

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB 2177

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

**2. Patron:** Orrock, Robert D. Sr.

**3. Committee:** Education and Health

**4. Title:** Certificate of public need; eliminates regional health planning agencies and adds an exception

**5. Summary:** The substitute bill amends the definition of "project" for which a certificate of public need is required to include capital expenditures of \$15 million or more by or on behalf of a medical care facility other than a general hospital. Currently, all capital expenditures of \$15 million or more by any medical care facility constitute a project for which a certificate of public need is required. The bill also provides that capital expenditures of \$5 million or more by a general hospital shall be registered with the Commissioner of Health.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. No Fiscal Impact**

**8. Fiscal Implications:** None

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:**

Virginia Department of Health  
Department of Medical Assistance Services

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No

**11. Other Comments:** None

**Date:** 2/11/15