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HOUSE BILL NO. 2415

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources on February 3, 2011)

(Patron Prior to Substitute—Delegate Armstrong)

A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 29.1-302.02, relating to special hunting license for partially disabled veterans.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 29.1-302.02 as follows:

§ 29.1-302.02. Special resident and nonresident hunting license for partially disabled veterans.

Any resident veteran who is rated by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs as having at least a 70 percent service-connected disability, upon certification, shall pay an amount equal to one-half the fee for the state resident basic hunting license required by subdivision 2 of § 29.1-303. Any nonresident veteran who is similarly rated, upon certification, shall pay an amount equal to one-half the fee for the state nonresident license required by subdivision 3 of § 29.1-303. The license fees established by this section may be revised by the Board pursuant to § 29.1-103.