

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 18.2-283.1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to carrying weapons into*  
3 *courthouses; exception.*

4 [H 288]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 18.2-283.1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

8 § 18.2-283.1. Carrying weapon into courthouse.

9 It shall be unlawful for any person to possess in or transport into any courthouse in this  
10 Commonwealth any (i) gun or other weapon designed or intended to propel a missile or projectile of  
11 any kind, (ii) frame, receiver, muffler, silencer, missile, projectile or ammunition designed for use with a  
12 dangerous weapon and (iii) any other dangerous weapon, including explosives, stun weapons as defined  
13 in § 18.2-308.1, and those weapons specified in subsection A of § 18.2-308. Any such weapon shall be  
14 subject to seizure by a law-enforcement officer. A violation of this section is punishable as a Class 1  
15 misdemeanor.

16 The provisions of this section shall not apply to any police officer, sheriff, law-enforcement agent or  
17 official, conservation police officer, conservator of the peace, magistrate, court officer, ~~or~~ judge, *or city*  
18 *or county treasurer* while in the conduct of such person's official duties.

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