State Corporation Commission 2013 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: SB994
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron: Watkins
3.	Committee: Commerce and Labor
4.	Title: Mortgage loan originators.
5.	Summary: Mortgage loan originators. Conforms Virginia statutory law to federal regulations implementing the Secure and Fair Enforcement for Mortgage Licensing Act. Changes include (i) expanding the definition of a mortgage loan originator to include an individual who represents to the public that he can or will take an application for, or offer or negotiate the terms of, a residential mortgage loan; (ii) clarifying that when an individual acts as a loan originator in financing the sale of his own residence, he is exempt from licensing requirements; (iii) specifying conditions under which an attorney engaged in mortgage loan origination activities is exempt from licensing requirements; and (iv) defining the term "employee." This bill is a recommendation of the Virginia Housing Commission.
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: No
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: No fiscal impact on the State Corporation Commission
8.	Fiscal Implications: None on the State Corporation Commission
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Corporation Commission and the Commission's Bureau of Financial Institutions.
10.	Technical Amendment Necessary: No
11.	Other Comments: None

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