

Department of Planning and Budget 2017 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2242

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

2. Patron: Miyares

3. Committee: General Laws

4. Title: Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; regulatory boards within the Department; expiration of regulations.

5. Summary: Requires all (i) final regulations adopted before July 1, 2017, by any regulatory board within the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR) to expire on July 1, 2022, and (ii) proposed and final regulations promulgated by any regulatory board within DPOR on or after July 1, 2017, to contain a sunset provision such that the regulations shall expire within five years of their effective date. The bill provides that on or before July 1, 2021, the Board for Professional and Occupational Regulation (the Board) shall review the regulations on such timetable as determined by the Board to enable it to make specific determinations outlined in the bill. The bill requires that by July 1, 2021, the Board shall submit a report of its findings, including any recommendations, to the Joint Commission on Administrative Rules (the Commission), which shall exercise the powers granted to it under the Administrative Process Act and the Commission's enabling law. Any recommendations of the Commission for the continuation, modification, suspension, or rescission of any such regulation shall be submitted to the Governor and the General Assembly by October 15, 2021.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item 8 below.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated this bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR). DPOR will absorb the additional workload with existing resources and staff.

It is anticipated this bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Planning and Budget's (DPB) Economic and Regulatory Analysis Division (ERAD). ERAD coordinates and conducts the review of regulations including all Emergency, Pre-Notice of Intended Regulatory Action (NOIRA), Proposed, and Final regulations promulgated by executive branch agencies. DPB will absorb the additional workload with existing resources and staff.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; Department of Planning and Budget.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.