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SENATE BILL NO. 1515

Offered January 19, 2017

A *BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 9 of Title 15.2 a section numbered § 15.2-926.4, relating to existing buildings; manual entry door hardware.*

Patron—Wagner

Referred to Committee on Local Government

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 9 of Title 15.2 a section numbered § 15.2-926.4 as follows:

§ 15.2-926.4. *Authority of localities to require compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.*

A. *For the purposes of this section, "building" means any existing building or facility including health care, commercial, and governmental facilities, not including a building designated as historic by its inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places or its designation as a National Historic Landmark.*

B. *Any locality may by ordinance require any property owner to install manual entry door hardware in any building located in its jurisdiction where such fitting is affordable and readily achievable.*

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