

## 2011 Virginia General Assembly Session

### Legislative Report

2/6/2011

In addition to the report below, please note that VUHCC successfully resisted an effort by mostly large telephone utilities, most notably Verizon, to apply the judicial rules of discovery to all cases that come before the State Corporation Commission. Specifically included in this proposed legislation was the Underground Damage Prevention Act and its Advisory Committee. VUHCC felt very strongly that doing so would substantially impede the work of the Committee, and impact the level playing field that all stakeholders currently enjoy. Verizon had two companion bills on this subject introduced (SB 1413 and HB 2451). Both will now probably not go forward and if they do Verizon has agreed that neither will have any applicability to the Underground Damage Prevention Act. Also, VUHCC worked with lobbyists for the AGC who had requested that SB 1424 be introduced. This bill, in its initial form, would have required sub/subcontractors and material providers to give notice to the prime contractor within 45 days of performing any work at the beginning of the job in order to later have a claim against the prime's payment bond for non-payment. The form that the bill is in now removes the front-end notice requirement and simply shortens the time a sub/sub contractor or material provider to a subcontractor has to bring an action on the prime contractor's payment bond, from 180 to 90 days after the last day work is performed, or materials are provided, on the job.

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**Transportation Funding:**

As expected, the House Appropriations Committee and the Senate Finance Committee have acted on the Governor’s omnibus transportation package this past week, but not without making their own changes in the legislation. To garner additional votes, the House Appropriations Committee made several amendments, including a reduction in the total amount of debt that can be issued under approved legislation previously approved in 2007. Its counterpart, SB 1446, now has the imprint of the Senate Finance Committee. Among its changes is the addition of transit as an eligible mode to receive funds from the proposed state infrastructure bank. The House approved the bill as amended this past Friday on a 65-33 vote. The Senate will vote on its version either tomorrow or Tuesday.

**Other Bills of Interest:**

*Electronic Work Verification Program:*

Despite opposition from the VUHCC and a coalition of industry groups, the following three bills have been accepted on favorably by House Committees, with some amendments, and each is now under consideration on the House floor. In view of action taken by a Senate Committee this past week, we think our chances for watering down some of the provisions in these bills will be improved after they leave the House. A brief recap:

- o HB 1727, sponsored by Delegate Bill Carrico (R-Grayson County), requires public contractors and employers with 15 or more employees to enroll in the E-Verify Program for newly hired employees. Bill would apply to subcontractors as well as contractors for all contracts of \$600 or more. Employers and contractors that fail to so enroll are subject to suspension or revocation of permits and/or licenses issued by either the state or local government. Failure to use the E-Verify Program by an employer will also result in the invalidation of any public contract. The bill initially had an effective date of December 1, 2011, but after discussions with VUHCC lobbyists, the patron moved the effective date back to December 1, 2013.
- o HB 1859, sponsored by Delegate Rich Anderson (R-Prince William County), directs state agencies to include in every contract over \$50,000 a provision that requires a contractor to use the E-Verify program.
- o HB 2333, sponsored by Delegate Scott Lingamfelter, provides that in the event of a tie bid, a preference will be given in the bid process for contractors employing the E-Verify Program.

The two identical Senate bills (SB 1049-- Barker-- and SB 1288-- McWaters) were heard last week in subcommittee which adopted a much more satisfactory substitute for both. The bills would require use of E-Verify for all contracts valued at \$50,000 if the public entity is an agency of state government. Mark Singer, along with lobbyists and other business and industry group

representatives, expressed concerns about the legislation in the subcommittee hearing, their primary focus being upon more restrictive amendments once the bills leave the Senate and are considered by the House.

*Corporate Income Tax Change:*

Delegate Dave Albo (R-Fairfax County) introduced HB 1604 and Senator Watkins (R-Powhatan) patroned SB 1066, both of which would change the way the sales factor is determined for purposes of the corporate income tax. The change would move the Commonwealth from cost-of performance method to a market-based sourcing method. The practical impact of this change will be to levy the corporate income tax on out-of-state companies that provide services in Virginia. The change will mainly benefit in-state service providers and penalize out of state service providers. Delegate Albo's bill would dedicate the additional corporate income tax revenue (estimated to be as much as \$250 million a year once fully implemented) to the Highway Maintenance and Operating Fund. Sen. Watkins' measure directs that the new revenue go into the General Fund. Since the bills create a number of winners and losers from a tax perspective, neither bill was adopted by in committee. However, the House committee is asking the Department of Taxation to consider the impact of the legislation and to work on a bill for possible introduction next year. Senators on the applicable committee in the Senate expressed the need for the Commonwealth to move in the direction of market-based sourcing, so we do not think we have heard the last on this subject.

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## VUHCC: Va. Utilities and Heavy Contractors Council

Composite view

<b>Bills</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Last action</b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>
<a href="#">HB 1404</a> - <a href="#">Howell, A.T.</a> - Handheld personal communications devices; prohibits use thereof while operating motor vehicle, etc.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Militia, Police and Public Safety</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/27/11
<a href="#">HB 1410</a> - <a href="#">Bell, Richard P.</a> - Income tax, corporate; small business reduced rate. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Finance</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/26/11
<a href="#">HB 1413</a> - <a href="#">Scott, J.M.</a> - Motor fuels tax rate; converts rate of taxation from cents per gallon to a percentage rate.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Finance</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends no action	01/31/11
<a href="#">HB 1424</a> - <a href="#">Dance</a> - Wireless telecommunications devices; extends prohibition on use in motor vehicles, etc.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Militia, Police and Public Safety</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends no action	01/20/11
<a href="#">HB 1489</a> - <a href="#">Spruill</a> - Handheld personal communications device; texting while driving.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Militia, Police and Public Safety</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/20/11
<a href="#">HB 1491</a> - <a href="#">Albo</a> - Highway maintenance funds; requires CTB to allocate funds on basis of achieving level of disparity.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Transportation</a>	(H) Engrossed by House - committee substitute HB1491H1	02/04/11
<a href="#">HB 1531</a> - <a href="#">Howell, A.T.</a> - Motor fuels tax; increases rate and dedicates additional revenue to transportation system.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Finance</a>	(H) Stricken from docket by Finance	02/02/11
<a href="#">HB 1546</a> - <a href="#">Kory</a> - Handheld personal communications device; texting while driving.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Militia, Police and Public Safety</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/20/11
<a href="#">HB 1582</a> - <a href="#">Cosgrove</a> - Virginia Transportation Infrastructure Bank; created.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Appropriations</a>	(H) Incorporated by Appropriations (HB2527-Howell, W.J.)	01/31/11
<a href="#">HB 1604</a> - <a href="#">Albo</a> - Income tax, corporate; market-based sourcing. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Finance</a>	(H) Subcommittee failed to recommend reporting (2-Y 7-N)	01/31/11
<a href="#">HB 1612</a> - <a href="#">Oder</a> - Patriots Crossing	<a href="#">(H) Committee on</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on	02/01/11

project; requires VDOT to accept for review unsolicited proposal for construction.	<a href="#">Transportation</a> <a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	Transportation	
<a href="#">HB 1630</a> - <a href="#">Watts</a> - Cell phones or other wireless telecommunications devices; prohibited use while driving, exception.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Militia, Police and Public Safety</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends no action	01/20/11
<a href="#">HB 1631</a> - <a href="#">Watts</a> - Highway maintenance; payments to cities and towns.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Transportation</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/27/11
<a href="#">HB 1653</a> - <a href="#">Purkey</a> - Motor fuels tax; imposes additional tax in certain transportation districts, referendum.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Finance</a>	(H) Stricken from docket by Finance	01/24/11
<a href="#">HB 1654</a> - <a href="#">Purkey</a> - Motor fuels tax rate; adjusted by motor fuel price index.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Finance</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/31/11
<a href="#">HB 1692</a> - <a href="#">Stolle</a> - Speed limits; Transportation Commissioner, et al., may set based on traffic conditions, etc.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Transportation</a>	(H) Read first time	02/04/11
<a href="#">HB 1727</a> - <a href="#">Carrico</a> - Virginia Fair Employment Act; certain public contractors, etc., to enroll in E-Verify Program.	<a href="#">(H) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(H) Committee substitute printed 11104893D-H1	02/04/11
<a href="#">HB 1801</a> - <a href="#">Surovell</a> - Transportation Board; changes composition. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Transportation</a>	(H) Passed by in Transportation with letter	01/25/11
<a href="#">HB 1825</a> - <a href="#">Oder</a> - Commissioner of Highways; changes title from Transportation Commissioner, report.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Transportation</a> <a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Transportation	02/01/11
<a href="#">HB 1827</a> - <a href="#">Scott, E.T.</a> - Overweight permits; issuance for operation of certain vehicles used for hauling farm animal feed.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Transportation</a>	(H) Passed by in Transportation with letter (17-Y 5-N)	01/20/11
<a href="#">HB 1859</a> - <a href="#">Anderson</a> - Public Procurement Act; state agencies to include in contract that contractor use E-Verify program.	<a href="#">(H) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(H) Reported from Courts of Justice with amendments (16-Y 4-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#">HB 1882</a> - <a href="#">Filler-Corn</a> - Public Procurement Act; use of best value	<a href="#">(H) Committee on General Laws</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the	02/03/11

contracting by localities.		table	
<a href="#"><u>HB 1884</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Filler-Corn</u></a> - Highway maintenance funds; requires CTB to allocate funds on basis of achieving level of disparity.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Incorporated by Transportation (HB1491-Albo)	02/01/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1892</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Watts</u></a> - Northern Virginia Transportation Authority Sales & Use Tax Fund; established, etc.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Finance</u></a>	(H) Referred to Committee on Finance	01/11/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1895</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Watts</u></a> - Illegal immigrants; document verification for employment, penalty for false representation.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee for Courts of Justice</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/28/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1914</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Miller, J.H.</u></a> - E-Verify program; requires Virginia Employment Commission to use.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee for Courts of Justice</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/28/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1926</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Marshall, D.W.</u></a> - Salem Highway Construction District Transportation Revenue Fund; established.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Stricken from docket by Transportation	02/01/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1929</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Marshall, D.W.</u></a> - Public Procurement Act; price matching by State's businesses.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Reported from Appropriations (19-Y 1-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1945</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Cox, J.A.</u></a> - Motor carriers; regulation by DMV.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Read first time	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1946</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Cox, J.A.</u></a> - Commercial vehicles; prohibits driving on left-most lanes of certain interstate highways.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Read first time	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1951</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Villanueva</u></a> - Public Procurement Act; raises minimum contract amount required for bid, performance, etc.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on General Laws</u></a>	(H) Committee substitute printed 11105026D-H1	02/03/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1957</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Rust</u></a> - Transportation Board; powers and duties.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Read second time and engrossed	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1998</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>LeMunyon</u></a> - Northern Virginia Transportation District; long-range transportation planning.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a> <hr/> <a href="#"><u>(S) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Transportation	02/01/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 1999</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>LeMunyon</u></a> - Northern Virginia Transportation District; revises criteria for allocation of revenues.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Read first time	02/04/11

<a href="#"><u>HB 2003</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>LeMunyon</u></a> - Inventory of state-owned land; State Park Acquisition & Develop. Fund receive portion of proceeds.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Reported from Appropriations (20-Y 0-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2021</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>May</u></a> - Allocation of revenue-sharing funds; removes priority structure to localities.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Incorporated by Appropriations (HB2527-Howell, W.J.)	01/31/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2022</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>May</u></a> - Overweight vehicles; Commissioner of DMV to develop comprehensive, tiered schedule for fees, etc.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a> <hr/> <a href="#"><u>(S) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Transportation	01/25/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2051</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Carrico</u></a> - Size and weight compliance agents; citations for overweight vehicles.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a> <hr/> <a href="#"><u>(S) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Transportation	01/25/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2120</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Villanueva</u></a> - Patriot Crossing; VDOT to review unsolicited proposal to add capacity to Intermodal Connector I-664.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Incorporated by Transportation (HB1612-Oder)	01/25/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2203</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Comstock</u></a> - Allocation of revenue-sharing funds; removes priority structure to localities.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Incorporated by Transportation (HB2021-May)	01/25/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2222</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Oder</u></a> - Transportation funding and administration; funding in Northern Virginia, Hampton Roads, etc.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Passed by in Appropriations with letter	01/31/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2233</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Anderson</u></a> - Transportation agency efficiencies & cost recoveries; exempts VDOT, etc., paying remote access fee.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Printed as engrossed 11103479D-E	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2307</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Sickles</u></a> - Handheld personal communications devices; fines for texting while driving doubled in work zones.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Militia, Police and Public Safety</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/27/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2331</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Lingamfelter</u></a> - Allocation of highway maintenance & construction funds; alters manner Transportation Bd. allocates.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Passed by in Appropriations with letter	01/31/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2333</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Lingamfelter</u></a> - E-Verify program; preference given to services, etc., by persons for employees who work	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee for Courts of Justice</u></a>	(H) Reported from Courts of Justice with amendments (16-Y 4-N)	02/04/11

in State.			
<a href="#"><u>HB 2352</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Morrissey</u></a> - Motor fuels tax; rate increase. ( <a href="#"><u>notes!</u></a> )	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Finance</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends passing by indefinitely	01/31/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2400</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Nutter</u></a> - Income tax, corporate; subcontracts tax credit.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Finance</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/28/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2403</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Cox, J.A.</u></a> - Oversize and overweight permits; Transportation Board has authority to limit control on highways.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(H) Passed by in Transportation with letter	01/25/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2404</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Rust</u></a> - State sales & use tax revenue; dedicates portion for transportation projects in Hampton Roads, etc. ( <a href="#"><u>notes!</u></a> )	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) Referred to Committee on Appropriations	02/02/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2411</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Lingamfelter</u></a> - Land use approvals; existing performance bonds may be waived if locality has bonding moratorium.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns</u></a>	(H) Reported from Counties, Cities and Towns (22-Y 0-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2451</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Byron</u></a> - State Corporation Commission staff; discovery of settlement negotiations.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Commerce and Labor</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends striking from docket	01/27/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2456</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Brink</u></a> - Alcoholic beverage control; privatization of government stores.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on General Laws</u></a>	(H) Referred to Committee on General Laws	01/20/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2461</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Carrico</u></a> - Trucks; maximum weight limits for those hauling gravel, sand, etc.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Transportation</u></a> <hr/> <a href="#"><u>(S) Committee on Transportation</u></a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Transportation	02/01/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2499</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Albo</u></a> - Insurance license tax; dedicates to Highway Maintenance & Operating Fund one-third of total revenue.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Finance</u></a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/31/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2503</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Cosgrove</u></a> - Governor's Transportation Regulatory Review Commission; created.	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Rules</u></a>	(H) Tabled in Rules	02/01/11
<a href="#"><u>HB 2527</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Howell, W.J.</u></a> - Va. Transportation Infrastructure Fund and Va. Transportation Infrastructure Bank; created, report. ( <a href="#"><u>notes!</u></a> )	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on Appropriations</u></a>	(H) VOTE: PASSAGE (65-Y 33-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#"><u>HJ 511</u></a> - <a href="#"><u>Oder</u></a> - Constitutional	<a href="#"><u>(H) Committee on</u></a>	(S) Referred to Committee on	01/20/11



amendment; Transportation Funds. (notes!)	<a href="#">Privileges and Elections</a> <hr/> <a href="#">(S) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	Privileges and Elections	
<a href="#">HJ 539</a> - <a href="#">Cole</a> - Constitutional amendment; imposition of taxes and fees by General Assembly or local governing body.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a> <hr/> <a href="#">(S) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections	02/02/11
<a href="#">HJ 572</a> - <a href="#">Watts</a> - Constitutional amendment; Transportation Funds (first reference).	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(H) Incorporated by Privileges and Elections (HJ511-Oder)	01/14/11
<a href="#">HJ 613</a> - <a href="#">Cole</a> - Constitutional amendment; limitation on debt (first reference).	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(H) Assigned P & E sub: #1 Constitutional	01/13/11
<a href="#">HJ 619</a> - <a href="#">Rust</a> - Tolling of certain highways; Joint Commission on Transportation Accountability, et al., to study.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Rules</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends laying on the table	01/27/11
<a href="#">HJ 621</a> - <a href="#">May</a> - Cell phone; Virginia Tech Transportation Institute to study disincentives for use in motor vehicles.	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Rules</a>	(H) Subcommittee recommends passing by indefinitely	01/27/11
<a href="#">HJ 647</a> - <a href="#">Bell, Robert B.</a> - Constitutional amendment; taking or damaging of private property for public use (first reference).	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(H) Incorporated by Privileges and Elections (HJ693-Joannou)	02/04/11
<a href="#">HJ 693</a> - <a href="#">Joannou</a> - Constitutional amendment; taking or damaging of private property for public use (first reference). (notes!)	<a href="#">(H) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(H) Incorporates HJ498	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 789</a> - <a href="#">Watkins</a> - E-Verify program; requires Virginia Employment Commission to use.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Commerce and Labor</a>	(S) Passed by indefinitely in Commerce and Labor with letter (14-Y 0-N)	01/24/11
<a href="#">SB 833</a> - <a href="#">Petersen</a> - Motor fuels taxes; indexing of tax rates.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Finance	01/07/11
<a href="#">SB 856</a> - <a href="#">Wagner</a> - Patriots Crossing project; requires VDOT to accept	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (40-Y 0-N)	02/02/11

unsolicited proposals for construction.			
<a href="#">SB 874</a> - <a href="#">Stuart</a> - George Washington Toll Road Authority; adds Stafford County as participating locality.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Local Government</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (38-Y 0-N)	01/24/11
<a href="#">SB 913</a> - <a href="#">McDougle</a> - Chief Executive Officer for Transportation; replaces Transportation Commissioner, etc.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Passed by indefinitely in Transportation (14-Y 1-N)	02/03/11
<a href="#">SB 1004</a> - <a href="#">Watkins</a> - Transportation agency efficiencies & cost recoveries; exempts VDOT, etc., paying remote access fee.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Printed as engrossed 11103481D-E	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 1005</a> - <a href="#">Watkins</a> - Transportation Commissioner; changes title to Commissioner of Highways, report.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (38-Y 1-N)	01/26/11
<a href="#">SB 1042</a> - <a href="#">Barker</a> - Handheld personal communications device; texting while driving.	<a href="#">(S) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(S) Constitutional reading dispensed (38-Y 0-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 1044</a> - <a href="#">Barker</a> - Highway maintenance allocations; allocation by CTB for maintenance of assets.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Failed to report (defeated) in Transportation (5-Y 8-N 2-A)	02/03/11
<a href="#">SB 1047</a> - <a href="#">Barker</a> - Driver's license holders, provisional; makes cell phone use while driving a primary offense.	<a href="#">(S) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(S) Constitutional reading dispensed (38-Y 0-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 1049</a> - <a href="#">Barker</a> - Electronic Work Verification Program, federal; public contractors to register.	<a href="#">(S) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(S) Assigned Courts sub: Civil	01/31/11
<a href="#">SB 1053</a> - <a href="#">Barker</a> - General fund balance; assignment of year-end general fund surplus.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Finance	01/11/11
<a href="#">SB 1126</a> - <a href="#">Stosch</a> - Public Procurement Act; transportation-related construction projects.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (40-Y 0-N)	02/02/11
<a href="#">SB 1135</a> - <a href="#">Wagner</a> - Transportation Board; powers and duties. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (39-Y 0-N)	01/26/11
<a href="#">SB 1174</a> - <a href="#">Marsden</a> - Public Procurement Act; provisions for construction contracts involving certain schools.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Stricken at request of Patron in General Laws and Technology (15-Y 0-N)	01/26/11
<a href="#">SB 1177</a> - <a href="#">Marsden</a> - Public Procurement Act; use of best value contracting by	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and</a>	(S) Passed by indefinitely in General Laws and Technology	02/02/11

localities.	<a href="#">Technology</a>	(9-Y 3-N 2-A)	
<a href="#">SB 1242</a> - <a href="#">Edwards</a> - Transportation; creates additional revenue by increasing motor vehicle sales & use and rental taxes. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Finance	01/12/11
<a href="#">SB 1257</a> - <a href="#">Vogel</a> - Surplus real property; DGS to inventory all real property owned and update at least annually.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (38-Y 0-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 1266</a> - <a href="#">Smith</a> - Size and weight compliance agents; citations for overweight vehicles.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (39-Y 0-N)	01/26/11
<a href="#">SB 1281</a> - <a href="#">McWaters</a> - Commercial driver's licenses; revises statutes for issuance of overweight and oversize permits.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Transportation</a>	(S) Committee substitute printed 11104401D-S1	02/03/11
<a href="#">SB 1283</a> - <a href="#">McWaters</a> - Year-end surplus of general fund balance; changes priority of assignment.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Stricken at request of Patron in Finance (14-Y 0-N)	02/01/11
<a href="#">SB 1285</a> - <a href="#">McWaters</a> - Highway contractors; state taxes paid to be dedicated for transportation purposes.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Stricken at request of Patron in Finance (14-Y 0-N)	02/01/11
<a href="#">SB 1288</a> - <a href="#">McWaters</a> - Electronic Work Verification Program, federal; public contractors to register.	<a href="#">(S) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(S) Assigned Courts sub: Civil	01/31/11
<a href="#">SB 1295</a> - <a href="#">Miller, J.C.</a> - Transportation funding; provides new and increased taxes, tolls, and general fund revenues.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Stricken at request of Patron in Finance (14-Y 0-N)	02/01/11
<a href="#">SB 1301</a> - <a href="#">Ruff</a> - Public Procurement Act; exemptions for certain transactions.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (39-Y 0-N)	01/25/11
<a href="#">SB 1329</a> - <a href="#">Herring</a> - Highway revenue sharing construction funds; removes \$1 million cap.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Incorporated by Finance (SB1446-Wampler) (14-Y 0-N)	02/01/11
<a href="#">SB 1347</a> - <a href="#">Norment</a> - Virginia Racing Commission; authorizes wagering on horse historical racing.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Printed as engrossed 11104751D-ES1	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 1351</a> - <a href="#">Norment</a> - Wireless telecommunications devices; prohibits answering a call unless in hands-free mode.	<a href="#">(S) Committee for Courts of Justice</a>	(S) Assigned Courts sub: Criminal	01/21/11

<a href="#">SB 1394</a> - <a href="#">McWaters</a> - State sales & use tax revenue; dedicates portion for transportation projects in Hampton Roads, etc. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Passed by indefinitely in Finance (13-Y 1-N)	02/01/11
<a href="#">SB 1397</a> - <a href="#">Colgan</a> - Homeowners' associations; funds for highway maintenance to be distributed.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Rereferred to Finance	01/27/11
<a href="#">SB 1413</a> - <a href="#">Norment</a> - State Corporation Commission staff; discovery of settlement negotiations.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Commerce and Labor</a>	(S) Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor	01/18/11
<a href="#">SB 1417</a> - <a href="#">Obenshain</a> - Alcoholic beverage control; privatization of government stores.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Rehabilitation and Social Services</a>	(S) Introduced bill reprinted 11104004D	01/20/11
<a href="#">SB 1424</a> - <a href="#">Locke</a> - Virginia Public Procurement Act; action against contractor's payment.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Constitutional reading dispensed (38-Y 0-N)	02/04/11
<a href="#">SB 1425</a> - <a href="#">Locke</a> - Virginia Public Procurement Act; process for withdrawal of bid due to error.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Read third time and passed Senate (40-Y 0-N)	02/02/11
<a href="#">SB 1438</a> - <a href="#">Herring</a> - Virginia Racing Commission; authorizes wagering on historical horse racing.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Incorporated by General Laws and Technology (SB1347-Norment) (14-Y 0-N)	01/26/11
<a href="#">SB 1443</a> - <a href="#">Reynolds</a> - Public Procurement Act; establishes preference in state contracting for goods produced in State.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on General Laws and Technology</a>	(S) Stricken at request of Patron in General Laws and Technology (15-Y 0-N)	02/02/11
<a href="#">SB 1446</a> - <a href="#">Wampler</a> - Va. Transportation Infrastructure Fund and VA. Transportation Infrastructure Bank; created, report. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Finance</a>	(S) Passed by for the day	02/04/11
<a href="#">SJ 328</a> - <a href="#">Miller, J.C.</a> - Motor fuel tax; Center for Transportation Innovation & Research to study replacing with alternative.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Rules</a>	(S) Read third time and agreed to by Senate by voice vote	02/02/11
<a href="#">SJ 345</a> - <a href="#">Puckett</a> - Independent contractors; Department of Labor and Industry to study misclassification of employees.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Rules</a>	(S) Committee substitute printed 11105024D-S1	02/04/11
<a href="#">SJ 353</a> - <a href="#">Obenshain</a> - Constitutional amendment; Transportation Funds.	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Privileges and</a>	(S) Assigned to P&E sub: Constitutional Amendments,	01/14/11

	<a href="#">Elections</a>	Reapportionment, Referenda	
<a href="#">SJ 361</a> - <a href="#">Saslaw</a> - Constitutional amendment; limitation on debt (first reference).	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(S) Assigned to P&E sub: Constitutional Amendments, Reapportionment, Referenda	01/14/11
<a href="#">SJ 363</a> - <a href="#">Norment</a> - Constitutional amendment; Transportation Funds. ( <a href="#">notes!</a> )	<a href="#">(S) Committee on Privileges and Elections</a>	(S) Agreed to by Senate (28-Y 10-N)	02/03/11