

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2017 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB 2096

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

**2. Patron:** Price, Marcia S.

**3. Committee:** Passed Both Houses

**4. Title:** Virginia Industries for the Blind; exempted from certain procurements

**5. Summary:** The enrolled bill exempts from the requirements of the Public Procurement Act (§ 2.2-4300 et seq.) the Virginia Industries for the Blind when procuring components, materials, supplies, or services for use in commodities and services furnished to the federal government in connection with its operation as an AbilityOne Program-qualified nonprofit agency for the blind.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No. See Item 8

**7. Fiscal Impact:** See Item 8

**8. Fiscal Implications:** It is expected that the passage of this bill would facilitate increased sales to the federal government under the AbilityOne Program and thereby generate additional revenue for the Virginia Industries for the Blind (VIB). While this additional revenue would need a nongeneral fund appropriation to be expended, there is no concrete estimate or expectation that the current VIB appropriation is insufficient. Therefore, it is assumed that should any increase in appropriation become necessary, such need can be addressed administratively until such time the Appropriation Act can be adjusted.

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

Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired  
Virginia Industries for the Blind

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No

**11. Other Comments:** None

**Date:** 2/17/17