

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 33.1-13.1, relating to motorcycles.*

3 [H 2758]

4 Approved

5 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**6 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 33.1-13.1 as follows:**7 *§ 33.1-13.1. Policy of the Commonwealth regarding use of highways by motorcycles; discrimination*
8 *by political subdivisions prohibited.*9 *In formulating transportation policy; promulgating regulations; allocating funds; and planning,*
10 *designing, constructing, equipping, operating and maintaining transportation facilities, no action of the*
11 *Commonwealth Transportation Board, the Commonwealth Transportation Commissioner, or the Virginia*
12 *Department of Transportation shall in any way have the effect of discriminating against motorcycles,*
13 *motorcycle operators, or motorcycle passengers. No regulation or action of the Board, Commissioner or*
14 *Department shall have the effect of enacting a prohibition or imposing a requirement that applies only*
15 *to motorcycles or motorcyclists, and the principal purpose of which is to restrict or inhibit access of*
16 *motorcycles and motorcyclists to any highway, bridge, tunnel, or other transportation facility.*17 *The provisions of this section shall also apply to transportation facilities and projects undertaken or*
18 *operated by counties, cities, towns, and other political subdivisions of the Commonwealth where state or*
19 *federal funds have been used in whole or in part to plan, design, construct, equip, operate, or maintain*
20 *the facility or project.*

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