

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 51.1-212, as it shall become effective, of the Code of Virginia, relating to*
3 *Virginia Law Officers' Retirement System; conservation officers.*

4 [S 1201]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 51.1-212, as it shall become effective, of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as**
8 **follows:**9 **§ 51.1-212. (Effective July 1, 2025) Definitions.**

10 As used in this chapter, unless the context requires a different meaning:

11 "Employee" means any (i) member of the Capitol Police Force as described in § 30-34.2:1, (ii) campus
12 police officer appointed under the provisions of Article 3 (§ 23.1-809 et seq.) of Chapter 8 of Title 23.1, (iii)
13 conservation police officer in the Department of Wildlife Resources appointed under the provisions of
14 Chapter 2 (§ 29.1-200 et seq.) of Title 29.1, (iv) special agent of the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control
15 Authority appointed under the provisions of Chapter 1 (§ 4.1-100 et seq.) of Title 4.1, (v) law-enforcement
16 officer employed by the Virginia Marine Resources Commission as described in § 9.1-101, (vi) correctional
17 officer as the term is defined in § 53.1-1, and including correctional officers employed at a juvenile correction
18 facility as the term is defined in § 66-25.3, (vii) parole officer appointed pursuant to § 53.1-143, (viii)
19 commercial vehicle enforcement officer employed by the Department of State Police, ~~and~~ (ix) full-time
20 firefighter employed by the Department of Military Affairs, *and (x) conservation officer of the Department of*
21 *Conservation and Recreation appointed under the provisions of Article 4 (§ 10.1-115 et seq.) of Chapter 1 of*
22 *Title 10.1.*

23 "Member" means any person included in the membership of the Retirement System as provided in this
24 chapter.

25 "Normal retirement date" means a member's sixtieth birthday.

26 "Retirement System" means the Virginia Law Officers' Retirement System.

27 **2. That the provisions of this act providing enhanced retirement benefits to positions as conservation**
28 **officers of the Department of Conservation and Recreation appointed under the provisions of Article 4**
29 **(§ 10.1-115 et seq.) of Chapter 1 of Title 10.1 of the Code of Virginia shall apply only to service earned**
30 **as a conservation officer on or after July 1, 2025.**

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