Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB1318-E			
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	\boxtimes	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute		Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Campbell
- 3. Committee: Privileges and Elections
- **4. Title:** Applications for absentee ballots; photo identification required.
- **5. Summary:** The legislation, as amended by the House, requires that any voter submitting his application for an absentee ballot by mail or by electronic or telephonic transmission to a facsimile device shall submit with his application a copy of one of the forms of identification acceptable under current law. Currently, only a voter who completes his application for an absentee ballot in person is required to show a form of identification. Such requirement shall not apply to a registered voter who is qualified to vote by absentee ballot pursuant to subdivision 2 or subdivision 4 of § 24.2-700, Code of Virginia.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. No Fiscal Impact
- **8.** Fiscal Implications: According to the Department of Elections, House Bill 1318 does not have a state fiscal impact.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Elections; general registrars.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: The House amendment prohibits the requirements included in subsection B.2 of § 24.2-701, Code of Virginia, to apply to a registered voter who is qualified to vote by absentee ballot pursuant to 2 or subdivision 4 of § 24.2-700, Code of Virginia. The amendment did not affect the fiscal impact of this legislation.
- c: Secretary of Administration