

VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 2017 SESSION

CHAPTER 303

An Act to direct the Board of Education to establish guidelines for alternatives to suspension.

Approved March 3, 2017

[S 829]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. *§ 1. The Board of Education shall establish guidelines for alternatives to short-term and long-term suspension for consideration by local school boards. Such alternatives may include positive behavior incentives, mediation, peer-to-peer counseling, community service, and other intervention alternatives.*