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**SENATE BILL NO. 259**

Senate Amendments in [ ] - January 30, 2012

A *BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 22.1-16.5 and by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 63.2 a section numbered 63.2-214.3, relating to information regarding human trafficking.*

Patrons Prior to Engrossment—Senators Ebbin and Martin

Referred to Committee on Education and Health

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

**1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 22.1-16.5 and by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 63.2 a section numbered 63.2-214.3 as follows:**

*§ 22.1-16.5. Training materials on human trafficking.*

*The Board, in collaboration with the Department of Social Services, shall provide awareness and training materials for local school [ ~~divisions~~ division staff ] on human trafficking, including strategies for the prevention of trafficking of children.*

*§ 63.2-214.3. Information on human trafficking.*

*The Department, in consultation with experts in the field of human trafficking prevention, shall provide to the Board of Education:*

*1. Resource information on human trafficking, including strategies for the prevention of trafficking of children; and*

*2. Materials for distribution that describe local, state, and national resources to which [ ~~students,~~ ] parents, [ school resource officers, ] counselors, and school personnel can refer for information on human trafficking, including strategies for prevention of trafficking of children.*

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