Department of Planning and Budget 2011 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	SB1280		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** McWaters, J.
- 3. Committee: Rules
- **4. Title:** Boards, commissions and councils; membership; appointing authority; abolition.
- **5. Summary:** Makes policy improvements and clarifications to several state boards, commissions, and councils including (i) establishing staggered terms for non-legislative citizen members appointed by the Governor, (ii) clarifying the Governor's authority when provided lists of nominees by nongovernmental entities, and (iii) standardizing the terms of chairmen of entities appointed by the Governor to two years.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Minimal.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: Most changes in the bill are technical in nature and do not have a fiscal or budget impact. The bill adds members to several boards and councils. These additions will result in additional administrative support costs, but the costs are expected to be minimal and should be absorbed within existing budgets of the various agencies providing the administrative support.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: All boards, commissions, and councils within the Commonwealth.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

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