

**Department of Planning and Budget
2003 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number HB2764

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed
Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron Plum

3. Committee House Court of Justice

4. Title Fees for driving under the influence conviction.

5. Summary/Purpose: The introduced legislation proposes to amend §§ 17.1 -275.5, 18.2-268.8, and 46.2 -341.26:8 of the Code of Virginia to add a fee of \$100 for driving under the influence convictions.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates: See item #8.

6b. Revenue Impact:

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Positions</i>	<i>Fund</i>
2002-03			
2003-04	\$2.5 million		NGF
2004-05	\$2.5 million		NGF

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications: The fiscal impact of this legislation is uncertain. The Commonwealth averages approximately 28,000 DUI convictions each year. If the \$100 fee is added it should generate approximately \$2.8 million each year assuming that all convicted persons actually pay the fee. Given the difficulty in collecting the fees, it is difficult to estimate the exact amount of revenues that will be collected. Assuming a 90 percent collection rate would equal approximately \$2.5 million in annual revenues.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Courts

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: This bill is identical to SB 1258 and an identical fee was included in language in HB 1400. The budget also assumed \$2.5 million in revenues.

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