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HOUSE BILL NO. 465

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A *BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 8.01-383.2, relating to jury verdict; excess damages; amendment of pleadings.*

Patrons—Herring and Surovell

Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 8.01-383.2 as follows:

§ 8.01-383.2. Jury verdict; excess damages; amendment of pleadings.

In the event that a jury returns a verdict for damages in excess of the ad damnum in the complaint or the amount of damages requested pursuant to § 8.01-379.1, the court may permit amendment of the ad damnum or amount requested pursuant to § 8.01-379.1 to conform to the amount of the jury verdict and enter judgment for such damages.

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