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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1369**

Offered January 20, 2026

*A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 6 of Title 2.2 a section numbered 2.2-614.6, relating to state agency administration of federal funds; eligibility determination exemption for nonprofit organizations.*

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Committee Referral Pending

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

**1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 6 of Title 2.2 a section numbered 2.2-614.6 as follows:**

***§ 2.2-614.6. State agency administration of federal funds; eligibility determination exemption for nonprofit organizations.***

*No state agency responsible for the administration of federal funds shall impose a requirement on a nonprofit charitable organization providing a federal public benefit to determine, verify, or otherwise require proof of eligibility of any applicant for such benefits.*

*As used in this section, "federal public benefit" has the same meaning as provided in 8 U.S.C. § 1611(c).*