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VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - CHAPTER

2 An Act to amend and reenact § 15.2-5204 of the Code of Virginia, relating to health center 3 commissions: members.

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Approved

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 6

1. That § 15.2-5204 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows: 7

8 § 15.2-5204. Members of commission; quorum; compensation; expenses; removal and vacancies. 9 A. A hospital or health center commission shall consist of the following number of members based 10 upon the number of political subdivisions participating: for one political subdivision, five members; for two, six members; for three, six members; for four, eight members; and for more than four, one member 11 for each of the participating subdivisions. The respective members shall be appointed by the governing 12 13 bodies of the subdivisions they represent, may be members of such governing bodies, may be residents of such subdivisions, and shall be appointed for such terms as the appointing body designates. A 14 15 member shall hold office until the earlier of the effective date of his resignation or the date on which his successor has been appointed and has qualified. Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term. The 16 powers of the commission conferred by this chapter shall be vested in and exercised by the members in 17 18 office. A majority of the members then in office shall constitute a quorum. The commission shall elect 19 its own chairman and shall adopt rules and regulations for its own procedure and government. The 20 commission members may receive up to \$50 for attendance at each commission meeting, not to exceed 21 \$1,200 per year, and shall be paid their actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. Any 22 commission member may be removed at any time by the governing body appointing him, and vacancies 23 on the commission shall be filled for the unexpired terms.

24 B. In Chesterfield County, the number of commission members shall be seven and their terms may 25 be staggered as the appointing body designates. Such members shall not be removable at any time by 26 the County's governing body except for malfeasance or at the end of the member's term.

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