
VIRGINIA STATE BUDGET

2020 Session

Budget Bill - HB30 (Introduced)

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Secretary of Commerce and Trade

Item 111	First Year - FY2021	Second Year - FY2022
Administrative and Support Services (79900)	\$1,110,829	\$1,110,829
General Management and Direction (79901)	\$1,110,829	\$1,110,829
Fund Sources:		
General	\$1,110,829	\$1,110,829

Authority: Title 2.2, Chapter 2, Article 3; § [2.2-201](#), Code of Virginia.

A. It is the intent of the General Assembly that state programs providing financial, technical, or training assistance to local governments for economic development projects or directly to businesses seeking to relocate or expand operations in Virginia should not be used to help a company relocate or expand its operations in one or more Virginia communities when the same company is simultaneously closing facilities in other Virginia communities. It is the responsibility of the Secretary of Commerce and Trade to enforce this policy and to inform the Chairmen of the Senate Finance and House Appropriations Committees in writing of the justification to override this policy for any exception.

B. The Secretary shall develop and implement, as a component of the comprehensive economic development policy requirements as established in § [2.2-205](#), Code of Virginia, a strategic workforce development plan for the Commonwealth.

C. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of law, the authority and responsibilities of the Secretary of Technology referenced in § [2.2-205](#), § [2.2-2221](#), § [2.2-2221.1](#), § [2.2-2233.1](#), § [2.2-2240.1](#), § [2.2-2485](#), § [2.2-2698](#), § [2.2-2699.1](#), § [2.2-2738](#), § [15.2-2425](#), § [23.1-2911.1](#), § [23.1-3102](#), § [23.1-3132](#), § [58.1-322.02](#), and § [58.1-402](#), Code of Virginia, shall be executed by the Secretary of Commerce and Trade. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of law, the authority and responsibilities of the Secretary of Technology referenced in § [2.2-225](#), Code of Virginia, shall be divided between the Secretary of Administration and the Secretary of Commerce and Trade as determined by the Governor.