

Department of Planning and Budget 2012 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB856-ER

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron: Yost

3. Committee: Passed both Houses.

4. Title: Critical incident stress management teams; privileged information.

5. Summary: Establishes that a member of a critical incident stress management team shall not disclose any information or be compelled to testify regarding any information communicated to him by emergency medical services or public safety personnel who are the subjects of peer support services regarding a critical incident. Such information shall also be exempt from the Virginia Freedom of Information Act. These provisions would not apply under certain conditions.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. No Fiscal Impact: Final.

8. Fiscal Implications: A fiscal impact is not expected due to the proposal.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State and local emergency medical and public safety personnel.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: Identical to SB 362-ER.

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