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STATEMENT OF THE WHOLE NUMBER OF VOTES CAST FOR AND AGAINST CERTAIN PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF VIRGINIA, CAST IN THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD THE FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, A.D. 1954.

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COUNTIES	For	Against
Accomack.....	562	1,535
Albemarle.....	711	969
Alleghany.....	526	821
Amelia.....	204	268
Amherst.....	798	872
Appomattox.....	405	342
Arlington.....	7,221	11,907
Augusta.....	1,418	1,001
Bath.....	228	435
Bedford.....	1,588	1,827
Bland.....	574	829
Botetourt.....	920	1,390
Brunswick.....	586	438
Buchanan.....	2,670	1,190
Buckingham.....	266	330
Campbell.....	1,356	1,557
Caroline.....	503	357
Carroll.....	746	569
Charles City.....	205	87
Charlotte.....	514	326
Chesterfield.....	1,869	1,707
Clarke.....	401	367
Craig.....	340	374
Culpeper.....	542	747
Cumberland.....	149	155
Dickenson.....	1,164	1,604
Dinwiddie.....	438	438
Essex.....	216	208
Fairfax.....	8,342	8,818
Fauquier.....	798	1,004
Floyd.....	668	1,112
Fluvanna.....	254	347
Franklin.....	598	542
Frederick.....	939	666
Giles.....	1,526	1,465
Gloucester.....	313	451
Goochland.....	362	246
Grayson.....	698	619
Greene.....	139	128
Greensville.....	431	425
Halifax.....	553	1,441
Hanover.....	897	781
Henrico.....	3,896	2,965
Henry.....	725	311
Highland.....	304	446

STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued

COUNTIES	For	Against
Isle of Wight.....	494	387
James City.....	177	161
King George.....	319	420
King & Queen.....	155	190
King William.....	306	318
Lancaster.....	529	330
Lee.....	2,657	2,225
Loudoun.....	990	1,231
Louisa.....	562	497
Lunenburg.....	354	410
Madison.....	273	328
Mathews.....	176	406
Mecklenburg.....	463	784
Middlesex.....	248	196
Montgomery.....	1,763	2,051
Nansemond.....	905	282
Nelson.....	369	415
New Kent.....	240	120
Norfolk.....	3,097	3,093
Northampton.....	299	713
Northumberland.....	384	315
Nottoway.....	272	833
Orange.....	547	598
Page.....	760	1,057
Patrick.....	593	183
Pittsylvania.....	2,060	1,625
Powhatan.....	208	223
Prince Edward.....	295	512
Prince George.....	214	218
Prince William.....	733	925
Princess Anne.....	1,007	1,010
Pulaski.....	1,241	1,583
Rappahannock.....	198	273
Richmond.....	186	193
Roanoke.....	3,885	2,494
Rockbridge.....	1,068	772
Rockingham.....	1,540	1,071
Russell.....	2,140	2,573
Scott.....	1,440	4,893
Shenandoah.....	1,728	2,028
Smyth.....	3,086	1,814
Southampton.....	699	602
Spotsylvania.....	524	533
Stafford.....	551	594
Surry.....	381	251
Sussex.....	509	345
Tazewell.....	1,991	2,575
Warren.....	838	446
Washington.....	2,524	2,832
Westmoreland.....	457	391
Wise.....	3,306	3,182
Wythe.....	1,245	867
York.....	399	544
Total Counties.....	99,948	107,329

STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued

CITIES	For	Against
Alexandria.....	3,577	5,856
Bristol.....	1,477	991
Buena Vista.....	234	226
Charlottesville.....	1,109	1,289
Clifton Forge.....	487	685
Colonial Heights.....	465	404
Covington.....	740	1,228
Danville.....	1,058	628
Falls Church.....	851	919
Fredericksburg.....	871	530
Galax.....	257	99
Hampton.....	3,118	2,818
Harrisonburg.....	861	446
Hopewell.....	711	235
Lynchburg.....	2,807	2,276
Martinsville.....	426	157
Newport News.....	1,108	995
Norfolk.....	5,751	4,818
Norton.....	430	434
Petersburg.....	1,379	550
Portsmouth.....	2,302	2,829
Radford.....	998	1,098
Richmond.....	11,244	9,856
Roanoke.....	8,091	6,921
South Norfolk.....	853	866
Staunton.....	1,277	570
Suffolk.....	442	259
Virginia Beach.....	660	341
Warwick.....	950	973
Waynesboro.....	658	538
Williamsburg.....	310	115
Winchester.....	1,287	529
Total Cities.....	56,780	50,479
Total Counties.....	99,948	107,329
Grand Total.....	156,728	157,808