

Virginia Disability Commission

Delegate Kaye Kory, Chair
Thursday, November 18, 2021, at 1:00 p.m.
House Committee Room, Pocahontas Building

Commission website:

<https://studies.viriniageneralassembly.gov/studies/262>

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Meeting Agenda

- I.** Introduction and Opening Remarks
- II.** Presentation on the Virginia Department of Education's implementation of HB 2299/SB 1288 (2021)¹ — Dr. Samantha Hollins, Assistant Superintendent of Special Education and Student Services
- III.** Public Comment
- IV.** Member Discussion
- V.** Adjournment

Purpose of the Virginia Disability Commission:

"The purpose of the Commission is to identify and recommend legislative priorities and policies for adoption or examination by the General Assembly in order to provide ongoing support in developing and reviewing services and funding related to Virginians with physical and sensory disabilities." Code of Virginia § 30-232.

¹ *Summary of SBI288/HB2299 (2021):*

Department of Education and Board of Education; special education. Requires the Department of Education and the Board of Education to develop new policies and procedures and effect numerous modifications to existing policies and procedures to improve the administration and oversight of special education in the Commonwealth.

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