Department of Planning and Budget 2010 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: HB149				
	House of Origin	Introduced	X Substitute	E	ngrossed
	Second House _	In Committee	Substitute	E	nrolled
2.	Patron: O'Bannon				
3.	Committee: Privileges and Elections				
1.	Title: Constitutional amendment; property tax exemptions for certain veterans.				
5.	Summary: Provides for a referendum at the November 2, 2010, election to approve or reject an amendment requiring the General Assembly to provide a real property tax exemption for the principal residence of a veteran, or his or her surviving spouse, if the veteran has a 100 percent service-connected, permanent, and total disability.				
5.	Fiscal Impact Estimates:				
	Fiscal Year	Dollars	Fu	nd	
	2011	308	3,000 Gen	eral	

- 7. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes, Item 79, HB 30.
- **8. Fiscal Implications:** Placing an additional referendum on the ballot would have a fiscal impact of \$308,000 on the State Board of Elections, which is a calculated estimate to pay for the newspaper ads, posters and brochures required by Code of Virginia, § 30-19.9. Print advertisements in major newspapers impact the expense most.
- **9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** State Board of Elections, local government
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

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