13101083D **SENATE BILL NO. 830** 1 2 3 4 5 Offered January 9, 2013 Prefiled December 28, 2012 A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Chapter 7 of Title 24.2 a section numbered 24.2-714, relating to voting by military and overseas citizens; pilot program. Patrons—Puller, McWaters, Barker, Carrico, Herring and Smith; Delegates: Torian, Anderson, Filler-Corn, Krupicka and Lopez 7 8 Referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections 9 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 10 1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Chapter 7 of Title 24.2 a section numbered 11 24.2-714 as follows: 12 § 24.2-714. Pilot program for secure electronic voting. 13 14 The Secretary of the State Board of Elections shall have the authority to establish and supervise a 15 pilot program or demonstration project in partnership with the U.S. Department of Defense Federal Voting Assistance Program or other federal agency for the purpose of allowing voters specified in 16 subdivision 2 of § 24.2-700 and military voters with disabilities and injuries to vote absentee by secure

electronic means or new technologies. Ballots cast pursuant to this section shall be valid for all

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