

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 8.01-274.1, relating to motion or*
3 *petition for rule to show cause.*

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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 8.01-274.1 as follows:**

8 **§ 8.01-274.1. *Motion or petition for rule to show cause for violation of court order.***

9 *Except as otherwise provided by law, any party requesting a rule to show cause for a violation of a*
10 *court order in any civil action in a court of record shall file with the court a motion or petition, which*
11 *may be on a form prescribed by the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court of Virginia.*
12 *The motion or petition shall include facts identifying with particularity the violation of a specific court*
13 *order and be sworn to or accompanied by an affidavit setting forth such facts. A rule to show cause*
14 *entered by the court shall be served on the person alleged to have violated the court order, along with*
15 *the accompanying motion or petition and any affidavit filed with such motion or petition.*

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