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HOUSE BILL NO. 1716

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on Commerce and Energy

on _____)

(Patron Prior to Substitute--Delegate Clark)

A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Chapter 1 of Title 40.1 a section numbered 40.1-11.5, relating to Department of Labor and Industry; mental health resources; posters.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Chapter 1 of Title 40.1 a section numbered 40.1-11.5 as follows:

§ 40.1-11.5. Mental health resources; posters.

The Department shall provide all employers and employees in the Commonwealth with an informational poster formatted for legal-size paper that includes a list of mental health resources developed by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services. The poster shall be disseminated by means determined by the Department, including electronically. Nothing in this section shall be construed to supersede any other provision of law.

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