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SENATE BILL NO. 320 Offered January 10, 2018

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A BILL to amend and reenact § 44-139 of the Code of Virginia, relating to reversion of property donated to the Virginia National Guard.

Patrons—Ruff; Delegate: Bell, John J.

Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 44-139 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows: § 44-139. Reversions of donations.

In the event that any real property is donated to a, deeded, or otherwise conveyed for a nominal sum to the Commonwealth, Department of Military Affairs, Virginia National Guard organization, Virginia Army or Air National Guard, Virginia Defense Force, or a subordinate element of any such entity under the provisions of this chapter, for the purpose of supporting Virginia National Guard or Virginia Defense Force operations, and the organization shall fail to accept such property, or shall, after accepting it, be disbanded upon determination by the Adjutant General, no longer require the property to support the organization's mission, the title to the property thus donated shall, deeded, or otherwise conveyed may, at the discretion of the Adjutant General, revert to the person, county, or municipality donating the same such property as their interest may appear. If the Adjutant General chooses not to allow the reversion or if the person, county, or municipality declines to reacquire such property, it shall be declared excess.