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Wednesday, December 5, 2012 General Assembly Building Senate Room A 10:00 A.M.

DRAFT – MEETING AGENDA

I. <u>CALL TO ORDER / APPROVAL OF NOVEMBER 13, 2012, MINUTES</u> Delegate Robert B. Bell, Chair

II. LEGISLATION AND POLICY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION:

- 1. **Collection of Forensic Evidence (SB 205)** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to allow for the collection of evidence without consent as part of a sexual assault examination.
- 2. **Criminal Justice Training Academies** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to make modifications to the current academy training system and the decertification of law enforcement officers in Virginia.
- 3. **Financial Exploitation of Incapacitated Adults** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to amend, add sections, or increase penalties pertaining to financial crimes (larceny, embezzlement and fraud) and specifically define the element of consent in criminal cases where the victim is an adult who is incapacitated.
- 4. **Illegal Cigarette Trafficking (SJR 21)** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to amend, add sections, or increase penalties pertaining to illegal cigarette trafficking. Specifically, whether trafficking large quantities should be a felony; whether localities should be permitted to create misdemeanor local ordinances; forfeiture of assets; permitting electronic filing of wholesaler reports; and, whether to include trafficking of stamped cigarettes as a RICO offense.
- 5. **Reorganization of Concealed Weapons Statute (HB 923)** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to reorganize this section of the Code. No substantive changes are in the proposed bill.
- 6. **Synthetic Marijuana/Research Chemicals** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to add chemicals to the list of prohibited substances.
- 7. **Texting While Driving** Draft legislation will be considered regarding whether to make it clear that texting while driving can be considered reckless driving.

III. <u>Election of Vice-Chair and Adjournment</u>