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November 2, 2022

The Honorable John S. Edwards
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The Honorable Barry D. Knight
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The Honorable Janet D. Howell
Chair, Finance and Appropriations
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Re: Chapter 551, Enactment Clause 24 Report

Dear Chairs Edwards, Deeds, Howell, Knight, and Bell:

Chapter 551, Enactment Clause 24, of the Virginia Acts of Assembly (Special Session I, 2021) requires the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court of Virginia to report to the Chairs of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, the Senate Committee on Finance and Appropriations, the House Committee on Appropriations, and the House Committee for Courts of Justice by November 1 of each year regarding the number of civil offenses committed and civil penalties imposed for violations of §§ 4.1-1100, 4.1-1105, and 4.1-1105.1 of the Code of Virginia.

The following civil offenses were committed¹ and civil penalties imposed² for the period of October 22, 2021, through October 4, 2022:

¹ "Civil offenses committed" includes concluded civil violations of §§ 4.1-1100, 4.1-1105, or 4.1-1105.1 with a disposition of "guilty," "guilty in absentia," or "prepaid."

² "Civil penalties imposed" in district courts may not reflect penalties assessed in cases appealed to the circuit court.

Circuit Court³

Va. Code § 4.1-1100:	8 civil offenses committed for which 8 civil penalties were imposed.
Va. Code § 4.1-1105.1:	1 civil offense committed for which 1 civil penalty was imposed.

General District Court

Va. Code § 4.1-1100:	90 civil offenses committed for which 88 civil penalties were imposed.
Va. Code § 4.1-1105.1:	182 civil offenses committed for which 178 civil penalties were imposed.

Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court

Va. Code § 4.1-1100:	1 civil offense committed for which 0 civil penalties were imposed.
Va. Code § 4.1-1105.1:	24 civil offenses committed for which 14 civil penalties were imposed.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact me.
With best wishes, I am

Very truly yours,



Karl R. Hade

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cc: Division of Legislative Automated Systems

³ Circuit Court data does not include Fairfax Circuit Court or Alexandria Circuit Court because those courts do not use the Office of the Executive Secretary's Circuit Case Management System.