

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Chapter 9.1 of Title 19.2 a section numbered*
3 *19.2-152.12, relating to protective orders; compensation for required representation of respondents.*

4 [S 941]

5 Approved

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

7 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Chapter 9.1 of Title 19.2 a section**
8 **numbered 19.2-152.12 as follows:**

9 *§ 19.2-152.12. Compensation for required representation of respondents.*

10 *Notwithstanding any other provision of law, when, in a proceeding pursuant to this chapter,*
11 *representation of a respondent by counsel is required under the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50*
12 *U.S.C. App. § 501 et seq.) or a guardian ad litem is required by law and there is no other provision for*
13 *the compensation of counsel or a guardian ad litem, the court may order such counsel or guardian ad*
14 *litem to be compensated for services pursuant to § 19.2-163.*

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