

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 28.2-302.2 of the Code of Virginia, relating to fishing licenses.*

3 [H 1112]

4 Approved

5 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**6 **1. That § 28.2-302.2 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**7 **§ 28.2-302.2. Recreational license fee; cooperative program.**8 A. The annual fee for the saltwater recreational fishing license shall be seven dollars and fifty cents  
9 or as subsequently revised by the Commission pursuant to § 28.2-201. Agents of the Commission shall  
10 retain the agent's fee established by the Board of Wildlife Resources pursuant to subsection B of  
11 § 29.1-327, except that the agent's fee shall be deducted from the license fee established by the  
12 Commission pursuant to subdivision 4 of § 28.2-201, as compensation for issuing each license.13 B. All funds collected under this section shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the  
14 Virginia Saltwater Recreational Fishing Development Fund, as established in § 28.2-302.3.15 C. The Commission shall enter into cooperative programs with the Department of Wildlife Resources  
16 as are necessary to carry out the provisions of this section.17 D. The Commission shall also have the power necessary to conduct and establish cooperative fish  
18 projects with the federal government as prescribed by Congress and in compliance with rules and  
19 regulations promulgated by the United States Secretary of the Interior.20 E. ~~Upon implementation of an automated point-of-sale licensing system, licenses A resident may~~  
21 ~~purchase a license issued under this section shall be that is valid for one year or for multiple years from~~  
22 ~~their~~ the date of purchase.

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