



# LIBRARY OF VIRGINIA

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER:

TO:           The Honorable Terence R. McAuliffe  
                Governor of Virginia

                The Honorable Charles J. Colgan  
                Co-Chair, Senate Finance Committee

                The Honorable Walter A. Stosch  
                Co-Chair, Senate Finance Committee

                The Honorable S. Chris Jones  
                Chairman, House Appropriations Committee

                The Honorable Frank M. Ruff  
                Chairman, Senate General Laws and Technology

                The Honorable C. Todd Gilbert  
                Chairman, House General Laws

FROM:        Sandra G. Treadway  
                Librarian of Virginia

SUBJECT:     Annual Report on Compliance with the State Publications Depository Act for 2013-2014

Dear Gentlemen:

Per the instructions in §42.1-97 of the Code of Virginia, requiring the Librarian of Virginia to report annually to the Governor and the chairmen of the House and Senate Committees on General Laws and the House Appropriations and Senate Finance Committees of the General Assembly, indicating which, if any, state agencies did not furnish or otherwise make available copies of their publications or other information required under this chapter, I wish to advise you on compliance with the Act through 31 October 2014.

If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this report, please contact John Metz, Deputy of Collections and Programs at 692-3607 or [john.metz@lva.virginia.gov](mailto:john.metz@lva.virginia.gov)

Sincerely,

Sandra G. Treadway

Enclosures

cc:        Anne Holton, Secretary of Education  
            Connie Warne, Director, Finance and Administrative Services, Library of Virginia  
            Daniel S. Timberlake, Director, Department of Planning & Budget  
            Caitlin M. Kilpatrick, Budget Analyst, Department of Planning & Budget

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**ANNUAL REPORT**  
**Compliance with the State Publications Depository Act**  
**November 1, 2013 – October 31, 2014**

The role of the State Publications Depository Program, described in §42.1-92 of the Code of Virginia includes the following:

“. . . the General Assembly recognizes that an informed citizenry is indispensable to the proper functioning of a democratic society. In order to remain informed, citizens must know about the activities of their government and benefit from information developed at public expense. Through the administration of the State Publications Depository Program, citizens will be ensured continued access to state publications, regardless of geographical location in the Commonwealth.”

To that end, the Library of Virginia contacts, at least annually, every state agency, commission and board to inquire about their publications during that year, and to ensure that the Library of Virginia has received copies of their digital publications for preservation and access at the Library or paper copies for distribution to designated state publications depository libraries around the state. The Library also requests a list of publications currently available to the public.

State agencies have deposited 901 digital state publications in the Library’s publicly accessible repository this year. This is a slight decrease from 2013. A few agencies did not respond to our request for their publications. The following agencies did not provide any information to us this year:

- Blue Ridge Community College
- Center for Innovative Technology
- Dabney S. Lancaster Community College
- Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired
- Eastern Shore Community College
- Frontier Culture Museum of Virginia
- Gunston Hall
- Virginia Commission for the Arts
- Virginia Outdoors Foundation
- Wytheville Community College

Thank you for the opportunity to provide a report of progress to date.