

Department of Planning and Budget 2009 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2364

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☒ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Gilbert

3. Committee: Agriculture, Chesapeake, and Natural Resources

4. Title: Restitution for damages done by a dangerous or vicious dog

5. Summary: The bill provides that a court, upon finding an animal to be a dangerous or vicious dog, may order the owner, custodian, or harbinger thereof to pay restitution for damages to any person injured by the animal or whose companion animal was injured or killed by the animal.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates: The bill does not have a fiscal impact.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

8. Fiscal Implications: None.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: The substitute bill incorporates House Bill 2321.

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cc: Secretary of Agriculture and Consumer Services