of the information as contained
in subsection B.

387 O. Should other vehicle recognition technology become available that is appropriate to be used for
388 the purpose of monitoring improper usage of the Dulles Access Highway, the operator of the Dulles
389 Access Highway shall be permitted to use any such technology that has been approved for use by the
390 Virginia State Police, the Commonwealth of Virginia, or any of its localities.

P. All civil penalties paid to the operator of the Dulles Access Highway pursuant to this section shall be used by the operator of the Dulles Access Highway only for the operation and improvement of the Dulles Corridor, including the Dulles Toll Road.