

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding sections numbered 16.1-69.48:1.02 and 17.1-275.11:1,*
3 *relating to fee paid by person convicted when computer analysis required.*

4 [H 2449]

5 Approved

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

7 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding sections numbered 16.1-69.48:1.02 and**
8 **17.1-275.11:1 as follows:**

9 § 16.1-69.48:1.02. Additional fee assessed for conviction requiring computer analysis.

10 *In addition to the fees provided for by § 16.1-69.48:1, upon a finding of guilty of any charge or*
11 *charges in which any computer forensic analysis revealed evidence used at trial of a defendant, the*
12 *defendant may be assessed costs in an amount equal to the actual cost of the computer forensic analysis*
13 *not to exceed \$100 for each computer analyzed by any state or local law-enforcement agency. Upon*
14 *motion and submission to the court of an affidavit by the law-enforcement agency setting forth the*
15 *number of computers analyzed and the total amount of costs requested, the court shall determine the*
16 *appropriate amount to be assessed and order such amount paid to the law-enforcement agency.*

17 § 17.1-275.11:1. Additional fee assessed for conviction requiring computer analysis.

18 *In addition to the fees provided for by §§ 17.1-275.1 through 17.1-275.5, 17.1-275.7, 17.1-275.8, and*
19 *17.1-275.9, upon a finding of guilty of any charge or charges in which any computer forensic analysis*
20 *revealed evidence used at trial of a defendant, the defendant may be assessed costs in an amount equal*
21 *to the actual cost of the computer forensic analysis not to exceed \$100 for each computer analyzed by*
22 *any state or local law-enforcement agency. Upon motion and submission to the court of an affidavit by*
23 *the law-enforcement agency setting forth the number of computers analyzed and the total amount of*
24 *costs requested, the court shall determine the appropriate amount to be assessed and order such amount*
25 *paid to the law-enforcement agency.*