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HOUSE BILL NO. 982

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A *BILL to amend and reenact § 54.1-4110 of the Code of Virginia, relating to precious metals dealers; penalties for violation.*

Patrons—Hugo, Keam and Rust

Referred to Committee on General Laws

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 54.1-4110 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 54.1-4110. Penalties; first and subsequent offenses.

A. Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall be guilty of a Class 2 misdemeanor for the first offense. Upon conviction of any subsequent offense he shall be guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.

B. Upon the first conviction of a dealer for violation of any provision of this chapter, the chief law-enforcement officer ~~may~~ *shall* revoke the dealer's permit for one full year from the date the conviction becomes final. Such revocation shall be mandatory *for two full years from the date the conviction becomes final* upon a second conviction.

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