

Legislation Effective as of July 1, 2020

Firearms Bills

- [Senate Bill 14:](#) Trigger activators; prohibition; penalty
- [Senate Bill 35 & House Bill 421:](#) Control of firearms by localities; permitted events
- [Senate Bill 69 & House Bill 812:](#) Purchase of handguns; limitation on handgun purchases; penalty
- [Senate Bill 70 & House Bill 2:](#) Firearm sales; criminal history record information checks; penalty
- [Senate Bill 240 & House Bill 674:](#) Firearms; removal from persons posing substantial risk; penalties
- [Senate Bill 479 & House Bill 1004:](#) Reporting lost or stolen firearms; civil penalty
- [House Bill 9:](#) Reporting lost or stolen firearms; civil penalty
- [House Bill 1083:](#) Minors; allowing access to firearms, Class 1 misdemeanor

Administrative Bills

- [Senate Bill 40:](#) Line of Duty Act; eligible dependents
- [Senate Bill 149:](#) Courthouse and courtroom security; assessment
- [Senate Bill 171 & House Bill 1419:](#) School resource officers and school security officers; training standards
- [Senate Bill 221:](#) School boards and local law-enforcement agencies; memorandums of understanding; frequency of review and public input
- [Senate Bill 482:](#) Developmental Disabilities Mortality Review Committee; penalty
- [Senate Bill 494:](#) Department of Criminal Justice Services; crisis intervention team training
- [Senate Bill 561:](#) Workers' compensation; post-traumatic stress disorder, law-enforcement officers and firefighters
- [Senate Bill 729 & House Bill 257:](#) School principals; incident reports
- [Senate Bill 1024:](#) Detector canines and detector canine handlers; training and database
- [House Bill 746:](#) Custodial interrogation of a child; parental notification and contact
- [House Bill 1025:](#) Vocational rehabilitation and employment services for former law-enforcement officers with a disability

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- [House Bill 1103](#): Ranked choice voting; elections for local governing bodies; local option pilot program
- [House Bill 1213](#): Authority of local government employees to issue summonses for misdemeanor violations of local ordinances

Jail Bills

- [Senate Bill 215](#): Review of death of inmates in local correctional facilities; report
- [Senate Bill 491 & House Bill 1150](#): Inquiry and report of immigration status; persons charged with or convicted of certain crimes
- [Senate Bill 656 & House Bill 1328](#): Exchange of offender medical and mental health information and records
- [Senate Bill 736](#): Community service work in lieu of payment of fines and costs
- [Senate Bill 1023](#): State correctional facilities; visitation
- [House Bill 278](#): Home/electronic incarceration program; payment to defray costs
- [House Bill 369](#): Furloughs from local work release programs; notice to local sheriff
- [House Bill 1093 & House Bill 1467](#): Prisoners; special identification cards
- [House Bill 1150](#): Inquiry and report of immigration status; persons charged with or convicted of certain crimes
- [House Bill 1284](#): Correctional facilities; use of isolated confinement
- [House Bill 1648](#): State correctional facilities; treatment of prisoners known to be pregnant or who are parents of minor children

Law Enforcement Bills

- [Senate Bill 2](#): Marijuana; decriminalization of simple marijuana possession; penalty
- [Senate Bill 3 & House Bill 256](#): Disorderly conduct; students
- [Senate Bill 160 & House Bill 874](#): Holding handheld personal communications devices while driving a motor vehicle
- [Senate Bill 646](#): Tetrahydrocannabinol concentration; definition

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- [Senate Bill 667:](#) Arrest and prosecution when experiencing or reporting overdoses
- [Senate Bill 683:](#) Competency to stand trial; outpatient treatment
- [Senate Bill 738:](#) Temporary detention for observation and treatment
- [House Bill 246:](#) Local law-enforcement agencies; body-worn camera systems
- [House Bill 262:](#) Inquiry and report of immigration status; certain victims or witnesses of crimes
- [House Bill 664:](#) Exposure to a decedent's body fluids; testing
- [House Bill 821:](#) Saliva or tissue sample required for DNA analysis after arrest for a violent felony
- [House Bill 873:](#) Discovery in criminal cases
- [House Bill 1023:](#) Custodial interrogations; recording

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- [House Bill 1118](#): Involuntary admission; transportation; transfer to local law enforcement
- [House Bill 1250](#): Community Policing Act; data collection and reporting requirement
- [House Bill 1442](#): Photo speed monitoring devices; civil penalty

Other Bills

- [Senate Bill 996](#) & [House Bill 1626](#): Capitol Police; concurrent jurisdiction
- [Senate Bill 1065](#): Department of General Services; identifying high-risk structures; desirability and feasibility of certain key boxes
- [House Bill 172](#): Virginia State Police Electronic Summons System Fund
- [House Bill 582](#): Collective bargaining for public employees
- [House Bill 1024](#): Department of State Police; establishment of cold case searchable database
- [House Bill 1103](#): Ranked choice voting; elections for local governing bodies; local option pilot program (*delayed effective of July 1, 2021*)
- [House Bill 1211](#): Department of Motor Vehicles; driver documents and reexamination fees
- [House Bill 1666](#): Voluntary Registry for People with Special Communication Needs; vehicle registration