Department of Planning and Budget 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB 2035EH1		
	House of Origin	\Box Introduced \boxtimes Substitute \boxtimes Engrossed		
	Second House	In Committee Substitute Enrolled		
2.	Patron:	Phillip A. Hamilton		
3.	Committee:	Health, Welfare and Institutions		
4.	Title:	Required vaccinations; adds human papillomavirus vaccine		

5. Summary/Purpose: Requires females to have three doses of human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine. The first dose must be administered prior to entering the sixth grade. Legislation permits the child's parent or guardian, on an appropriate form prescribed by the Board, to elect his or her child to not receive the HPV vaccine after reviewing materials describing the link between the human papillomavirus and cervical cancer. The bill contains a delayed effective date of October 1, 2008.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are Preliminary: See item #8. Expenditure Impact:

	Do	ollars			
Fiscal Year	GF	NGF	Positions		
2006-07	-	-	0.0		
2007-08	-	-	0.0		
2008-09	\$ 53,102*	\$ 260,898**	0.0		
2009-10	\$ 96,547*	\$ 263,901**	0.0		
2010-11	\$ 181,787*	\$ 274,065**	0.0		
2011-12	\$ 205,203*	\$ 273,108**	0.0		
2012-13	\$ 245,839*	\$ 275,088**	0.0		
*Beginning in FY 2008, the Virginia Department of Health (VDH) will receive					
\$1.4 million (GF) in the general fund to support the provision of cervical cancer					
vaccination to females who are not eligible to receive the vaccine at no cost.					
** The NGF impact covers administration costs only; the vaccine itself is a					
direct assistance grant item (in lieu of cash) from the federal government's					
Center for Disease Control (CDC).					

- **7. Budget amendment necessary:** Yes, 289 Communicable Disease Prevention and Control (40500).
- 8. Fiscal implications: The expenditure impact is based on the 35% referral rate of expected sixth grade females eligible to receive the vaccine, 36% of which will be non-VFC eligible and 64% will receive VFC vaccine. The estimated federal contract price per dose (3 required) of the vaccine beginning in FY 2008-2009 is \$97.92. The cost of the vaccine is expected to increase by 2% each year. The cost to administer the vaccine is approximately \$11.00 per dose and is expected to remain constant. The Virginia Department of Health (VDH) anticipates 25% of parents or guardians will not elect to have their child receive the HPV vaccine.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Virginia Department of Health, Virginia Department of Education, Department of Social Services, and Department of Medical Assistance Services

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: This legislation is a substitute of HB 2035 and similar to SB 1230. VDH estimates that the referral rate may be as high as 50% instead of the anticipated 35%. VDH bases the increased referral rate upon a larger non-VFC population expected to seek vaccination through the local health departments because fewer physicians in the private sector are expected to stock the HPV vaccine. However, all VFC providers are expected to provide the HPV vaccine to their patients. In case the referral rate does increase, then there would need to be an increase in funding.

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