

VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

*An Act to amend and reenact § 10.1-603.12:1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to right of entry of any operator of a municipal separate storm sewer system facility.*

[H 1739]

Approved

**Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

**1. That § 10.1-603.12:1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 10.1-603.12:1. Right of entry.

The Department, the permit issuing authority, ~~or~~ any duly authorized agent of the Department or permit issuing authority, *or any locality that is the operator of a regulated municipal separate storm sewer system* may, at reasonable times and under reasonable circumstances, enter any establishment or upon any property, public or private, for the purpose of obtaining information or conducting surveys or investigations necessary in the enforcement of the provisions of this article. *For operators of municipal separate storm sewer systems, this authority shall apply only to those properties from which a discharge enters their municipal separate storm sewer systems.*