

Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1109-ER

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

2. Patron: Stuart

3. Committee: Passed Both Houses

4. Title: Virginia Freedom of Information Act ; open meeting exemptions; discussions relating to cybersecurity

5. Summary: Expands the open meeting exemption for the discussion of plans to protect public safety as it relates to terrorism and security of governmental facilities to include the discussion of specific cybersecurity threats or vulnerabilities, including the discussion of related records excluded from FOIA, where discussion in an open meeting would jeopardize the safety of any person or the security of any facility, building, structure, information technology system, or software program. The bill provides that an emergency exists and the act be in force from its passage.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final; no fiscal impact.

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Public bodies required to hold open meetings.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

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