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### SENATE BILL NO. 972

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*A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered § 30-19.2.01, relating to requests for information by members of the General Assembly; responses not subject to redaction.*

Patron—DeSteph

Referred to Committee on Rules

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

**1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 30-19.2.01 as follows:**

**§ 30-19.2.01. Requests for information by members of the General Assembly.**

*A. All departments, agencies, and institutions of the Commonwealth and staff and employees thereof shall respond to a request for information made by a member of the General Assembly.*

*B. Notwithstanding Chapter 37 (§ 2.2-3700 et seq.) of Title 2.2, a response to a request for information made by a member of the General Assembly shall not be subject to redaction.*

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