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**SENATE BILL NO. 153**

Offered January 16, 1996

A *BILL to amend and reenact §§ 2.1-1.5 and 23-231.8 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the A.L. Philpott Manufacturing Research Center.*

Patrons—Goode; Delegates: Armstrong and Reynolds

Referred to the Committee on General Laws

**Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:****1. That §§ 2.1-1.5 and 23-231.8 of the Code of Virginia are amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 2.1-1.5. Entities not subject to standard nomenclature.

The following entities are not subject to the provisions of § 2.1-1.2 due to the unique characteristics or the enabling legislation of the entities:

**Authorities**

Assistive Technology Loan Fund Authority.  
Richmond Eye and Ear Hospital Authority.  
Small Business Financing Authority.  
State Education Assistance Authority.  
Virginia Agriculture Development Authority.  
Virginia College Building Authority.  
Virginia Economic Development Partnership.  
Virginia Education Loan Authority.  
Virginia Housing Development Authority.  
Virginia Innovative Technology Authority.  
Virginia Port Authority.  
Virginia Public Building Authority.  
Virginia Public School Authority.  
Virginia Resources Authority.  
Virginia Student Assistance Authorities.

**Boards**

Board of Commissioners, Virginia Agriculture Development Authority.  
Board of Commissioners, Virginia Port Authority.  
Board of Directors, Assistive Technology Loan Fund Authority.  
Board of Directors, Richmond Eye and Ear Hospital Authority.  
Board of Directors, Small Business Financing Authority.  
Board of Directors, Virginia Economic Development Partnership.  
Board of Directors, Virginia Student Assistance Authorities.  
Board of Directors, Virginia Innovative Technology Authority.  
Board of Directors, Virginia Resources Authority.  
Board of Regents, Gunston Hall Plantation.  
Board of Regents, James Monroe Memorial Law Office and Library.  
Board of Trustees, Family and Children's Trust Fund.  
Board of Trustees, Frontier Culture Museum of Virginia.  
Board of Trustees, Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation.  
Board of Trustees, Miller School of Albemarle.  
Board of Trustees, Rural Virginia Development Foundation.  
Board of Trustees, The Science Museum of Virginia.  
Board of Trustees, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts.  
Board of Trustees, Virginia Museum of Natural History.  
Board of Trustees, Virginia Outdoor Foundation.  
Board of the Virginia Higher Education Tuition Trust Fund.  
Board of Visitors, Christopher Newport University.  
Board of Visitors, The College of William and Mary in Virginia.  
Board of Visitors, George Mason University.  
Board of Visitors, Gunston Hall Plantation.  
Board of Visitors, James Madison University.  
Board of Visitors, Longwood College.  
Board of Visitors, Mary Washington College.

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- 60 Board of Visitors to Mount Vernon.
- 61 Board of Visitors, Norfolk State University.
- 62 Board of Visitors, Old Dominion University.
- 63 Board of Visitors, Radford University.
- 64 Board of Visitors, University of Virginia.
- 65 Board of Visitors, Virginia Commonwealth University.
- 66 Board of Visitors, Virginia Military Institute.
- 67 Board of Visitors, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
- 68 Board of Visitors, Virginia State University.
- 69 Governing Board, Virginia College Building Authority.
- 70 Governing Board, Virginia Public School Authority.
- 71 Library Board, The Library of Virginia.
- 72 Motor Vehicle Dealer Board.
- 73 State Board for Community Colleges, Virginia Community College System.
- 74 *Center*
- 75 *A.L. Philpott Manufacturing Research Center.*
- 76 *Commissions*
- 77 Alexandria Historical Restoration and Preservation Commission.
- 78 Charitable Gaming Commission
- 79 Chesapeake Bay Bridge and Tunnel Commission.
- 80 Hampton Roads Sanitation District Commission.
- 81 *Districts*
- 82 Chesapeake Bay Bridge and Tunnel District.
- 83 Hampton Roads Sanitation District.
- 84 *Educational Institutions*
- 85 Christopher Newport University.
- 86 College of William and Mary in Virginia.
- 87 Frontier Culture Museum of Virginia.
- 88 George Mason University.
- 89 James Madison University.
- 90 Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation.
- 91 Longwood College.
- 92 Mary Washington College.
- 93 Miller School of Albemarle.
- 94 Norfolk State University.
- 95 Old Dominion University.
- 96 Radford University.
- 97 The Science Museum of Virginia.
- 98 University of Virginia.
- 99 Virginia Commonwealth University.
- 100 Virginia Community College System.
- 101 Virginia Military Institute.
- 102 Virginia Museum of Fine Arts.
- 103 Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
- 104 The Library of Virginia.
- 105 Virginia State University.
- 106 *Foundations*
- 107 Chippokes Plantation Farm Foundation.
- 108 Rural Virginia Development Foundation.
- 109 Virginia Conservation and Recreation Foundation.
- 110 Virginia Historic Preservation Foundation.
- 111 Virginia Outdoor Foundation.
- 112 *Museum*
- 113 Virginia Museum of Natural History.
- 114 *Plantation*
- 115 Gunston Hall Plantation.
- 116 *System*
- 117 Virginia Retirement System.
- 118 § 23-231.8. A. L. Philpott Manufacturing Center created; mission and duties.
- 119 A. From such funds as may be appropriated or provided, there is hereby established the A. L.
- 120 Philpott Manufacturing Center, referred to in this chapter as the Center, *as an independent economic*
- 121 *development organization whose mission is to help create and maintain industrial and manufacturing*

122 *jobs. The Center shall:*

123 1. Develop, demonstrate, test, and assist in the implementation of advanced manufacturing  
124 technologies.

125 2. Promote industrial expansion by providing manufacturing technology consulting services to  
126 manufacturers in Virginia.

127 3. Foster the creation of manufacturing networks and the development of buyer and supplier  
128 relationships in the region and throughout the Commonwealth.

129 4. Serve as a resource center for industrial training and technology transfer programs for the renewal,  
130 enhancement, and expansion of existing manufacturing enterprises and for manufacturing modernization  
131 outreach.

132 5. Be available as a federal demonstration center for the training of displaced workers in a  
133 manufacturing area.

134 6. Receive and accept any available grants, from any federal, state, or private agency, corporation,  
135 association or person, to be expended in accomplishing the goals enumerated in subdivisions 1 through 5  
136 above.

137 *B. The Center shall be considered a local or regional industrial or economic development authority*  
138 *or organization for purposes of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (§ 2.1-340 et seq.).*