

**Department of Planning and Budget  
2001 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number** HB2397

**House of Origin**     Introduced     Substitute     Engrossed  
**Second House**     In Committee     Substitute     Enrolled

**2. Patron**        Tata

**3. Committee**    S. Courts of Justice

**4. Title**            Enforcement, etc., of costs imposed by St. Bar Disciplinary Board.

**5. Summary/Purpose:**

Allows orders of the State Bar Disciplinary Board regarding unpaid costs to be recorded, enforced, and satisfied as judgments.

**6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are:** Tentative, see #8 below.

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No.

**8. Fiscal implications:**

According to the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court, any additional fiscal impact could be absorbed within current court resources.

According to the Virginia State Bar, there could be savings from this bill because there may be fewer attorney fees paid.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** The court system and the Virginia State Bar.

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** No.

**11. Other comments:** None.

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