

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 59.1-385 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the Virginia Racing*  
3 *Commission; revocation of operator's licenses.*

4 [H 1727]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 59.1-385 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

8 § 59.1-385. Suspension or revocation of license.

9 A. After a hearing with fifteen days' notice the Commission may suspend or revoke any license, or  
10 fine the holder thereof a sum not to exceed \$100,000, in any case where it has reason to believe that  
11 any provision of this chapter, or any regulation or condition of the Commission, has not been complied  
12 with or has been violated. The Commission may revoke a license if it finds that facts not known by it at  
13 the time it considered the application indicate that such license should not have been issued.

14 B. *The Commission shall revoke any license issued under § 59.1-382 for the operation of a satellite*  
15 *facility if the licensee, within one year of issuance of the satellite facility license, fails to conduct live*  
16 *racing at a racetrack licensed pursuant to § 59.1-382.*

17 C. Deliberations of the Commission hereunder shall be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the  
18 Virginia Freedom of Information Act (§ 2.1-340 et seq.). If any such license is suspended or revoked,  
19 the Commission shall state its reasons for doing so, which shall be entered of record. Such action shall  
20 be final unless appealed in accordance with § 59.1-373. Suspension or revocation of a license by the  
21 Commission for any violation shall not preclude criminal liability for such violation.

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