



General Assembly

**Raised Bill No. 293**

February Session, 2014

LCO No. 1837



Referred to Committee on VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Introduced by:  
(VA)

**AN ACT CONCERNING CLUBS OPERATED BY NATIONALLY  
CHARTERED VETERANS' SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 30-23a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2014*):

3 No person shall be construed to be a guest of a member of a club  
4 within the intent of section 30-23 or of a golf country club within the  
5 intent of section 30-24a until [his] such person's name and address has  
6 been entered in the guest book maintained for such purposes on the  
7 club or golf country club premises, together with the signature of the  
8 member and the date of introduction, provided neither the permittee  
9 nor any person employed to dispense alcoholic beverages on such  
10 premises, during his working hours on such premises, shall enter such  
11 person's name in such book. The requirement of this section (1) shall  
12 not apply to a member of any nationally chartered veterans' service  
13 organization when such member enters a club run by such  
14 organization that is not such member's home club, but is affiliated with  
15 the same organization, provided such member shall show a  
16 membership, travel card or similar identification as a member of such

17 organization upon entry to such club, and (2) may be waived by the  
18 Department of Consumer Protection on special occasions upon written  
19 application.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	<i>October 1, 2014</i>	30-23a
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**VA**      *Joint Favorable*