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## HOUSE BILL NO. 2183

Offered January 20, 1999

A BILL to provide for a referendum in certain localities upon the proposed sale of certain hospitals.

Patrons-Marshall, McQuigg, Parrish and Rollison; Senator: Colgan

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns

## 2345678 9 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. § 1. The governing body of any county with a population between 210,000 and 216,000, and the 10 governing bodies of any cities located within such a county, may provide by ordinance that in any 11 proposed sale of a nonprofit hospital located within the boundaries of such county which will result in 12 13 the conversion of such hospital to a for-profit hospital, any required state or local governmental approvals shall be conditioned upon approval by voters of such localities in a referendum on the 14 15 question of the proposed hospital conversion.