

Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1538-E

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

2. Patron: Watts

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Elections; voter identification; substantially match of identification and pollbook name.

5. Summary: The bill, as amended, provides that a voter meets one qualification for voting if the voter's name as found on the pollbook matches or is substantially similar to the name listed on the form of identification presented and the name stated by the voter. The bill does not eliminate the other qualifications for being permitted to vote.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. No Fiscal Impact

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Department of Elections, the engrossed version of House Bill 1538 is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Elections

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: The amendments adopted by the House Privileges and Elections Committee did not affect the fiscal impact of this legislation.

c: Secretary of Administration