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HOUSE BILL NO. 1430

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on Education

on January 31, 2018)

(Patron Prior to Substitute—Delegate Bulova)

- 2 3 4 5 6 A BILL to amend and reenact § 23.1-804 of the Code of Virginia, relating to public institutions of 7 higher education; crisis and emergency management plan; annual exercise. 8
 - Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:
- 9 1. That § 23.1-804 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

10 § 23.1-804. Institutional crisis and emergency management plan.

A. The governing board of each public institution of higher education shall develop, adopt, and keep current a written crisis and emergency management plan. The plan shall (i) require the Department of 11 12 Criminal Justice Services and the Virginia Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund to be contacted 13 immediately to deploy assistance in the event of an emergency as defined in the emergency response 14 plan when there are victims as defined in § 19.2-11.01 and (ii) include current contact information for 15 16 both agencies. The Department of Criminal Justice Services and the Virginia Criminal Injuries 17 Compensation Fund shall be the lead coordinating agencies for those individuals determined to be 18 victims.

B. Every four years, each public institution of higher education shall conduct a comprehensive 19 20 review and revision of its crisis and emergency management plan to ensure that the plan remains current, and the revised plan shall be adopted formally by the governing board. Such review shall also 21 be certified in writing to the Department of Emergency Management. The institution shall coordinate 22 23 with the local emergency management organization, as defined in § 44-146.16, to ensure integration into 24 the local emergency operations plan.

25 C. The chief executive officer of each public institution of higher education shall annually (i) review 26 the institution's crisis and emergency management plan; (ii) certify in writing to the Department of 27 Emergency Management that he has reviewed the plan; and (iii) make recommendations to the 28 institution for appropriate changes to the plan.

29 D. Each public institution of higher education shall annually conduct a functional test or exercise in 30 accordance with the protocols established by the institution's crisis and emergency management plan and certify in writing to the Department of Emergency Management that such a test or exercise was 31 conducted. The activation of its crisis and emergency management plan and completion of an after-action report by a public institution of higher education in response to an actual event or incident 32 33 34 satisfies the requirement to conduct such a test or exercise.

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