

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 44-39.1, relating to possession of*
3 *handguns by members of the Virginia National Guard.*

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5 Approved

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

7 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 44-39.1 as follows:**

8 **§ 44-39.1. Possession of handguns by members at National Guard facilities.**

9 *To the extent permitted by federal law and by the terms of any contract between the Virginia*
10 *National Guard and a privately owned facility, any member of the Virginia National Guard who*
11 *possesses a valid concealed handgun permit issued pursuant to Article 6.1 (§ 18.2-307.1 et seq.) of*
12 *Chapter 7 of Title 18.2 shall be permitted to possess a concealed handgun owned by such member at all*
13 *facilities of the Virginia National Guard and at all privately owned facilities under contract with the*
14 *Virginia National Guard. Nothing herein precludes the commanding officer of any member from*
15 *prohibiting such member from possessing a concealed handgun while such member is participating in*
16 *any training or other exercises where the commanding officer reasonably determines that such*
17 *possession would interfere with the conduct of such training or other exercises or would otherwise*
18 *impair the mission.*

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