

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to direct the Commonwealth Transportation Board to amend its regulations to permit mobile*
3 *food vending on state highway rights-of-way.*

4 [H 2042]

5 Approved

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

7 **1. § 1.** *That the Commonwealth Transportation Board shall amend its regulations so as to permit mobile*
8 *food vending on state highway rights-of-way except limited access highways. Such regulations may*
9 *provide for the issuance of permits by the Department of Transportation to mobile food vendors*
10 *authorizing such vendors to operate on state highway rights-of-way in certain business districts, urban*
11 *development areas, or areas zoned for commercial use and limited to specific locations within those*
12 *business districts, urban development areas, or areas zoned for commercial use where the Department*
13 *of Transportation has determined that motor vehicle traffic flow and motorist and pedestrian safety on*
14 *the state highway rights-of-way would not be adversely affected by the operation of the mobile food*
15 *vendors. The Department of Transportation shall seek input from affected localities and other*
16 *stakeholders during the process of amending the regulations authorized by this section. Such regulations*
17 *shall allow localities to regulate the operation of such mobile food vending businesses located on the*
18 *state highway rights-of-way within the locality in a manner consistent with local ordinances and the*
19 *Commonwealth Transportation Board's regulations and policies.*