

# VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 2011 SESSION

## CHAPTER 358

*An Act to amend and reenact § 2.2-2002.1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the Department of Veterans Services; department staff ratio to veterans residing in the Commonwealth.*

[S 1399]

Approved March 22, 2011

**Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

**1. That § 2.2-2002.1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 2.2-2002.1. Department personnel.

The Commissioner shall ~~be responsible for appointing~~ *appoint* the personnel assigned to each service office and ~~determining~~ *determine* the compensation to be paid to such personnel. ~~In determining the number of personnel assigned to each service office, the Commissioner shall ensure the~~ *The* number of employees assigned to the processing of benefit claims is ~~shall be~~ sufficient to maintain a ratio of one staff person for every 26,212 veterans residing in the Commonwealth.