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1        *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SIZE OF LEGISLATURE.**

4        Section 5(b) of the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin  
5 Islands (48 U.S.C. 1571(b)) is amended—

6            (1) by striking “fifteen”; and

7            (2) by inserting after the first sentence the fol-  
8        lowing: “The number of such senators shall be de-  
9        termined by the laws of the Virgin Islands.”.

10 **SEC. 2. NUMBER CONSTITUTING QUORUM.**

11        The first sentence of section 9(a) of the Revised Or-  
12 ganic Act of the Virgin Islands (48 U.S.C. 1575(a)) is  
13 amended to read as follows: “The number of members of  
14 the legislature needed to constitute a quorum shall be de-  
15 termined by the laws of the Virgin Islands.”.

      Passed the House of Representatives September 12,  
2000.

Attest:

*Clerk.*