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SENATE BILL NO. 593

Offered January 25, 1994

A BILL to amend and reenact § 15.1-28.1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to waste hauling.

Patrons—Norment and Andrews; Delegate: Morgan

Referred to the Committee on Local Government

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 15.1-28.1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 15.1-28.1. Regulation of garbage and refuse pickup and disposal services; contracting for such services.

The governing body of any county, city or town in this Commonwealth may, by ordinance, impose license taxes upon and otherwise regulate the services rendered by any business engaged in the pickup and disposal of garbage, trash or refuse, wherein service will be provided to the residents of any such county, city or town. *License taxes imposed pursuant to this section may be based on the volume of garbage, trash or refuse collected by a business, and may be set at levels which are determined by the local governing body to be reasonable to offset the locality's cost of providing solid waste management service to its citizens.* Such regulation may include the delineation of service areas, the limitation of the number of persons engaged in such service in any such service area, including the creation of one or more exclusive service areas, and the regulation of rates of charge for any such service.

Such governing bodies are authorized to contract with any person, whether profit or nonprofit, for garbage and refuse pickup and disposal services in their respective jurisdiction.

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