

Department of Planning and Budget 2017 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1537-H1

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

2. Patron: Cole

3. Committee: Senate - Committee on General Laws and Technology

4. Title: Active duty service; contract termination.

5. Summary: This bill requires a service provider providing telecommunication services, internet services, television services, athletic club or gym memberships, satellite radio services, or service for an alarm system to allow a member of the United States Armed Forces or Virginia National Guard to terminate a consumer contract for such consumer services when they receive permanent change of station orders to relocate for a period of service in excess of three months. It is a violation of the Virginia Consumer Protection Act for a service provider to fail to comply.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary, See Item 8

8. Fiscal Implications: The proposed bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on state agencies.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Attorney General's Office, Courts

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None