

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend regulations governing licensed providers; Board of Behavioral Health and*
3 *Developmental Services to require disclosure of certain information.*

4 [H 2652]

5 Approved

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

7 **1. § 1.** *That the Board of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services shall amend regulations*
8 *governing licensed providers to require that every licensed provider provide a statement regarding a*
9 *current or past employee or other individual currently or previously associated with the provider in a*
10 *capacity that requires a criminal history background check pursuant to § 37.2-416 or 37.2-506 of the*
11 *Code of Virginia to any other licensed provider with which the current or past employee has applied for*
12 *employment or to fill a role that requires a criminal history background check pursuant to § 37.2-416 or*
13 *37.2-506 of the Code of Virginia. The statement shall address the character, ability, and fitness for*
14 *employment in or to otherwise fill the role for which the person has applied and shall be provided upon*
15 *receipt of a request for such information from the other licensed provider and written consent to the*
16 *disclosure of such information executed by the current or past employee or other individual currently or*
17 *previously associated with the provider in a capacity that requires a criminal history background check*
18 *pursuant to § 37.2-416 or 37.2-506 of the Code of Virginia. Nothing in the amended regulations shall*
19 *require disclosure of information subject to privilege or confidentiality pursuant to § 8.01-581.16,*
20 *8.01-581.17, or 32.1-127.1:03 of the Code of Virginia or federal law.*

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