

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 15.2-912.4, relating to local*  
3 *government powers; regulation of tobacco, nicotine, and hemp product retail sale locations.*

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5 Approved

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

7 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 15.2-912.4 as follows:**

8 **§ 15.2-912.4. Regulation of tobacco, nicotine, and hemp product retail sale locations.**

9 *Any locality may by ordinance regulate the retail sale locations of tobacco products, nicotine vapor*  
10 *products, alternative nicotine products, as such terms are defined in § 18.2-371.2, or hemp products*  
11 *intended for smoking, as such term is defined in § 3.2-4112, for any such retail sale location and may*  
12 *prohibit a retail sale location on property within 1,000 linear feet of a child day center as defined in*  
13 *§ 22.1-289.02 or a public, private, or parochial school. An ordinance adopted pursuant to this section*  
14 *shall not affect (i) a licensee holding a valid license under § 4.1-206.3 or (ii) any retail sale location of*  
15 *tobacco products, nicotine vapor products, alternative nicotine products, or hemp products intended for*  
16 *smoking operating before July 1, 2024.*

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