

2021 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1951

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A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 18.2-16.1, relating to abolishing the common-law crime of suicide.

Patrons—Simon, Kory, Adams, D.M., Carr, Carter, Coyner, Guy, Guzman, Hope, Hurst, Keam, Levine, Mugler, Mundon King, Murphy, Plum, Price, Rasoul, Reid, Roem, Samirah, Simonds, Subramanyam and Watts; Senator: Boysko

Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 18.2-16.1 as follows:

§ 18.2-16.1. Common-law crime of suicide abolished.

The common-law crime of suicide is hereby abolished.

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