

Department of Planning and Budget
2004 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number HB1360

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron Nixon

3. Committee Science and Technology

4. Title Information technology & telecommunications procurement; shall be in accordance with Section 508 accessibility standards.

5. Summary/Purpose:

Requires the Virginia Information Technologies Agency (VITA) to conduct procurements in accordance with the electronic and information technology accessibility standards of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 794d), in addition to other requirements.

6. No Fiscal Impact

7. Budget amendment necessary: No

8. Fiscal implications: VITA has indicated it is unaware of any fiscal impact from this proposed legislation as most existing information technology and telecommunications products are already compliant with Section 508 standards. VITA has also further indicated future procurements made in compliance with Section 508 standards will require neither additional funding nor positions.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: VITA, all state agencies

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: None

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cc: Secretary of Technology