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HOUSE BILL NO. 1273

Offered January 20, 2022

A *BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 29.1-516.2, relating to hunting with dogs; dogs to wear tags.*

Patron—Wright

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 29.1-516.2 as follows:

§ 29.1-516.2. *Hunting with dogs; dogs to wear tags.*

Any person engaged in lawful hunting with a dog shall ensure that the dog has a tag identifying the name of the owner or custodian and a current phone number. The tag shall be securely fastened to a substantial collar by the owner or custodian and worn by such dog.

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