

## 2023 SESSION

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### HOUSE BILL NO. 692

Offered January 12, 2022

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A *BILL to amend and reenact § 40.1-118 of the Code of Virginia, relating to Apprenticeship Council; authority.*

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Patron—Keam

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Referred to Committee on Commerce and Energy

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

**1. That § 40.1-118 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

#### **§ 40.1-118. Authority of Council.**

The Council may:

1. Determine standards for apprentice agreements, which standards shall not be lower than those prescribed by this chapter;

2. Appoint the secretary of the Apprenticeship Council to act as secretary of each state joint apprenticeship committee;

3. Review decisions of local joint apprenticeship committees relating to apprenticeship disputes pursuant to subdivision C 3 of § 40.1-119;

4. ~~Perform such other duties as are necessary to carry out the intent of this chapter; and~~

5. Advise the Commissioner on policies to coordinate apprenticeship-related instruction delivered by state and local public education agencies;

5. *Determine standards and regulations for pre-apprenticeship programs;*

6. *Advise the Commissioner on how to innovate and expand apprenticeship-related instruction and apprenticeship opportunities across the Commonwealth; and*

7. *Perform other duties as are necessary to carry out the intent of this chapter.*

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