

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2008 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** SB46ER

House of Origin    ☐ Introduced    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Engrossed

Second House    ☐ In Committee    ☐ Substitute    ☒ Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Puller

**3. Committee:** Passed Both Houses

**4. Title:**        **Parentage proceedings; circuit courts, etc. have concurrent jurisdiction.**

**5. Summary:** Clarifies that circuit courts and juvenile and domestic relations district courts have concurrent original jurisdiction over proceedings to determine parentage. Such concurrent jurisdiction is already provided for in Chapter 3.1 (proceedings to determine parentage) of Title 20. This bill is a recommendation of the Committee on District Courts and the Judicial Council.

**6. No Fiscal Impact**

**7. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**8. Fiscal Implications:** According to the Supreme Court of Virginia, this legislation has no fiscal impact on agency operations.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Courts

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No

**11. Other Comments:** None

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