996968140 1 **HOUSE BILL NO. 2462** Offered January 21, 1999 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 15.2-906.1, relating to repeat building code violations; penalty. Patrons—Bryant, Baskerville, Christian and Hall; Senator: Newman Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns 9 10 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 15.2-906.1 as follows: 11 12 § 15.2-906.1. Authority to enact enhanced penalties for repeat building code violations. 13 Any locality may by ordinance provide for the imposition of an enhanced penalty, in addition to those penalties described in § 36-106, for any person who is convicted of three or more building code 14 15 violations during a ten-year period. The enhanced penalty shall be a jail term not to exceed ten days

and a fine not to exceed \$2,500.

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