

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to direct the Department of Labor and Industry to disseminate information regarding seizure*
3 *first aid.*

4 [H 1178]

5 Approved

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

7 **1. § 1.** *The Department of Labor and Industry (the Department) shall provide all employers and*
8 *employees in the Commonwealth with in-color informational posters, at least 8.5 inches by 11 inches in*
9 *size, with respect to rendering seizure first aid. The information shall be disseminated by means*
10 *determined by the Department, including electronically, and the information approved by the*
11 *Department shall be fully consistent with information and guidelines developed by the Epilepsy*
12 *Foundation of America and any such successor organization. Each employer of 25 or more employees*
13 *in the Commonwealth shall physically post information on seizure first aid provided by the Department*
14 *in a prominent position in the employer's workplace that is visible to employees. For the purposes of*
15 *this act, "seizure first aid" means procedures to respond, attend, and provide comfort and safety to an*
16 *individual suffering from a seizure. "Seizure first aid" does not include training to medically treat an*
17 *individual suffering from a seizure. Nothing in this act shall be construed to supersede any other*
18 *provision of law, including the exemption from liability for a person rendering emergency care in good*
19 *faith without compensation pursuant to the provisions of § 8.01-225 of the Code of Virginia.*

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