#### COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS, VETERANS AFFAIRS AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

#### 11/21/2023-AMENDED AND REPORTED OUT TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND JUDICIARY

## BILL NO. 35-0084

# Thirty-Fifth Legislature of the Virgin Islands

May 31, 2023
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An Act amending title 11 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 21, section 1213 to allow businesses operating under a trade name to have the option of renewing the trade name every two, six, or ten-years

**PROPOSED BY:** Senator Alma Francis Heyliger

- Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:
- 2 **SECTION 1.** (a) Title 11 Virgin Islands Code chapter 21, section 1213 is amended by
- 3 inserting ", six, or ten" after "two", by inserting "for a two-year renewal, \$300 for a six-year
- 4 renewal and \$500 for a ten-year renewal" after "\$100".
- 5 (b) The sum of \$50,000 is appropriated in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024,
- 6 from the General Fund of the Treasury of the Government of the Virgin Islands to the Office
- 7 of the Lieutenant Governor to implement subsection (a).
- 8 (c) Subsection (a) of this act takes effect 180 days after enactment.

### 9 <u>BILL SUMMARY</u>

- This bill amends title 11Virgin Islands Code, chapter 21, section 1213 to afford
- businesses doing business under a trade name the option to renew the trade name every two,
- six, or ten years.

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