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HOUSE BILL NO. 1583
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A BILL to prevent the closure of the Southwestern Virginia Training Center.
Patrons—Campbell, Bell, Richard P., Fariss, Lindsey, Morefield, O'Quinn, Rasoul and Torian; Senators: Carrico, Edwards and Suetterlein
Referred to Committee on Appropriations
Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:
1. § 1. That, notwithstanding any plan for the closure of training centers developed by the Department
of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services, the Southwestern Virginia Training Center shall
remain open until June 30, 2019, and continue to accept new admissions of individuals with intellectual
disabilities for whom treatment in a training center is appropriate.