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VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - CHAPTER

2 An Act to amend and reenact § 19.2-387.3 of the Code of Virginia, relating to Substantial Risk Order
 3 Reporting System established.

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Approved

- 6 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:
- 7 1. That § 19.2-387.3 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

8 § 19.2-387.3. Substantial Risk Order Registry; maintenance; access; Substantial Risk Order 9 Reporting System.

A. The Department of State Police shall keep and maintain a computerized Substantial Risk Order
Registry (the Registry) for the entry of orders issued pursuant to § 19.2-152.13 or 19.2-152.14. The
Department of State Police shall make the Registry information available, upon request, to criminal
justice agencies, including local law-enforcement agencies, through the Virginia Criminal Information
Network.

15 The Department of State Police may make the Registry information available upon request to 16 institutions of higher education and other research organizations or institutions in the Commonwealth.

- 17 The Department of State Police shall remove the names and other personal identifying information from18 the data before it is released to the institution of higher education or research organization or other19 institution.
- Registry information provided under this section shall be used only for the purposes of the
 administration of criminal justice as defined in § 9.1-101, except as otherwise provided in this subsection
 section.

B. The Department of State Police shall also establish a Substantial Risk Order Reporting System for
the purpose of tracking and reporting the entry of orders issued pursuant to § 19.2-152.13 or
19.2-152.14 by locality. Such report by locality shall be published monthly by the Department of State
Police and distributed in an electronic format to the General Assembly and the Office of the Governor.
The Department of State Police shall remove the names and other personal identifying information from
the data before the reports are published.

C. No liability shall be imposed upon any law-enforcement official who disseminates information or
 fails to disseminate information in good faith compliance with the requirements of this section, but this
 provision shall not be construed to grant immunity for gross negligence or willful misconduct.

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