

Department of Planning and Budget
2003 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number SB1269

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron O'Brien

3. Committee Courts of Justice

4. Title Amber Alert.

5. Summary/Purpose: Directs the Department of State Police to develop a statewide child abduction alert plan (the Virginia Amber Alert Plan) to rapidly publicize information on a child abduction. Pursuant to procedures developed by the Department of State Police, local law enforcement will notify the Department of State Police, who will take action, including activating the emergency alert system.

6. No Fiscal Impact.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications: According to the State Police, the proposed legislation will not have a fiscal impact on the State Police since an Amber Alert Program is already in place.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Department of State Police, Department of Transportation, local law enforcement agencies and the state's public and commercial television and radio broadcasters.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: Identical to HB2064.

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cc: Secretary of Public Safety