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## **SENATE BILL NO. 147**

Offered January 8, 2014 Prefiled December 31, 2013

A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 33.1-13.06, relating to notice and public comment on projects.

## Patron—Stuart

Referred to Committee on Transportation

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 33.1-13.06 as follows: § 33.1-13.06. Notice and public comment on projects.

The Department of Transportation shall post notice on its website and provide for public comment (i) prior to undertaking a safety-related or congestion management transportation project, (ii) when a project is expanded or substantially altered, or (iii) when federal funding is awarded or allocated for a project which results in expansion or substantial alteration of the project. The Department shall hold a public hearing regarding a specific project upon request.