

Department of Planning and Budget
2002 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number HB1264

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron Baskerville

3. Committee Health, Welfare and Institutions

4. Title Right to breast-feed.

5. Summary/Purpose:

This bill guarantees a woman the right to breast-feed her child on any property owned, leased or controlled by the State. It also adds the activities of lactation, including breast-feeding and expression of milk by a mother for her child, to the child birth and related medical conditions specified in the Virginia Human Rights Act.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are: See Item 8.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No

8. Fiscal implications: This bill could result in additional workload for the Office of the Attorney General in representing state agencies against legal actions. The Office of the Attorney General estimates that there will be a minimum fiscal impact.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: All state agencies and institutions of higher education.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: None

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