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HOUSE BILL NO. 1712

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A BILL to amend and reenact § 46.2-832 of the Code of Virginia, relating to damaging or removing temporary work signs; penalty.

Patron—Wachsmann

Referred to Committee on Transportation

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 46.2-832 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 46.2-832. Damaging or removing traffic control devices, work signs, or street address signs.

Any person who intentionally defaces, damages, knocks down, ~~or~~ without authorization interferes with the effective operation of, or removes any (i) traffic control device, (ii) *temporary sign approved by the Department of Transportation warning motorists that work is in progress on or adjacent to the highway or that certain vehicles may be entering the highway*, or a (iii) street address sign posted to assist in address identification in connection with enhanced 9-1-1 service as defined in § 56-484.12 is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.

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