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An Act to	amend	the	Code	of	Virginia	by	adding	a	section	numbered	3.1-17.1,	relating	to	a	centur
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VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

4 [H 2353] 5 Approved

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 3.1-17.1 as follows:

§ 3.1-17.1. Century Farm Program.

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The Commissioner shall establish a century farm program to honor farm families in Virginia whos property has been in the same family for one hundred years or more. In order to be eligible fo recognition under the program, a farm shall (i) have been owned by the same family for at least on hundred consecutive years, (ii) be lived on, or actually farmed by, a descendent of the original owner, and (iii) gross over \$2,500 annually from the sale of farm products.