

# 2023 SESSION

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1606

Offered January 11, 2023

Prefiled January 6, 2023

*A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 1-204.1, relating to anti-Semitism.*

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Referred to Committee on Rules

### Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

**1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 1-204.1 as follows:**

#### **§ 1-204.1. Anti-Semitism.**

*The term "anti-Semitism" when used in reference to discrimination in the Code and acts of the General Assembly shall be defined by the Working Definition of Anti-Semitism adopted by the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance on May 26, 2016, including the contemporary examples of anti-Semitism set forth therein.*

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