

2026 SESSION

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1 **HOUSE BILL NO. 1197**

2 Offered January 14, 2026

3 Prefiled January 14, 2026

4 *A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 4.1-227.1, relating to alcoholic*
5 *beverage control; suspension or revocation of certain retail licenses; reinstatement.*

6 Patron—Scott, P.A.

7 Committee Referral Pending

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

9 **1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 4.1-227.1 as follows:**

10 **§ 4.1-227.1. Suspension or revocation of certain retail licenses; reinstatement.**

11 *If the Board suspends or revokes the license of a retail establishment solely due to the fact that its food*
12 *establishment permit from the Department of Health was revoked or suspended, the Board shall*
13 *automatically reinstate such license once the Department of Health has reinstated the food establishment*
14 *permit, provided that the licensee is in compliance with all applicable provisions of this subtitle.*

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