

**Department of Planning and Budget
2002 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number HB213

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron O'Bannon

3. Committee Health, Welfare and Institutions

4. Title Outpatient surgery in physicians' offices

5. Summary/Purpose: Requires the Board of Medicine to promulgate regulations for the performance of outpatient surgery in physicians' offices. This bill notes the Board's authority, pursuant to § 54.1-2400, to establish the qualifications for registration, certification or licensure that are necessary to ensure competence and integrity to engage in the regulated practice. In compliance with these second enactments, the Board is required to promulgate emergency regulations to implement this provision.

6. No Fiscal Impact

7. Budget amendment necessary: No

8. Fiscal implications: HB213 has no fiscal impacts since rule-making for the performance of outpatient surgery in physicians' offices is already underway. The Board of Medicine will absorb the minimal costs associated with this legislation.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:
Department of Health Professions (Board of Medicine)

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: None

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cc: Secretary of Health and Human Resources