

Department of Planning and Budget 2014 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB54

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: Hodges

3. Committee: Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

4. Title: Livestock or poultry; compensation owner is entitled to receive for those killed or injured by dogs

5. Summary: This bill removes the cap on the fair market value that the owner of livestock or poultry that has been killed or injured by dogs is entitled to receive as compensation, provided certain procedures are followed. Currently, such compensation cannot exceed \$400 per animal or \$10 per fowl.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: None, see Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated this bill will not have a fiscal impact on the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. According to the agency, the bill may impact localities but that impact is indeterminate.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; localities.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.