11102307D 1 **HOUSE BILL NO. 2142** 2 3 4 5 Offered January 12, 2011 Prefiled January 12, 2011 A BILL to amend and reenact § 15.2-106 of the Code of Virginia, relating to fees for bad checks to localities. 6 Patrons—Johnson and BaCote 7 8 Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns 9 10 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 1. That § 15.2-106 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows: 11 12 § 15.2-106. Ordinances providing fee for passing bad checks to localities. Any locality may by ordinance provide for a fee, not exceeding \$35 \$50, for the uttering, publishing 13 14 or passing of any check, draft, or order for payment of taxes or any other sums due, which is subsequently returned for insufficient funds or because there is no account or the account has been 15 closed, or because such check, draft, or order was returned because of a stop-payment order placed in 16

bad faith on the check, draft, or order by the drawer.