1	§ 3.2-503. Duties of Extension Division of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
2	University.
3	A. Personnel of the Extension Division of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
4	University shall inform local governing bodies of the Commonwealth whenever agricultural
5	conditions are present in such localities that would warrant the declaration of a disaster pursuant
6	to Section 301 of Public Law 93-288, 42 U.S.C. § 5141.
7	B. Personnel of the Extension Division of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
8	University shall provide farmers and local governing bodies with such assistance and
9	information as is available concerning federal and state disaster relief programs.
10	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 3.2-503 are stricken and incorporated
11	into proposed subsections B and C of § 23.1-26xx (see page 15).
12	CHAPTER- <u>11_26</u> .
13	VIRGINIA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE AND STATE UNIVERSITY.
14	Drafting note: Existing Chapter 11 of Title 23 is logically reorganized as proposed
15	Chapters 13 and 26 of Title 23.1. Existing provisions that apply generally to governing
16	boards of public institutions of higher education are consolidated in proposed Chapter 13.
17	Existing provisions relating to the incorporation, membership and meetings, and powers
18	and duties of the governing board that are unique to the University are retained in
19	proposed Chapter 26.
20	Article 1.
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	General Provisions.
22	General Provisions. Drafting note: Existing provisions relating to the incorporation, membership and
22	Drafting note: Existing provisions relating to the incorporation, membership and
22 23	Drafting note: Existing provisions relating to the incorporation, membership and meetings, and powers and duties of the board of visitors are consolidated in Article 1 and

27	A. The board of visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (the
28	board) shall be and remain a corporation under the name and style of the "Virginia Polytechnic
29	Institute and State University" and shall have, in addition to its other powers, all the corporate
30	powers given to corporations by the provisions of Title 13.1 except those powers that are
31	confined to corporations created pursuant to Title 13.1. The board shall at all times be under the
32	control of the General Assembly.
33	B. The institution shall be known as the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
34	University (the University).
35	C. All-acts and parts of acts and statutes laws relating to Virginia Polytechnic Institute,
36	its predecessors by whatever name known, or to, its board of visitors, or the boards board of
37	visitors-thereof, of each of its predecessors shall be construed as relating to the Virginia
38	Polytechnic Institute and State University.
39	Drafting note: Technical changes are made to conform the language in this section
40	to that of each other four-year public institution of higher education.
41	§ 23-115 23.1-26xx. Appointment of visitors generally; number and eligibility
42	Membership.
43	<u>A.</u> The board-of visitors is to shall consist of fourteen 14 members, thirteen of whom 13
44	shall be appointed by the Governor, and one of whom shall be the President president of the
45	Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services, who shall serve ex officio. Of the 13 members
46	appointed by the Governor, three may be nonresidents at least 10 members shall be residents of
47	the Commonwealth and at least six members shall be alumni of the University. The visitors in
48	the office on April 9, 1945, are continued in office until the end of their respective terms, or
49	until June 30, 1945, whichever last occurs.
50	As soon as practicable after April 9, 1945, the Governor shall appoint four members to
51	fill the unexpired portions of the terms which began on July 1, 1944, and shall appoint three
52	additional members for new terms of two years and two for new terms of four years, each term
53	beginning July 1, 1945. He shall, in addition, appoint the President of the State Board of

54	Agriculture and Consumer Services as an ex officio member for a term of four years to begin
55	July 1, 1945; provided that, if the tenure in office as President of such ex officio member expires
56	within that time, the Governor shall appoint such member's successor to fill the unexpired term.
57	Such President shall remain eligible for appointment as an ex-officio member so long as he
58	continues in office as President. All appointments for full terms, as well as to fill vacancies,
59	shall be made by the Governor subject to confirmation by the Senate.
60	B. The alumni association of the University may submit to the Governor a list of three
61	nominees for each vacancy on the board, whether it occurs by expired term or otherwise. The
62	Governor may appoint a member from the list of nominees.
63	Drafting note: Existing provisions relating to the membership of the board of
64	visitors are logically combined in this proposed section, existing provisions relating to the
65	terms and removal of members of the board are stricken and incorporated into proposed $\$$
66	23.1-13xx, and technical changes are made to conform the language to that of each other
67	four-year public institution of higher education. Obsolete language is stricken.
68	§ 23-116. Appointment of visitors from nominees of alumni association.
69	(a) The Governor may appoint visitors from a list of qualified persons submitted to him
70	by the alumni association of the University on or before the first day of April of any year in
71	which the terms of any visitors will expire.
72	(b) Whenever a vacancy occurs, otherwise than by expiration of term, the Governor shall
73	certify this fact to the association and nominations may be submitted of qualified persons and
74	the Governor may fill the vacancy, if his discretion so dictates, from among the eligible
75	nominees of the association, whether or not alumni or alumnae.
76	(c) Every list shall contain at least three names for each vacancy to be filled.
77	(d) The Governor is not to be limited in his appointments to the persons so nominated.
78	(e) At no time shall less than six of the appointive visitors be alumni or alumnae of the
79	University.

80	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-116 are stricken and incorporated
81	into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-115).
82	§ 23-117. Eligibility to serve for more than two successive terms.
83	No person, except the ex officio member, shall be eligible to serve for or during more
84	than two successive four year terms; but after the expiration of a term of two years or less, or
85	after the expiration of the remainder of a term to which appointed to fill a vacancy, two
86	additional four year terms may be served by such a member if appointed thereto. Incumbents on
87	April 5, 1945, appointed for full terms prior to June 1, 1944, shall be deemed to be serving their
88	first terms.
89	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-117 are stricken and incorporated
90	into proposed § 23.1-13xx.
91	§-23-118_23.1-26xx. Officers and committees of the board; officers of the University
92	Meetings; officers; committees.
93	A. The board shall meet in Blacksburg, in the County of Montgomery, at least once a
94	year and at such other times and places as it determines. Special meetings of the board may be
95	called by the Governor, the rector, or any three members. Notice of the time and place of each
96	meeting shall be provided to each member.
97	B. A majority of the board shall constitute a quorum. A majority of each committee shall
98	<u>constitute a quorum.</u>
99	<u>C.</u> The board-of visitors shall appoint from their own body its membership a rector, who
100	shall to preside at their its meetings, and, in his absence, a president pro tempore to preside at its
101	meetings in the absence of the rector. The board may appoint a vice-president of the University
102	and, by appropriate regulations, prescribe his authority, duties, and compensation, if any, and he
103	shall hold office at the pleasure of the board.
104	D. The board shall appoint a secretary.
105	E. The board shall also appoint from its membership an executive committee of not less
106	than at least three-nor but not more than six, which, during the interim between board meetings,

107	members that shall be empowered during the interim between board meetings to exercise all or
108	such part of the such powers of the board as the board may by resolution prescribe by
109	resolution.
110	F. The board may-likewise appoint special committees and prescribe their duties and
111	powers.
112	The executive G. Each committee, and other committees shall make reports report its
113	actions to the board, at its the board's annual meeting or oftener if required, of the acts
114	performed by them from time to time and at such other times as the board may require. The
115	board shall also appoint a treasurer of the University and may appoint a secretary thereof, and
116	also a clerk to the board, and such other officers, assistants and deputies as they deem advisable
117	to conduct the business and affairs of the University.
118	Drafting note: Technical changes are made to conform provisions relating to
119	meetings, officers, and committees of the board of visitors to those of each other four-year
120	public institution of higher education.
121	§ 23-119. Quorum of board and of committees.
122	A majority of the board and also of all committees appointed pursuant to § 23-118 shall
122 123	A majority of the board and also of all committees appointed pursuant to § 23-118 shall constitute a quorum.
123	constitute a quorum.
123 124	constitute a quorum. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-119 are stricken and incorporated
123 124 125	constitute a quorum. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-119 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-118).
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123 124 125 126 127	constitute a quorum. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-119 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-118). § 23-120. When office of visitor deemed vacant. If any visitor fail to perform the duties of his office for one year without good cause
 123 124 125 126 127 128 	constitute a quorum. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-119 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-118). <u>§ 23-120. When office of visitor deemed vacant.</u> If any visitor fail to perform the duties of his office for one year without good cause shown to the board, the board shall, at the next meeting after the end of such year, cause the fact
123 124 125 126 127 128 129	constitute a quorum. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-119 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-118). § 23-120. When office of visitor deemed vacant. If any visitor fail to perform the duties of his office for one year without good cause shown to the board, the board shall, at the next meeting after the end of such year, cause the fact of such failure to be recorded in the minutes of their proceedings, and certify the same to the
123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130	constitute a quorum. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-119 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-118). § 23-120. When office of visitor deemed vacant. If any visitor fail to perform the duties of his office for one year without good cause shown to the board, the board shall, at the next meeting after the end of such year, cause the fact of such failure to be recorded in the minutes of their proceedings, and certify the same to the Governor, and the office of such visitor shall thereupon be vacant. If so many of such visitors

134 Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-120 are stricken and incorporated 135 into proposed § 23.1-13xx. 136 Note to work group: Repealed in 2015 (HB 1791). § 23-121. Meetings of board. 137 138 The board shall meet at Blacksburg, in the County of Montgomery, at least once a year, and at such other times or places as they shall determine, the days of meeting to be fixed by 139 them. Special meetings of the board may be called by the Governor, the rector, or any three 140 members. In either of such cases, notice of the time and place of meeting shall be given to every 141 142 other member. 143 Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-121 are stricken and incorporated 144 into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-118). 145 § 23-122. Powers and duties of board generally; expenses. 146 The board shall be charged with the care and preservation and improvement of the 147 property belonging to the University, and with the protection and safety of students and other 148 persons residing on the property, and in pursuance thereof shall be empowered to change roads 149 or driveways on the property or entrances thereto, or to close temporarily or permanently the roads, driveways and entrances; to prohibit entrance to the property of undesirable and 150 151 disorderly persons, or to eject such persons from the property, and to prosecute under the laws 152 of the state trespassers and persons committing offenses on the property. 153 The board shall regulate the government and discipline of the students; and, generally, in respect to the government of the University, may make such regulations as they deem expedient, 154 155 not contrary to law. Such reasonable expenses as the visitors may incur in the discharge of their 156 duties shall be paid out of the funds of the University. 157 Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122 are stricken and incorporated 158 into proposed § 23.1-13xx. 159 § 23-122.1. Investment of endowment funds, endowment income, and gifts; standard of **160** care; liability; exemption from the Virginia Public Procurement Act.

A. The board of visitors shall invest and manage the endowment funds, endowment 161 162 income, gifts, all other nongeneral fund reserves and balances, and local funds of or held by the 163 University in accordance with this section and the provisions of the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (§ 64.2-1100 et seq.). 164 165 B. No member of the board of visitors shall be personally liable for losses suffered by an endowment fund, endowment income, gifts, all other nongeneral fund reserves and balances, or 166 local funds of or held by the University, arising from investments made pursuant to the 167 168 provisions of subsection A. C. The investment and management of endowment funds, endowment income, gifts, all 169 170 other nongeneral fund reserves and balances, or local funds of or held by the University shall 171 not be subject to the provisions of the Virginia Public Procurement Act (§ 2.2-4300 et seq.). D. In addition to the investment practices authorized by the Uniform Prudent 172 Management of Institutional Funds Act (§ 64.2-1100 et seq.), the board of visitors may also 173 174 invest or reinvest the endowment funds, endowment income, gifts, all other nongeneral fund 175 reserves and balances, and local funds of or held by the University in derivatives, options, and 176 financial securities. 177 1. In this section, "derivative" means a contract or financial instrument or a combination of contracts and financial instruments, including, without limitation, any contract commonly 178 179 known as a "swap," which gives the University the right or obligation to deliver or receive 180 delivery of, or make or receive payments based on, changes in the price, value, vield or other characteristic of a tangible or intangible asset or group of assets, or changes in a rate, an index 181 182 of prices or rates, or other market indicator for an asset or a group of assets. 183 2. In this section, an "option" means an agreement or contract whereby the University

may grant or receive the right to purchase or sell, or pay or receive the value of, any personal 185 property asset including, without limitation, any agreement or contract that relates to any

186 security, contract, or agreement.

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187	3. In this section, "financial security" means any note, stock, treasury stock, bond,
188	debenture, evidence of indebtedness, certificate of interest, collateral trust certificate,
189	preorganization certificate of subscription, transferable share, investment contract, voting trust
190	certificate, certificate of deposit for a security, fractional undivided interest in oil, gas, or other
191	mineral rights, any put, call, straddle, option, or privilege on any security, certificate of deposit,
192	or group or index of securities (including any interest therein or based on the value thereof), or
193	any put, call, straddle, option, or privilege entered into on a national securities exchange relating
194	to foreign currency, or in general, any interest or instrument commonly known as a "security,"
195	or any certificate of interest or participation in, temporary or interim security for, receipt for,
196	guarantee of, or warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase any of the foregoing.
197	E. The authority as provided in this section as it relates to nongeneral fund reserves and
198	balances of or held by the University is predicated upon an approved management agreement
199	between the University and the Commonwealth of Virginia.
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200	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated
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200 201	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx.
200 201 202	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123.
200 201 202 203	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123. Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319.
200 201 202 203 204	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. <u>§ 23-123.</u> Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319. <u>§ 23-124. Appointment of professors; removal of professors and officers.</u>
 200 201 202 203 204 205 	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123. Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319. § 23-124. Appointment of professors; removal of professors and officers. The board shall appoint as many professors as they deem proper, and, with the assent of
 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123. Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319. § 23-124. Appointment of professors; removal of professors and officers. The board shall appoint as many professors as they deem proper, and, with the assent of two-thirds of the members of the board, may remove any professor or, subject to the provisions
 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123. Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319. § 23-124. Appointment of professors; removal of professors and officers. The board shall appoint as many professors as they deem proper, and, with the assent of two thirds of the members of the board, may remove any professor or, subject to the provisions of Chapter 29 (§ 2.2-2900 et seq.) of Title 2.2, any other officer of the University.
 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208 	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123. Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319. § 23-124. Appointment of professors; removal of professors and officers. The board shall appoint as many professors as they deem proper, and, with the assent of two thirds of the members of the board, may remove any professor or, subject to the provisions of Chapter 29 (§ 2.2-2900 et seq.) of Title 2.2, any other officer of the University. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-124 are stricken and incorporated
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208 209	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-122.1 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-10xx. § 23-123. Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319. § 23-124. Appointment of professors; removal of professors and officers. The board shall appoint as many professors as they deem proper, and, with the assent of two-thirds of the members of the board, may remove any professor or, subject to the provisions of Chapter 29 (§ 2.2-2900 et seq.) of Title 2.2, any other officer of the University. Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-124 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-126).

213	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-125 are stricken and incorporated
214	into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-126).
215	§-23-126_23.1-26xx. Appointment of president; employment of agents or servants
216	Employees.
217	The board shall appoint a president of the University and A. The board shall appoint a
218	treasurer of the University. The treasurer or the officer who controls the funds of the University
219	shall give bond in the sum of \$50,000, payable to the Commonwealth, with condition for the
220	faithful discharge of the duties of his office. The bond shall be approved by the board, entered
221	on the board's journal, and transmitted to the Comptroller and shall remain filed in the
222	Comptroller's office.
223	B. The board may appoint a vice-president of the University and prescribe his authority,
224	duties, and compensation, if any. The vice-president shall hold office at the pleasure of the
225	board.
226	C. The board may employ a secretary of the University, a clerk to the board, and such
227	other agents-or, servants, officers, assistants, and deputies as may be necessary to conduct the
228	business and affairs of the University.
229	D. The board may remove any officer of the University with the assent of two-thirds of
230	its members, subject to the provisions of the Virginia Personnel Act (§ 2.2-2900 et seq.).
231	E. The board shall employ as many professors as it deems proper, prescribe their duties,
232	and set their salaries. The board may remove any professor with the assent of two-thirds of its
233	members.
234	Drafting note: Provisions related to specific employees and officers of the
235	University contained in existing §§ 23-124, 23-125, 23-127, and 23-128 are consolidated in
236	this proposed § 23.1-26xx.
237	§ 23-127. Bond of treasurer.
238	The board shall require the treasurer, or the officer in whose hands the funds of the
239	University may be placed, to give bond in the sum of \$50,000, payable to the Commonwealth,

240	with condition for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office, which bond being approved
241	by the board and entered at large on its journal, shall be transmitted to the Comptroller, and
242	remain filed in his office.
243	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-127 are stricken and incorporated
244	into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-126).
245	§ 23-128. Professors' salaries; fees of students.
246	Each professor shall receive a stated salary, to be fixed by the board of visitors. The
247	board shall fix the fees to be charged for tuition of students, other than those allowed
248	scholarships under § 23-31, which shall be a credit to the fund of the University.
249	Drafting note: The provisions of the first sentence of existing § 23-128 are stricken
250	and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx (existing § 23-126). The provisions of the
251	second sentence of existing § 23-128 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-
252	13xx.
253	§ 23-129.
254	Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1981, c. 319.
255	§- <u>23-130_23.1-26xx</u> . Curriculum.
256	The curriculum of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall-embrace
257	such branches of learning as relate to include agriculture and the mechanic arts, without
258	excluding other scientific and studies, classical studies, engineering, and including military
259	tactics.
260	Drafting note: Technical changes.
261	§ 23-131. School of mines continued.
262	The school of mines now established at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
263	University is continued, and shall receive for its support such sums as may be appropriated by
264	law for the purpose.
265	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-131 are stricken as obsolete.
266	§ 23-132.

Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1972, c. 48.

268 §-23-155.05_23.1-26xx. Purchase of electric power and energy; duration of contracts;
 269 source of payments.

270 A. For purposes of this section:

"Other party" means any other entity, including<u>but not limited to any</u> (i)<u>another</u>
municipality<u>or</u>, public institution of higher education, or<u>any</u> political subdivision, public
authority, agency, or instrumentality of the Commonwealth,<u>another</u> or state, or the United
States<u>of</u> America<u>or</u> (ii)<u>a</u> partnership, limited liability company, not-for-profit corporation,
electric cooperative, or investor-owned utility, whether created, incorporated, or otherwise
organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth or<u>another</u> state or the United
States<u>of</u> America.

"Project" means any (i) system or facilities for the generation, transmission,
transformation, or supply of electrical power and energy by any means whatsoever, including
but not limited to fuel, fuel transportation, and fuel supply resources and other related facilities,
any one or more; (ii) electric generating units unit situated at a particular site; in the continental
United States of America, or any; (iii) interest in the foregoing such system, facilities, or unit,
whether an undivided interest as a tenant in common or otherwise; or <u>any (iv)</u> right to the
output, capacity, or services thereof of such system, facilities, or unit.

285 B. Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State The University may contract with any other 286 party to buy power and energy required for to meet its present or future requirements. Such 287 contracts Any such contract may provide that (i) the source of such power and energy is limited 288 to a specified project-or may include provision for; (ii) replacement power and energy. Any such 289 contract may provide that shall be provided; or (iii) the University shall be obligated to make 290 payments required by the contract whether or not a the project is completed, operable, or 291 operating and notwithstanding the suspension, interruption, interference, reduction, or 292 curtailment of the output of a project or the amount of power and energy contracted for, and that 293 such; (iv) payments-under required by the contract (a) shall not be subject to any reduction,

294 whether by offset or otherwise, and (b) shall not be conditioned upon the performance or 295 nonperformance-by of any other party. Such contracts, with respect to any project, may also 296 provide, in the event of default by the University or any other party to any such contract for such 297 project in the performance of its obligations thereunder, for the University or other party to any such contract for such project to succeed to the rights and interests and assume the obligations 298 299 of the defaulting party, pro rata or otherwise as may be agreed upon in such contracts. Such 300 contracts may provide that the other party is not obligated to provide power and energy in the 301 event that the project specified to be the source of power and energy to be purchased and sold 302 under such contracts is inoperable or in the case of the suspension, interference, reduction or 303 curtailment of the output of such project or in events of force majeure.

Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law or charter provision to the contrary, any
 such contract, with respect to the sale or purchase of capacity, output, power, or energy from a
 project, may extend for a period not exceeding 50 years from the date a project is estimated to
 be placed in normal continuous operation; and the execution and effectiveness thereof shall not
 be subject to any authorizations or approvals by the Commonwealth or any agency, commission,
 or instrumentality or political subdivision thereof except as specifically required by law.

310 Any such contract shall provide that payments by the University under any such 311 contract, (c) shall be made solely from, and may be secured by a pledge of and lien upon, the 312 revenues derived by the University from the ownership and operation of the electric system of 313 the University, (d) may be secured by a pledge of and such payments lien upon the electric 314 system of the University, and (e) shall constitute an operating expense of such the electric 315 system of the University; (v) in the event of default by the University or any other party to the 316 contract in the performance of its obligations for any project, the University or any other party 317 to the contract for such project shall succeed to the rights and interests and assume the 318 obligations of the defaulting party, either pro rata or as may be otherwise agreed upon in the 319 contract; or (vi) no other party shall be obligated to provide power and energy in the event that

320	(a) the project is inoperable, (b) the output of the project is subject to suspension, interference,
321	reduction or curtailment, or (c) a force majeure occurs.
322	C. Notwithstanding any other charter or provision of law to the contrary, no such
323	contract, with respect to the sale or purchase of capacity, output, power, or energy from a
324	project, shall exceed 50 years from the date that the project is estimated to be placed in normal
325	continuous operation.
326	D. The execution and effectiveness of any such contract shall not be subject to any
327	authorizations and approvals by the Commonwealth or any agency, commission,
328	instrumentality, or political subdivision of the Commonwealth except as specifically required by
329	<u>law.</u>
330	\underline{E} . No obligation under <u>any</u> such contract shall constitute a legal or equitable pledge,
331	charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any property of the University or upon any of its income,
332	receipts, or revenues, except the revenues of its electric system, and the faith and credit of the
333	University are not, or may shall not be, pledged for the payment of any obligation under any
334	such contract.
335	F. The University shall be obligated to fix, charge, and collect rents, rates, fees, and
336	charges for electric power and energy and other services, facilities, and commodities sold,
337	furnished, or supplied through its electric system sufficient to provide revenues adequate to
338	meet its obligations under any such contract and to pay any and all other amounts payable from
339	or constituting a charge and lien upon such revenues, including amounts sufficient to pay the
340	principal of and interest on bonds of the University-heretofore or hereafter issued for purposes
341	related to its electric system. Any pledge made by the University pursuant to this-paragraph

342 <u>subsection</u> shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth.

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343 Drafting note: The provisions of the single section in existing Article 7 (§ 23-155.05)
344 of Chapter 11 are logically relocated as proposed § 23.1-26xx of Article 1 of Chapter 26.
345 Technical changes are made.

Article<u>1.1</u>2.

347	Virginia Cooperative Extension and Agricultural Experiment Station Division; Hampton Roads
348	Agricultural Research and Extension Center.
349	Drafting note: Article 2 logically combines provisions on the closely related
350	Virginia Cooperative Extension and Agricultural Experiment Station Division and
351	Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center. Technical changes are
352	made.
353	§-23-132.1_23.1-26xx. Virginia Cooperative Extension and Agricultural Experiment
354	Station Division established; Cooperative Extension Service recognized.
355	A. There is hereby established within the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
356	University a division to be known as the Virginia Cooperative Extension and Agricultural
357	Experiment Station Division, hereinafter referred to as (the Division), which shall encompass
358	and administer the Virginia Cooperative Extension Service and the Agricultural Experiment
359	Station with appropriate supporting programs.
360	Further, the B. The Cooperative Extension Service Program within Virginia State
361	University, hereinafter referred to as "_(the Service Program,") is hereby recognized. The
362	Cooperative Extension Service Program shall be operated cooperatively by Virginia Polytechnic
363	Institute and State the University and Virginia State University, with agreed upon agreed-upon
364	areas of program and service emphasis as set forth in the unified plan submitted by the two
365	institutions to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Drafting note: Technical changes.

367 § <u>-23-132.2</u> <u>23.1-26xx</u>. Administration of <u>the</u> Division.

368 The board-of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall
369 provide for the administration of such the Division through the regular administrative and fiscal
370 officers of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University and shall make appointments
371 to the administrative and research staff on recommendation of the president of the Virginia
372 Polytechnic Institute and State University.

374 §-23-132.3 23.1-26xx. Duties of the Division; how work to be performed and the
375 Service.

A. The Virginia Cooperative Extension Division and the Service shall provide the people 376 of the Commonwealth with information and knowledge on subjects related to agriculture, 377 378 including horticulture and silviculture, agribusiness, home economics, community resource 379 development, 4-H Clubs, and related subjects relating thereto, through instruction and the 380 dissemination of useful and practical information through demonstrations, conferences, courses, 381 workshops, publications, meetings, and mass media. The necessary printing and distribution of 382 information in connection with the foregoing and this work shall be carried on performed in 383 such manner as may be mutually agreed upon by Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University for the work of the Division, the Virginia State University for the work of the Service 384 385 Program, (i) the Governor or his-designated representative designee, the United States U.S. 386 Secretary of Agriculture, the United States U.S. Secretary of Commerce, and other participating 387 bodies, and the University for the work of the Division and (ii) the Governor or his designee, the 388 U.S. Secretary of Agriculture, the U.S. Secretary of Commerce, other participating bodies, and Virginia State University for the work of the Service. 389 390 B. The Cooperative Extension Service Program shall also conduct educational programs and disseminate useful and practical information to the people of the Commonwealth Personnel 391

- 392 of the Division shall inform local governing bodies of the Commonwealth whenever agricultural
- 393 conditions are present in such localities that would warrant the declaration of a disaster pursuant
 394 to 42 U.S.C. § 5141.
- 395 C. Personnel of the Division shall provide farmers and local governing bodies with such396 assistance and information as is available concerning federal and state disaster relief programs.
- 397 <u>D.</u> The Agricultural Experiment Station shall conduct research and investigations and
 398 establish, publish, and distribute results in such forms as will tend to increase the economy,
 399 efficiency, and safety of the various enterprises and activities of interest to the Commonwealth

400 and the nation, and promote the conservation and economic utilization of its natural and human
401 resources.

402 Drafting note: Subsections B and C logically incorporate the provisions of existing
403 § 3.2-503. Technical changes are made.

404 §-23-132.4 23.1-26xx. Selection of personnel; rules and regulations; work may be
405 conducted with both adults and youth Personnel; local units.

406 It shall be the duty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State-A. The University and **407** of the Virginia State University, in cooperation with the departments and agencies of the federal 408 government, to shall exercise great care in the selection of personnel to carry out and supervise 409 the work-and to supervise the work to see that it is properly done throughout the Commonwealth 410 of the Division and the Service. The work shall be conducted under such rules and regulations 411 as may be adopted by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University for the work of the 412 Division and by the Virginia State University, in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, for the work of the Service-in cooperative relation to the United States Department 413 414 of Agriculture Program.

- 415 <u>B.</u> The Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University through the Division and the
 416 Virginia State University through the Service are authorized to conduct work with both adults
 417 and youth through local units to be known as "departments of extension and continuing
 418 education."
- 419 Drafting note: Technical changes are made, including use of "regulations" rather
 420 than "rules and regulations" per recommendation of the Code Commission.
- 421 §-23-132.5 23.1-26xx. Sources from which moneys may be received; disposition of
 422 receipts Division; funding sources.
- The Division may receive moneys from the Commonwealth, the federal government-or,
 and private sources-and all. All receipts of the Division shall be deposited to the credit of the
 general fund of the state treasury and are hereby appropriated to the Virginia Polytechnic
 Institute and State University to be used exclusively for the purposes of the Division.

Drafting note: Technical changes.

- **428** §-<u>23-132.6</u>_23.1-26xx. <u>Appropriations</u> The Division and the Service; appropriations by
- **429** <u>the General Assembly.</u>

430 There is hereby authorized to be appropriated for the purposes of this chapter such sums

431 as the <u>A</u>. The General Assembly may from time to time determine to be appropriate such funds

432 to the Division and the Service as it deems necessary. Any money that may be appropriated

433 from the general fund of the state treasury, or received and appropriated general funds and funds

434 <u>received</u> from any agency or department of the federal government for the purposes of carrying

435 out this chapter article shall be expended by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State

436 University through the Division and by the Virginia State University through the Service,

437 <u>Program</u> and shall be accounted for in the manner prescribed by applicable law or regulations.

438 <u>B. Funds appropriated by the General Assembly shall be used by the University or</u>
 439 <u>Virginia State University for the purpose of conducting cooperative extension services in the</u>
 440 Commonwealth. Such funds may be used to defray all necessary expenses, including salaries,

441 travel expenses, equipment, supplies, or other authorized expenses.

442 Drafting note: Subsection B incorporates the provisions of existing § 23-132.7 with
443 the exception of the explanatory provisions contained in that section. Technical changes
444 are made.

445 § 23-132.7. For what purposes funds may be used.

The funds appropriated by the General Assembly as provided in § 23-132.6 shall be used 446 447 by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University and by the Virginia State University **448** for the purpose of conducting cooperative extension services in the Commonwealth of Virginia 449 and in cooperation with the several counties, cities, and other participating bodies therein so far 450 as said funds will permit. "Cooperative extension service" is the function traditionally associated 451 with the term "extension," which is the joint federal, state, and local program designed to aid 452 transfer of information and research capabilities of land grant universities to citizens. 453 Traditionally, the cooperative extension services focus on agriculture, including horticulture and

454	silviculture, agribusiness, home economics, community resource development, and 4-H Clubs.
455	These funds may be used for defraying all necessary expenses, including the payment of salaries
456	and travel expenses, buying of equipment and supplies, and for other authorized expenses in
457	connection with carrying out the work.
458	Drafting note: With the exception of explanatory statements, the provisions of
459	existing § 23.1-132.7 are stricken and incorporated into proposed § 23.1-26xx. Explanatory
460	statements are stricken.
461	§-23-132.8_23.1-26xx. Appropriations The Division; appropriations by local governing
462	bodies.
463	The Any local governing bodies of the several counties and cities body of the
464	Commonwealth-are hereby authorized and empowered to may appropriate out of the county or
465	city funds for the support of such, to be supplemented by funds appropriated by the General
466	Assembly to the University for the Division and such other funds as the University may
467	allocate, to support the activities of the Division such sums as said governing bodies may deem
468	proper; the sums so appropriated are to be used in cooperation with the Virginia Polytechnic
469	Institute and State University for paying such portions of the expenses of the Division and in
470	such manner as may be agreed upon by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
471	and the local governing body. Funds appropriated by the governing bodies of the county or city
472	are to be supplemented by a sum or sums to be paid out of funds appropriated by the General
473	Assembly to the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University for the Division and such
474	funds as may be allotted from funds under its control.
475	Drafting note: Technical changes.
476	§-23-132.9 23.1-26xx. Soil Agricultural Experiment Station; soil survey.
477	For the purpose of continuing a survey of the soils of the Commonwealth-which that was
478	begun by the United States U.S. Department of Agriculture, there is hereby authorized and
479	directed to be made under the direction and supervision of such agricultural experiment station,
480	the Agricultural Experiment Station, in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Agriculture,

shall conduct a comprehensive soil survey of the Commonwealth of such a character and along 482 such lines as to obtain an inventory of the soil resources of the Commonwealth and to determine 483 their adaptability to various crops, forestry, and livestock enterprises in order to promote the **48**4 utilization of the lands of the Commonwealth in the most practical and economical way. It is 485 contemplated that the experiment station will make this survey in cooperation with the United 486 States Department of Agriculture. 487 **Drafting note: Technical changes.** 488 §-23-132.10 23.1-26xx. Agricultural Experiment Station; agricultural survey. 489 There is authorized to be made under the direction and supervision of such agricultural 490 experiment station, The Agricultural Experiment Station, in cooperation with similar agencies of 491 the federal government, may conduct a thorough and comprehensive agricultural survey of the 492 Commonwealth according to the most approved methods in practice, or which may be devised, 493 for the purpose of gathering to gather facts and information in regard to on existing agricultural 494 conditions in Virginia, the Commonwealth and data upon which to base a study of agricultural 495 economics and a constructive program for the development of agriculture and agricultural 496 resources, which survey shall include matters pertaining to. The survey shall examine (i) soils 497 and soil fertility and management; (ii) soil erosion and drainage problems affecting soil fertility 498 and productivity; (iii) the adaptation of various soil types, elevations, and seasonable conditions 499 to crops produced or which that may suitably be produced; (iv) farm layout and selection and; 500 (v) arrangement of fields for the use of labor-saving machinery, and; (vi) economy and 501 convenience in cultivation and farm operations; (vii) methods of cultivation, production, and 502 handling of crops, and; (viii) general farm management; (ix) the various crops produced on 503 farms, and their yield and gross value compared with the cost of production and courses of low 504 yield; (x) farm labor, and its distribution and efficiency; (xi) labor incomes of the various 505 classes of farm labor; (xii) the relation of various farm products to public needs and local and 506 general supply and demand; (xiii) farm incomes and income sources; (xiv) capital investment 507 and return; (xv) distribution of capital investment; (xvi) the character and extent of idle lands

508 and their suitability for cultivation or other agricultural purposes in the various localities and 509 what, if any, profitable use may be made of them through the introduction of livestock or crops 510 adapted to such soils, by individuals or on a community plan, with notations of elevation, 511 topography, temperatures, and seasonal conditions-as affecting-fruit production of fruit, cotton 512 or, and other crops; and (xvii) any other information or studies which that may seem advisable 513 in determining methods for the betterment of agricultural conditions and the development of the 514 agricultural resources of the Commonwealth. 515 It is contemplated that in making the foregoing survey that the agricultural experiment station will, and is hereby authorized to, work in conjunction with and cooperate with similar 516 517 agencies of the federal government whenever a suitable and satisfactory arrangement can be made for such cooperation. 518 519 **Drafting note: Technical changes.** 520 Article 6. Virginia Truck and Ornamentals Research Station. 521 522 Drafting note: Existing Article 6 (§ 23-155.01 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is stricken and 523 its four sections are relocated to proposed Article 2 of this chapter with technical changes 524 to reflect its name in current use. 525 §-23-155.01 23.1-26xx. Established Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and 526 Extension Center established. 527 The Virginia Truck and Ornamentals Hampton Roads Agricultural Research Station is 528 hereby abolished as a permanent state institution and is reestablished and Extension Center is 529 established as a component of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station which is, by the 530 provisions of § 23-132.1, part of the Research Division at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. 531 532 Drafting note: Existing § 23-155.01 of Article 6 (§ 23-155.01 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is 533 logically relocated as proposed § 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made, including

534 updating the name of the Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center.

535 §-23-155.02 23.1-26xx.-Function Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension
536 Center; function.

The Virginia Truck and Ornamentals Hampton Roads Agricultural Research Station, at 537 times hereafter referred to as the "Station," and Extension Center shall conduct basic and 538 539 applied research in the fields of horticulture, plant breeding and variety testing, entomology, 540 nematology, plant pathology, plant physiology, and soil science which may bear directly on the 541 interests of commercial growers of vegetable and ornamental crops in the Tidewater Virginia 542 region of the Commonwealth. The station Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension 543 Center shall coordinate its research with related work of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment 544 Station to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort. The information acquired Hampton Roads 545 Agricultural Research and Extension Center shall disseminate the results of its research conducted pursuant to this section shall be disseminated. The Norfolk and Eastern Shore 546 547 branches of the station will Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center shall be retained as active research stations. 548

549 Drafting note: Existing § 23-155.02 of Article 6 (§ 23-155.01 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is 550 logically relocated as proposed § 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.

551 <u>§ 23-155.03. Board of Directors.</u>

552 A Board of Directors shall serve as an advisory body representing local agricultural 553 interests. The Board will consist of five members, all appointed by the Dean of the College of 554 Agriculture and Life Sciences. Three of the appointive members shall be selected from the membership of the Association of Virginia Potato and Vegetable Growers, Incorporated. Two of 555 556 the appointive members shall be selected from the membership of the Virginia Nurseryman's 557 Association, Incorporated. The term of office of the appointive members shall be four years. 558 The members of the Board shall name one of its members chairman and three members of the 559 Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The Board shall hold at least one meeting annually at either the Norfolk or Eastern Shore branch research stations and such other 560

561	meetings as may be necessary at times and places as the chairman or any three members may
562	designate.
563	Drafting note: Existing § 23-155.03 is stricken as obsolete.
564	§-23-155.04_23.1-26xx. Executive Dirtector Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and
565	Extension Center; executive director.
566	An Executive Director executive director shall be appointed to administer the Norfolk
567	and Eastern Shore branches of the station Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension
568	Center and to carry out the station's its research program of research. The Executive Director
569	executive director shall serve at the pleasure of and be answerable to the Dean of the College of
570	Agriculture and Life Sciences of the University.
571	Drafting note: Existing § 23-155.04 of Article 6 (§ 23-155.01 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is
572	logically relocated as proposed § 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.
573	§-23-132.11 23.1-26xx. Reports The Division and the Service; reports.
574	A. The Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall file such reports on the
575	activities of the Division; the Virginia State University shall file such reports on the activities of
576	the Service Program as may be required by law or requested by the Governor; and the two
577	institutions.
578	B. Virginia State University shall file such reports on the activities of the Service as may
579	be required by law or requested by the Governor.
580	C. The University and Virginia State University shall file such reports on the unified
581	plan as may be required by law or requested by the Governor.
582	Drafting note: Technical changes.
583	§ 23-132.12 23.1-26xx. Construction of acts relating to the Virginia Cooperative
584	Extension Service and Agricultural Experiment Station Division of Virginia Polytechnic
585	Institute and State University.
586	All acts and parts of acts relating to the Virginia Cooperative Extension Service and
587	Agricultural Experiment Station Division of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State

588	University shall be construed as relating to the Division as established by this article, and no
589	such act-or part of an act shall be construed as limiting the provisions of this article.
590	Drafting note: Technical changes.
591	Article 2.
592	Research Division.
593	§§ 23-133 through 23-135.7.
594	Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1994, c. 433.
595	Article- <u>2.01_3</u> .
596	Virginia Center for Coal and Energy Research.
597	Drafting note: Technical changes.
598	§ 23-135.7:1 23.1-26xx. Created Virginia Center for Coal and Energy Research
599	established.
600	The Virginia Center for Coal and Energy Research (the Center) is hereby created to be
601	located at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, hereinafter referred to as the
602	Center.
603	§ 23-135.7:2. Function.
604	The Center shall be established as an interdisciplinary study, research, information, and
605	resource facility for the Commonwealth of Virginia utilizing and shall utilize the full
606	capabilities of faculty, staff, libraries, and laboratories for the benefit of Virginians and the
607	expansion of knowledge pertaining to coal and energy research and development. The Center
608	shall be located at the University.
609	Drafting note: Existing §§ 23-135.7:1 and 23-135.7:2 are logically combined in
610	proposed § 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.
611	§- <u>23-135.7:3</u> 23.1-26xx. Control and supervision.
612	The Center shall be subject to the control and supervision of the board-of visitors of
613	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
614	Drafting note: Technical changes.

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615	§-23-135.7:4_23.1-26xx. Appointment of executive Executive director.
616	The board of visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall appoint
617	an executive director for the Center-
618	§ 23-135.7:5. Powers and duties of executive director.
619	The executive director with who, subject to the approval of the board of visitors of
620	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, shall have the following powers and duties:
621	1. Exercise all powers and perform all duties imposed upon him by law; and
622	2. Carry out the specific duties imposed upon him by the board-of visitors of Virginia
623	Polytechnic Institute and State University; and
624	3. Employ such personnel and contract for such services as may be required to carry out
625	the purposes of this article.
626	Drafting note: Existing §§ 23-135.7:4 and 23-135.7:5 are logically combined in this
627	proposed § 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.
628	§- <u>23-135.7:6</u> 23.1-26xx. Powers and duties of <u>the</u> Center.
629	The Center, under the direction of the executive director, shall have the following
630	powers and duties:
631	1. <u>To develop Develop</u> a degree program in energy production and conservation research
632	at the master's level in conjunction with the State Council-on Higher Education;
633	2. <u>To develop Develop</u> and provide programs of continuing education and in-service
634	training for persons who work in the field fields of coal or other energy research, development,
635	or production;
636	3. To operate in conjunction Collaborate with other departments of Virginia Polytechnic
637	Institute and State the University, including but not limited to the Department of Mining and
638	Minerals Engineering;
639	4To conduct Conduct research in the fields of coal, coal utilization, migrating natural
640	gases such as methane and propane, and other energy related energy-related work;

- 641 5. <u>To collect Collect</u> and maintain data on energy production, development, and
 642 utilization;
- 643 6. <u>To foster Foster</u> the utilization of research information, discoveries, and data;
- 644 7. To coordinate Coordinate the functions of the Center with each of the Center's energy
 645 research facilities to prevent duplication of effort;
- 646 8. <u>To apply Apply</u> for and accept grants from the <u>United States federal</u> government and
- 647 the, state government-and agencies and instrumentalities thereof, and from any other source-in
- 648 carrying to carry out the purposes of this article. To these ends, the The Center shall have the
- 649 power to may comply with <u>such</u> conditions and execute such agreements as may be necessary to
 650 accept such grants;
- 651 9. To accept <u>Accept</u> gifts, bequests, and any other thing of value to be used for carrying
 652 carry out the purposes of this article;
- 653 10. To receive <u>Receive</u>, administer, and expend all funds and other assistance made
 654 available to the Center for to carry out the purposes of <u>carrying out</u> this article;
- 655 11. To consult Consult with the Division of Energy of the Department of Mines,
 656 Minerals and Energy in the preparation of the Virginia Energy Plan pursuant to § 67-201; and
- 657 12. To do Do all things necessary or convenient for the proper administration of this658 article.
- **659 Drafting note: Technical changes.**
- 660 §-23-135.7:7 23.1-26xx. Advisory Committee continued as Virginia Coal Research and
- **661** <u>Development</u> Advisory Board.
- 662 The Virginia Coal Research and Development Advisory Committee is continued and
 663 shall hereafter be known as the Virginia Coal Research and Development Advisory Board. The
 664 (the Advisory Board) shall serve in an advisory capacity to the Executive Director executive
 665 director of the Virginia Center for Coal and Energy Research.
- 666 1. The Advisory Board shall be authorized to advise on those matters set forth in § 23667 135.7:2.

668	2. Representatives to the Advisory Board shall be appointed by the Board of Visitors of
669	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University board.
670	3. The Board of Visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University board
671	shall-also appoint such other individuals as-they-deem_it_deems necessary to the work of the
672	Advisory Board.
673	4. Representatives Members shall include representatives from the Department of
674	Conservation and Historic Resources Recreation; the Department of Small Business and
675	Supplier Diversity; the Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy; the Department of Labor
676	and Industry; the Virginia Port Authority, the institutions; and each public institution of higher
677	education, excluding Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State the University, and the
678	Community College System shall serve as the Advisory Board.
679	Drafting note: Technical changes are made, including correcting the name of the
680	Department of Conservation and Recreation.
681	Article- <u>2.02_4</u> .
682	Virginia Water Resources Research Center.
683	Drafting note: Technical changes.
684	§-23-135.7:8. 23.1-26xx. Established Virginia Water Resources Research Center
685	established.
686	The Virginia Water Resources Research Center, which came into existence as the result
687	of the Water Resources Research Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-379), (the Water Center) is hereby
688	established-as the Virginia Water Resources Research Center, hereinafter referred to as the
689	Water Center, to be located at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, for the
690	purposes of developing, implementing and coordinating to develop, implement, and coordinate
691	water and related land research programs in the Commonwealth and transferring transfer the
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692	results of research and new technology to potential users. The Water Center shall be located at
692 693	results of research and new technology to potential users. <u>The Water Center shall be located at</u> the University.

695 § <u>23-135.7:10</u> <u>23.1-26xx</u>. Control and supervision.

- 696 The Water Center-shall be is a unit of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State the
- 697 University under the supervision and control of the <u>University's Board of Visitors board</u>.
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Drafting note: Technical changes.

699 §-23-135.7:9 23.1-26xx. Functions, powers, and duties of the Water Center.

700 A. The Water Center shall: (i) consult with the General Assembly; federal, state, and 701 local agencies; water user groups; private industry; and other potential users of research; (ii) 702 establish and administer agreements with other universities of institutions of higher education in 703 the Commonwealth for the to conduct of research projects; (iii) [Repealed.] (iv) disseminate 704 new information and facilitate the transfer and application of new technology; -(v) (iv) be a 705 liaison between Virginia the Commonwealth and the federal research funding agencies as an and advocate for Virginia's the Commonwealth's water research needs; (vi) and (v) encourage 706 707 the development of academic programs in water resources management in conjunction with the 708 State Council-on Higher Education.

B. In addition, the The Water Center shall facilitate and stimulate research that: (i) deals
with policy issues facing the General Assembly; (ii) supports the state water resource agencies; and (iii) provides water planning and management organizations with tools to increase
efficiency and effectiveness of water planning and management.

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Drafting note: Technical changes.

714 § <u>23-135.7:11</u> <u>23.1-26xx</u>. <u>Appointment of an executive Executive</u> director.

A. The principal administrative officer of the Water Center shall be an executive
director, who shall be appointed by the <u>President_president</u> of <u>Virginia Polytechnic Institute and</u>
State the University with, subject to the approval of the Board of Visitors, and who board. The
executive director shall be under the supervision of the <u>President_president</u> of <u>Virginia</u>
Polytechnic Institute and State the University.

720 <u>§ 23-135.7:12. Powers and duties of the Executive Director.</u>

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721 B. The Executive Director executive director shall exercise all powers imposed upon 722 him by law, carry out the specific duties imposed upon him by the President president of 723 Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State the University, and develop appropriate policies and 724 procedures, with the advice of the Virginia Water Resources Research Center Statewide 725 Advisory Board, for (i) identifying priority research problems; (ii) collaborating with the 726 General Assembly; federal, state, and local governmental agencies; and water user groups in the 727 formulation of its research programs; (iii) selecting projects to be funded; and (iv) disseminating 728 information and transferring technology designed to help resolve water and related land 729 problems of the Commonwealth. He shall employ such personnel and secure such services as 730 may be required to carry out the purposes of this article and expend appropriated funds and accept moneys for cost-sharing on projects funded with federal and private funds. 731

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Drafting note: Existing §§ 23-135.7:11 and 23-135.7:12 are combined in proposed § 733 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.

734 § 23-135.7:13 23.1-26xx. Statewide Advisory Committee continued as Virginia Water 735 Resources Research Center Statewide Advisory Board.

736 The Virginia Water Resources Research Center Statewide Advisory Committee is 737 continued and shall hereafter be known as the Virginia Water Resources Research Center 738 Statewide Advisory Board. The (the Statewide Advisory Board) shall serve in an advisory 739 capacity to the Executive Director executive director of the Water Center. Representatives of the 740 Statewide Advisory Board shall be appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the 741 General Assembly, and shall include balanced representation from industries; federal, state, and 742 local agencies; water user groups; and concerned citizens. The Statewide Advisory Board shall 743 (i) recommend policy guidelines for implementing the functions of the Water Center-and, (ii) 744 evaluate the programs of the Water Center;, and (ii) (iii) advise and counsel with the Executive 745 Director executive director of the Water Center and make recommendations to assist him in 746 carrying out the purposes of this article.

748	Article-2.03 5.
749	Virginia Center for Housing Research.
750	Drafting note: Technical changes.
751	§-23-135.7:14 23.1-26xx. Virginia Center for Housing Research established.
752	The Virginia Center for Housing Research, hereinafter referred to as (the Housing
753	Center,) is hereby created to established and shall be located at Virginia Polytechnic Institute
754	and State the University.
755	Drafting note: Technical changes.
756	§-23-135.7:15 23.1-26xx. Functions, powers, and duties of the Housing Center.
757	AThe Housing Center shall serve as an interdisciplinary study, research, and
758	information resource on housing for the Commonwealth-of Virginia. The Housing Center shall:
759	(i) consult with the General Assembly; federal, state, and local agencies; nonprofit
760	organizations; private industry; and other potential users of research; (ii) establish and
761	administer agreements with other universities of institutions of higher education in the
762	Commonwealth to carry out research projects; (iii) disseminate new information and research
763	results;-and (iv) facilitate the application and transfer of new technologies to housing-
764	B. In addition, the Housing Center shall; and (v) stimulate and perform research that (i)
765	deals with housing policy issues facing the General Assembly and (ii) aids the Commonwealth's
766	housing and housing finance agencies.
767	Drafting note: Technical changes.
768	§-23-135.7:16_23.1-26xx. Control and supervision.
769	The Housing Center-shall be is a unit of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State the
770	University under the supervision and control of the University's Board of Visitors board.
771	Drafting note: Technical changes.
772	§-23-135.7:17 23.1-26xx. Appointment of a Director.
773	A. The President president of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University,
774	with the approval of the Board of Visitors board, shall appoint a director to serve as the

principal administrative officer of the Housing Center. The <u>Director director</u> shall be under the
supervision of the <u>President president</u> of the <u>Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State</u> University
or his designee.

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\$ 23-135.7:18. Powers and duties of the Director.

779 B. The Director director shall exercise all powers imposed upon him by law, carry out 780 the specific duties imposed on him by the President president of Virginia Polytechnic Institute 781 and State the University, and develop appropriate policies and procedures, with the advice of the 782 Research Advisory Board of Housing and Community Development, for (i) identifying priority 783 research problems; (ii) cooperating with the General Assembly; federal, state, and local 784 agencies; nonprofit organizations; and private industry in formulating its research programs; (iii) 785 selecting research projects to be funded; and (iv) disseminating information and transferring 786 technology related to housing and housing problems within the Commonwealth. The Director 787 director shall employ such personnel and secure such services as may be required to carry out 788 the purposes of this article, expend appropriated funds, and accept moneys from federal or 789 private sources for cost-sharing on projects.

790 Drafting note: Existing §§ 23-135.7:17 and 23-135.7:18 are combined as proposed §

791 23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.

792 § 23-135.7:19.

793 Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1992, c. 754.

794 §-23-135.7:20_23.1-26xx. Board of Housing and Community Development to serve as
795 advisory Advisory board.

- The Board of Housing and Community Development established in § 36-135 shall serve
 in an advisory capacity to advise the Director director of the Housing Center for Housing
 Research. The Board of Housing and Community Development shall be and is authorized to
 advise the director on all matters set forth in §-23-135.7:15 23.1-26xx.
- 800 Drafting note: Technical changes.
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Article 2.1.

802	Roanoke Technical Institute.
803	Drafting note: Existing Article 2.1 (§ 23-135.8 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is stricken as
804	obsolete.
805	§ 23-135.8. Establishment and accreditation.
806	There is hereby established within the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
807	a division to be known as the "Roanoke Technical Institute," hereinafter referred to as the
808	Institute. Such Institute shall be in all respects subject to the judgment, control and supervision
809	of the governing board of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in cooperation
810	with the State Board of Education, which said Institute shall offer courses appropriate to
811	establish accreditation practices in its field.
812	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.8 is stricken as obsolete.
813	§ 23-135.9. Purpose.
814	The purpose of the Institute shall be to train technicians in the industrial, scientific,
815	electrical and the mechanical arts and sciences in order to increase the economic efficiency and
816	safety of the manufacturing, engineering, and industrial enterprises of the Commonwealth and
817	to promote the economic utilization of its natural and human resources.
818	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.9 is stricken as obsolete.
819	§ 23-135.10. Administration.
820	The board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in
821	cooperation with the State Board of Education shall provide for the administration of such
822	Institute through such persons as they determine proper and shall make such appointments to the
823	administrative and technical staff of the Institute as in their judgment appear best.
824	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.10 is stricken as obsolete.
825	§ 23-135.11. Contribution by City of Roanoke; gifts and donations.
826	The City of Roanoke shall provide a suitable site without cost to the Commonwealth and
827	assume an appropriate share of the cost of operation. For such purpose the city may accept and

828	expend gifts and donations from private individuals, firms, corporations and organizations,
829	which shall be considered for the purpose of this section as a contribution on the part of the city.
830	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.11 is stricken as obsolete.
831	Article 2.2.
832	Clifton Forge Covington Branch.
833	Drafting note: Existing Article 2.2 (§ 23-135.12 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is stricken as
834	obsolete.
835	§ 23-135.12. Establishment.
836	There is hereby established within the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
837	a division to be known as the "Clifton Forge Covington Branch of the Virginia Polytechnic
838	Institute and State University," hereinafter referred to as the division. Such division shall be in
839	all respects subject to the judgment, control and supervision of the governing board of the
840	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
841	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.12 is stricken as obsolete.
842	§ 23-135.13. Administration.
843	The board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall have
844	the same powers as to determining the fields of instruction to be offered; as to fixing tuition,
845	fees and other charges; as to the appointment and removal of administrative officers, professors,
846	agents and servants, and the making of rules and regulations as are now vested in said board
847	with respect to Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. The board of visitors shall
848	have the power of granting appropriate diplomas or certificates of successful completion of the
849	two-year curriculum of such division.
850	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.13 is stricken as obsolete.
851	§ 23-135.14. Courses of instruction.
852	The curriculum offered by the division shall be limited to courses of instruction which
853	are offered by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University to resident students during
854	their first two years of enrollment and to such other terminal courses of no more than two years'

855 duration as may be authorized by the board of visitors to meet the post high school educational 856 needs of the community. 857 Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.14 is stricken as obsolete. § 23-135.15. Expenditure of appropriations. 858 Appropriations, directly or indirectly, from the Commonwealth to the division shall be 859 860 expended as directed by the board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State 861 University. 862 Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.15 is stricken as obsolete. 863 § 23-135.16. Care and preservation of property; acquisition of site; gifts and donations. 864 The board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall be charged with the care and preservation of all property, real and personal, belonging to the 865 division. To this end, the board is authorized to acquire, by gift or purchase, a suitable site for 866 the division, and may accept and expend gifts and donations of any kind from individuals, firms, 867 868 corporations and organizations. 869 Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.16 is stricken as obsolete. 870 Article 2.3. 871 Wytheville Branch. 872 Drafting note: Existing Article 2.3 (§ 23-135.17 et seq.) of Chapter 11 of Title 23 is 873 stricken as obsolete. 874 § 23-135.17. Establishment. 875 There is hereby established within the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University 876 a division to be known as the "Wytheville Branch of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State 877 University," hereinafter referred to as the division. Such division shall be in all respects subject 878 to the judgment, control and supervision of the governing board of the Virginia Polytechnic **Institute and State University.** 879 880 Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.17 is stricken as obsolete. 881 § 23-135.18. Administration.

882	The board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall have
883	the same powers as to determining the fields of instruction to be offered; as to fixing tuition,
884	fees and other charges; as to the appointment and removal of administrative officers, professors,
885	agents and servants, and the making of rules and regulations as are now vested in said board
886	with respect to Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. The board of visitors shall
887	have the power of granting appropriate diplomas or certificates of successful completion of the
888	two-year curriculum of such division.
889	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.18 is stricken as obsolete.
890	§ 23-135.19. Courses of instruction.
891	The curriculum offered by the division shall be limited to courses of instruction which
892	are offered by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University to resident students during
893	their first two years of enrollment and to such other terminal courses of no more than two years'
894	duration as may be authorized by the board of visitors to meet the post-high school educational
895	needs of the community.
896	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.19 is stricken as obsolete.
897	§ 23-135.20. Expenditure of appropriations.
898	Appropriations, directly or indirectly, from the Commonwealth to the college shall be
899	expended as directed by the board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
900	University.
901	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.20 is stricken as obsolete.
902	§ 23-135.21. Care and preservation of property; acquisition of site; gifts and donations.
903	The board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University shall be
904	charged with the care and preservation of all property real and personal, belonging to the
905	college. To this end, the board is authorized to acquire, by gift or purchase, a suitable site for the
906	college, and may accept and expend gifts and donations of any kind from individuals, firms,
907	corporations and organizations.
908	Drafting note: Existing § 23-135.21 is stricken as obsolete.

909	Article- <u>3 6</u> .
910	Governmental and Individual Donations.
911	Drafting note: Technical changes.
912	§-23-136 23.1-26xx. Institutions receiving interest accruing on proceeds of land scrip.
913	The General Assembly having accepted the donation of lands proffered to Virginia by
914	the act of Congress of July 2, 1862; and,
915	The authorities of the Commonwealth having received the land scrip it was entitled to
916	under such act of Congress; and,
917	The Board of Education having, in conformity with the acts of February seventh, and
918	March 19, 1872, made sale of the scrip and invested the proceeds in state bonds, which were
919	directed to be set apart and to constitute an education fund:
920	The annual accruing interest from such fund the education fund resulting from the
921	donation of lands by act of Congress on July 2, 1862, and the sale of such lands and the
922	investment of the proceeds from such sale in state bonds by the Board of Education on February
923	7 and March 19, 1872, shall henceforth until otherwise provided by law be paid one-third
924	thereof to-the Virginia State University, and two-thirds to the board of visitors of the Virginia
925	Polytechnic Institute and State University.
926	Drafting note: Technical changes.
927	§-23-137 23.1-26xx. Institutions receiving money allotted to Commonwealth under act
928	of Congress.
929	The Comptroller shall receive from the U.S. Secretary of the Interior of the United States
930	such sums of money as shall be allotted to Virginia the Commonwealth under and in accordance
931	with the act of Congress approved August 30, 1890, and shall pay-over the same as follows:

932 one-third to the treasurer of the Virginia State University; and two-thirds to the treasurer of the

933 Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, who shall receive and disburse the-same

934 <u>sums</u> as required by section two of <u>the such</u> act of Congress-<u>aforesaid</u>.

936	§- <u>23-138_23.1-26xx</u> . Experimental farms.
937	<u>A.</u> A portion of the fund, not exceeding-ten per centum 10 percent of the proportion each
938	sum assigned to Virginia State University and Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State the
939	University, may be expended, in the discretion of the governing boards board of visitors of the
940	institutions, respectively each institution, in the purchase of lands for experimental farms for
941	each of them.
942	B. The respective governing boards may use a portion of the accruing interest from such
943	fund to purchase suitable and appropriate laboratories.
944	Drafting note: Existing §§ 23-138 and 23-139 are logically combined as proposed §
945	23.1-26xx. Technical changes are made.
946	§ 23-139. Laboratories.
947	A portion of the accruing interest from such fund may be, from time to time, expended
948	by the respective governing boards of such institutions in the purchase of laboratories suitable
949	and appropriate for the institutions.
950	Drafting note: The provisions of existing § 23-139 are stricken and incorporated
951	into proposed § 23.1-26xx.
952	§ 23-140 23.1-26xx. Reversion of property on withdrawal of annuity.
953	If at any time such annuity should be withdrawn from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute
954	and State University, the property, real and personal, conveyed and appropriated to its use and
955	benefit by the trustees of the Preston and Olin Institute, and by the County of Montgomery,
956	under the provisions of Chapter 234 of the Acts of Assembly of 1871-1872, shall revert to the
957	trustees and to the county, respectively, from which it was conveyed and appropriated.
958	Drafting note: Technical changes.
959	§ 23-141 23.1-26xx. County subscriptions and individual donations.
960	It shall be lawful for the The board of visitors of the Institute to may accept (i) the
961	subscription of any county made under an the act to authorize subscriptions in aid of the
962	Institute, University approved March 21, 1872, and also the donation of any individual, (ii)

963	individual donations in aid of the purposes and objects of the Institute; and such University.
964	Such donations and subscriptions, when made, shall be held by the board in trust for the benefit
965	of the Institute, on condition that the same University and shall revert to the several donors-of
966	and subscribers, pari passu, if at any time the Commonwealth should withdraw withdraws from
967	the use of the Institute University the interest accruing on the proceeds of the land scrip, as
968	provided in §- <u>23-136_23.1-26xx</u> .
969	Drafting note: Technical changes.
970	Article 3.1.
971	Program on Food and Nutrition.
972	§§ 23-141.1 through 23-141.5. Expired.
973	Drafting note: Expired pursuant to Acts 1982, c. 283, cl. 2, effective June 30, 1986.
974	Article 4.
975	Nautical School.
976	Drafting note: Existing Article 4 (§ 23-142 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is stricken as
976 977	Drafting note: Existing Article 4 (§ 23-142 et seq.) of Chapter 11 is stricken as obsolete.
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977 978	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc.
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977 978 979 980	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc. There shall be established and maintained under the management, direction and control of the board of visitors and faculty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, a
977 978 979 980 981	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc. There shall be established and maintained under the management, direction and control of the board of visitors and faculty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, a nautical school for instruction in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship and
977 978 979 980 981 982	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc. There shall be established and maintained under the management, direction and control of the board of visitors and faculty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, a nautical school for instruction in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship and engineering and any such other subjects, to be prescribed by the proper authorities of the
977 978 979 980 981 982 983	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc. There shall be established and maintained under the management, direction and control of the board of visitors and faculty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, a nautical school for instruction in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship and engineering and any such other subjects, to be prescribed by the proper authorities of the University, as may be necessary for proper training for the position of deck or engine-room
977 978 979 980 981 982 983 983	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc. There shall be established and maintained under the management, direction and control of the board of visitors and faculty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, a nautical school for instruction in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship and engineering and any such other subjects, to be prescribed by the proper authorities of the University, as may be necessary for proper training for the position of deck or engine-room officers of the merchant marine. Such school shall be open to residents of the several counties
977 978 979 980 981 982 983 984 985	obsolete. § 23-142. Establishment, management, etc. There shall be established and maintained under the management, direction and control of the board of visitors and faculty of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, a nautical school for instruction in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship and engineering and any such other subjects, to be prescribed by the proper authorities of the University, as may be necessary for proper training for the position of deck or engine room officers of the merchant marine. Such school shall be open to residents of the several counties and eities of this Commonwealth, but the authorities of the University shall have the right to

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989	be received and instructed in the school and be graduated, discharged and suspended therefrom,
990	and to make all necessary requirements for its management.
991	Drafting note: Existing § 23-142 is stricken as obsolete.
992	§ 23-143. Cost to students.
993	The students admitted to the nautical school shall have the privilege of attending the
994	same without charge for tuition, or for use of laboratories or public buildings, but the cost of
995	such students in the school for board, room, medical care and other necessary expenses shall be
996	the same as the cost to students in the engineering departments of the Institute.
997	Drafting note: Existing § 23-143 is stricken as obsolete.
998	§ 23-144. Books and equipment; commander and instructors.
999	The authorities of the Institute shall provide the necessary books, charts, instruments,
1000	apparatus and supplies required in the work of the nautical school or they may accept gifts or
1001	loans of the same, and shall appoint and may remove a commander and all necessary instructors
1002	and fix their duties and compensation, or they may appoint as commander or as instructors
1003	therein such officers of the United States Navy as may be designated or detailed for that
1004	purpose.
1005	Drafting note: Existing § 23-144 is stricken as obsolete.
1006	§ 23-145. Governmental aid; donations, endowments, etc.
1007	The authorities of the Institute shall likewise accept from the Commonwealth and from
1008	the federal government, or either, such aid in the maintenance and conduct of the nautical school
1009	as may be offered and which may be for the best interest of the school, including a suitable
1010	vessel with her apparel, charts, books and instruments of navigation, and may receive from other
1011	proper sources such funds, properties, donations and endowments as may be given, subscribed,
1012	loaned or bequeathed for the support and maintenance of the nautical school, and all moneys so
1013	appropriated or donated, subscribed or bequeathed shall be used or expended in accordance with
1014	the provisions governing the same, provided such use or expenditures shall further the purpose
1015	of the school and promote its usefulness and service.

1016	Drafting note: Existing § 23-145 is stricken as obsolete.
1017	§ 23-146. Practical training aboard ship.
1018	The authorities of the Institute shall, moreover, make provision for the necessary
1019	practical training aboard ship or ships of students attending the nautical school in the science of
1020	navigation, seamanship and engineering and such other subjects as may be prescribed, and no
1021	student shall be received in the school until such provision has been made, nor shall any student
1022	be graduated from the school who has not had such practical training in these and in such other
1023	subjects as may be prescribed.
1024	Drafting note: Existing § 23-146 is stricken as obsolete.
1025	Article 5.
1026	Radford College, Woman's Division of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute.
1027	§§ 23-147 through 23-155.
1028	Drafting note: Repealed by Acts 1964, c. 50.
1029	Article 7.
1030	Purchase of Electric Power and Energy.
1031	Drafting note: Existing Article 7 (§ 23-155.05) of Chapter 11 is stricken. Its single
1032	section is relocated to proposed § 23.1-26xx in Article 1 with technical changes.
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