

VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 1997 SESSION

CHAPTER 445

An Act to amend and reenact § 18.2-138.1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to willful and malicious damage to or defacement of public or private facilities; penalty.

[H 1664]

Approved March 16, 1997

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 18.2-138.1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 18.2-138.1. Willful and malicious damage to or defacement of public or private facilities; penalty.

Any county, city or town may by ordinance make unlawful the willful and malicious damage to or defacement of any public buildings, facilities and personal property *or any private buildings, facilities and personal property if the damage to the private property is less than \$1,000*. The penalty for violation of such ordinance shall be a Class 1 misdemeanor.