

Department of Planning and Budget 2013 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1168

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

2. Patron: Smith

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Elections; method of nominating party candidates.

5. Summary: Removes the power of incumbent officeholders in some cases to insist on a primary as the method of nominating political party candidates and removes the power of General Assembly incumbents seeking reelection to determine the method of nomination. The bill leaves the power to determine the method of nominating party candidates to the duly constituted authorities of the political party.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8

8. Fiscal Implications: The State Board of Elections reports that this legislation will have no fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Board of Elections, Localities

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: n/a

11. Other Comments: None

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