

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 54.1-2605 of the Code of Virginia, relating to assistant speech-language*
3 *pathologists; duties.*

4 [H 252]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 54.1-2605 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**8 **§ 54.1-2605. Practice of assistant speech-language pathologists.**

9 A person who has met the qualifications prescribed by the Board may practice as an assistant
10 speech-language pathologist *in accordance with regulations of the Board* and may perform *limited* duties
11 ~~not~~ *that are* otherwise restricted to the practice of a speech-language pathologist under the supervision
12 *and direction* of a licensed speech-language pathologist.

13 **2. That the Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology shall review the need for and**
14 **impact of licensure or certification of assistant speech-language pathologists and report its findings**
15 **to the Chairmen of the House Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions and the Senate**
16 **Committee on Education and Health by November 1, 2016.**

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