

Department of Planning and Budget 2009 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB998

House of Origin	<u>X</u>	Introduced	___	Substitute	___	Engrossed
Second House	___	In Committee	___	Substitute	___	Enrolled

2. Patron: Miller, J.C.

3. Committee: Courts of Justice

4. Title: Process and service fees.

5. Summary: Increases from \$25 to \$35 certain sheriffs' fees for levying upon property or serving an ejectment and from \$25 to \$50 for serving a writ of possession.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes. Page 1 (revenues)

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the State Compensation Board, the proposed legislation could increase state revenue from \$1.5 to \$3.0 million each year. The Board contacted the Virginia Sheriffs Association and requested results from a brief survey that asked sheriffs for an estimate of their additional revenue expected by this legislation. About 50 percent responded and expect to generate about \$1.5 million each year.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Compensation Board, local and regional jails statewide.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: Identical to SB 1191.

Date: 1/29/2009 dpb/jgc

Document: G:\2009\EFIS\Posted\SB998.DOC