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HOUSE BILL NO. 800

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on Labor and Commerce on January 30, 2020)

(Patron Prior to Substitute—Delegate Delaney)

A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 40.1-29.1, relating to a requirement for disclosure of the terms of employment.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 40.1-29.1 as follows: § 40.1-29.1. Disclosure of terms of employment.

- A. For the purposes of this section, "employee" means any individual 18 years of age or older who works for daily wages or is employed to work on a project for a total of 10 days or less except the following:
- 1. Any person employed in domestic service or in or about a private home or in an eleemosynary institution primarily supported by public funds;
- 2. Any person engaged in the activities of an educational, charitable, religious, or nonprofit organization where the relationship of employer-employee does not, in fact, exist, or where the services rendered to such organizations are on a voluntary basis;
- 3. Any person confined in any penal or corrective institution of the state or any of its political subdivisions or admitted to a state hospital or training center operated by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services;
 - 4. Students participating in a bona fide educational program;
- 5. Any person who is less than 24 years of age and who is currently enrolled on a full-time basis in any secondary school, institution of higher education, or trade school and is not employed more than 20 hours per week;
- 6. Any person of any age who is currently enrolled on a full-time basis in any secondary school, institution for higher education, or trade school and is in a work-study program or its equivalent at the institution at which he is enrolled as a student;
- 7. Any person who is less than 18 years of age and who is under the jurisdiction and the direction of a juvenile and domestic relations district court; and
 - 8. Any person who works as a babysitter for fewer than 10 hours per week.
- B. Every employer shall furnish to each employee, at the time of the employee's hiring, a written disclosure that shows:
 - 1. The name of the employee;
- 2. The name of the employer, in addition to any trade name or assumed name under which the employer conducts business in the Commonwealth;
 - 3. The street address and phone number of the employer's main office or principal location;
- 4. The rate of pay and basis thereof, whether paid by the hour, shift, day, week, salary, piece, commission, or other basis, including overtime rate of pay;
- 5. For employees paid a piece rate, the applicable piece rate of pay and the number of pieces completed at each piece rate; and
 - 6. The regular payday established by the employer as required by subdivision A 1 of § 40.1-29.
- C. Every employer shall notify its employees in writing of any changes to the information set forth in subsection B at least seven calendar days prior to the time of such changes.