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SENATE BILL NO. 1109

Offered January 8, 2003 Prefiled January 8, 2003

A BILL to declare the English Ivy as a noxious weed.

Patrons-Whipple and Ticer; Delegates: Almand, Brink, Darner and Van Landingham

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

7 8 9 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. § 1. That the plant taxon English Ivy (Hedera helix and Hedera hibernica and all of their hybrids 10

and cultivars) is hereby declared a noxious weed. The Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services and 11

the Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services shall perform those duties 12 and powers provided for under the provisions of §§ 3.1-296.12 and 3.1-296.16 through 3.1-296.21 of the 13

Noxious Weed Law (§ 3.1-296.11 et. seq.) to regulate English Ivy as a noxious weed. 14