

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to redesign the School Performance Report Card and repeal Chapters 672 and 692 of the Acts*
3 *of Assembly of 2013 and Chapters 480 and 485 of the Acts of Assembly of 2014.*

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5 Approved

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

7 **1. § 1.** *No later than July 1, 2016, the Board of Education, in consultation with the Standards of*
8 *Learning Innovation Committee, shall redesign the School Performance Report Card so that it is more*
9 *effective in communicating to parents and the public the status and achievements of the public schools*
10 *and local school divisions in the Commonwealth. The Board, in redesigning the School Performance*
11 *Report Card, may consider (i) the standards of accreditation, (ii) state and federal accountability*
12 *requirements, (iii) state-mandated assessments, (iv) any alternative assessments developed or approved*
13 *for use by the relevant local school board, (v) student growth indicators, (vi) student mobility, (vii) the*
14 *experience and qualifications of school staff, (viii) total cost and funding per pupil, (ix) school safety,*
15 *and (x) any other factors that the Board deems necessary to produce a full and accurate statement of*
16 *performance for each public elementary and secondary school and local school division in the*
17 *Commonwealth. No later than October 1, 2015, the Board shall provide notice and solicit public*
18 *comment on the redesigned School Performance Report Card. No later than December 1, 2015, the*
19 *Board shall make a summary of the redesigned School Performance Report Card available to the public*
20 *and submit such summary to the Chairman of the House Committee on Education and the Chairman of*
21 *the Senate Committee on Education and Health. No later than October 1, 2016, and each October 1*
22 *thereafter, the Board shall make available to the public a School Performance Report Card for each*
23 *public elementary and secondary school and local school division in the Commonwealth.*

24 **2. That Chapters 672 and 692 of the Acts of Assembly of 2013 and Chapters 480 and 485 of the**
25 **Acts of Assembly of 2014 are repealed.**

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