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HOUSE BILL NO. 386

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on General Laws
on February 11, 1998)

(Patron Prior to Substitute—Delegate Hamilton)

A BILL to amend and reenact § 18.2-340.32 of the Code of Virginia, relating to charitable gaming; local taxation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 18.2-340.32 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 18.2-340.32. Authority of local governments; proceeds exempt from local taxation.

A. The governing body of any county, city or town may adopt an ordinance consistent with this article and the regulations of the Commission which (i) prohibits the playing of instant bingo and (ii) establishes reasonable hours during which bingo games may be played within such jurisdiction. If the governing body of any town adopts an ordinance pursuant to the provisions of this section, such town shall not be subject to any ordinance adopted by the county within which such town lies.

B. No governing body of any county, city or town may impose a gross receipts, entertainment, admission or any other tax based on revenues of qualified organizations derived from the conduct of charitable gaming.

The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to any local governing body located within the Hampton Roads Planning District city having a population between 261,200 and 261,500, and any such tax imposed shall not be considered part of the gross receipts of a qualified organization for the purposes of subdivision 1 of § 18.2-340.19 and subdivision 1 of § 18.2-340.33.

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