Department of Planning and Budget 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number SB67	
	House of Orig	in Introduced Substitute Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee Substitute Enrolled
2.	Patron	Whipple
3.	Committee	Education
4.	Title	Standards for remediation programs; students required to attend summer school

5. Summary/Purpose:

Aligns language regarding the Standards of Learning assessments with amendments made to the Standards of Quality during the 2004 Session. The bill reflects the Commonwealth's decision to shift from testing in grades three, five, and eight to testing annually in grades three through eight.

- 6. No Fiscal Impact.
- 7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications:

The bill amends two provisions of the Code of Virginia to comport with existing language in § 22.1-253.13:1.C of the Code that was amended last year. That section was amended to require Standards of Learning testing in grades three through eight to comply with the requirements of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB). This legislation only amends the language to require the reporting of results for these additional students so there is no fiscal impact to the state for this bill.

- **9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Board of Education, local school divisions.
- 10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: None.

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