

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 30-34.2:1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to Capitol Police; concurrent*  
3 *jurisdiction.*

4 [H 1505]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 30-34.2:1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**8 **§ 30-34.2:1. Powers, duties and functions of Capitol Police.**

9 The Capitol Police may exercise within the limits of the Capitol Square, when assigned to any other  
10 property owned, leased, or controlled by the Commonwealth or any agency, department, institution, or  
11 commission thereof, and pursuant to the provisions of §§ 15.2-1724, 15.2-1726, and 15.2-1728 all the  
12 powers, duties, and functions that are exercised by the police of the city or the police or sheriff of the  
13 county within which such property is located. The jurisdiction of the Capitol Police shall further extend  
14 300 feet beyond the boundary of any property they are required to protect, such jurisdiction to be  
15 concurrent with that of other law-enforcement officers of the locality in which such property is located.  
16 Additionally, the Capitol Police shall have concurrent jurisdiction with law-enforcement officers of the  
17 City of Richmond and of any county contiguous thereto in any case involving the theft or  
18 misappropriation of the personal property of any member or employee of the General Assembly. In any  
19 case involving the theft or misappropriation of the personal property of any member or employee of the  
20 General Assembly, the Capitol Police shall have concurrent jurisdiction with law-enforcement officers of  
21 any county contiguous to the City of Richmond. Members of the Capitol Police when assigned to  
22 accompany the Governor or Governor-elect, members of the Governor's family, the Lieutenant Governor  
23 or Lieutenant Governor-elect, the Attorney General or Attorney General-elect, members of the General  
24 Assembly, or members of the Supreme Court or Court of Appeals of Virginia, or when directed to serve  
25 a summons issued by the Clerk of the Senate or the Clerk of the House of Delegates, a joint committee  
26 or commission thereof, or any committee of either house, shall be vested with all the powers and  
27 authority of a law-enforcement officer of any city or county in which they are required to be. All  
28 members of the Capitol Police shall be subject to the provisions of § 2.2-1201.1 and Chapter 5  
29 (§ 9.1-500 et seq.) of Title 9.1.

30 The assignment of jurisdiction to any property pursuant to this section shall be approved by the  
31 Legislative Support Commission.

32 The Division of Capitol Police shall have the authority to enter into contracts or agreements  
33 necessary or incidental to the performance of its duties.

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