Department of Planning and Budget 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Numbe	r HB1440		
	House of Orig	gin Introduced	X Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	e In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled
2.	Patron	Howell, W.J.		
2	Committee	Dulas		

3. Committee Rules

4. Title Virginia Sesquicentennial American Civil War Commission.

5. Summary/Purpose:

Establishes the Virginia Sesquicentennial American Civil War Commission to prepare for and commemorate the 150th anniversary of Virginia's participation in the American Civil War.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are preliminary:

6a. Expenditure Impact:

Fiscal Year	Dollars	Positions	Fund
2006-07	\$8,620		General
2007-08	\$8,620		General
2008-09	\$8,620		General
2009-10	\$8,620		General
2010-11	\$8,620		General
2011-12	\$8,620		General

- 7. Budget amendment necessary: no
- **8. Fiscal implications:** Committee members shall be compensated at the rate of \$50 per day and have expenses, including staffing, reimbursed by the Department of Legislative Systems. If the General Assembly is in session, delegates will receive expenses but no compensation. The proposed term for each appointee is five years, with the Commission's provisions starting in July of 2006, and expiring on June 30, 2015.

The expense cost assumes that 30 percent of the members live near Richmond and draw at \$20 per meeting, 30 percent live in Central Virginia and draw at \$50 per meeting, and the remaining at \$117 per meeting. Below are the calculations for expenses and compensation to fund the Commission:

Estimated expenses and compensation annual costs

Number of Commission members (10 are delegates): 13
Meetings per year when GA is not in session: 3
Meetings per year when GA is in session: 1

Expense Reimbursement (30% at \$20, 30 % at \$50, 40% at %120): \$20-\$117

Calculations:

3 members * \$50 compensation * 4 annual meetings = \$600 10 members * \$50 compensation * 3 annual meetings = \$1,500

Total Annual Compensation: \$5,100

4 members * \$20 expenses * 4 annual meetings = \$320

4 members * \$50 expenses * 4 annual meetings = \$800

5 members * \$120 expenses * 4 annual meetings = \$2,400

Total Annual Expense cost: \$3,520

- 9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: none
- 10. Technical amendment necessary: none
- 11. Other comments: none

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