

## Department of Planning and Budget 2013 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** HB1825

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<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Lingamfelter, L. S.

**3. Committee:** Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

**4. Title:** Duck blinds; establishes time periods for person to obtain stationary blind license.

**5. Summary:** This bill establishes time periods for a person to obtain a stationary blind license. A riparian landowner or his lessee or permittee seeking to license a riparian stationary blind that was not licensed by him the previous year may obtain a license beginning February 1 through June 15. The license would require the licensee to erect a stake or blind, to which the seasonal license plate is affixed, at the blind site by June 30 and replace any such stake with a blind by November 1.

A riparian landowner or his lessee or permittee who licensed a riparian stationary blind the previous year may obtain a license for the blind beginning February 1 through August 15. The license would require the licensee to affix the seasonal license plate to a stake or blind at the blind site by August 31 and replace any such stake with a blind by November 1.

A person seeking a nonriparian license for a stationary blind that he licensed the previous year as a nonriparian stationary blind may purchase a license beginning July 1 through August 15. The license would require the licensee to erect a stake or blind, to which the seasonal license plate is affixed, at the blind site by August 31 and replace any such stake with a blind by November 1. A stationary blind or a site not licensed posted by August 31 can be licensed as a nonriparian stationary blind by another person from September 1 through October 15, with erection of the blind required by November 1.

The bill has an effective date of January 1, 2014.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** None. See #8.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** This bill will not have a fiscal impact on the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Department of Game and Inland Fisheries.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** None.

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