

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

1. Bill Number: SB 1182

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Reeves

3. Committee: Passed both houses

4. Title: Board of Veterans Services

5. Summary:

The proposed legislation would make the following changes in the provisions establishing the Board of Veterans Services:

- Eliminate requirement that three specific areas of expertise be represented in the membership of the board;
- Extends the number of consecutive terms on the board that members of the House of Delegates may serve from four to six;
- Extends the number of consecutive terms on the board that member of the Virginia Senate may serve from two to three;
- Authorizes a nonlegislative member appointed to serve an unexpired term to serve two successive four-year terms immediately succeeding the unexpired term;
- Requires the board to select a vice-chairman, rather than making it discretionary as the current law provides;
- Eliminates the requirement that the board designate one of its members as secretary of the board; and
- Eliminates the requirement that the board have at least three designated standing committees and authorizes the board to organize itself.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: No fiscal impact.

8. Fiscal Implications:

Because the legislation deals only with the organization of the Board of Veterans Services and does not increase its size or responsibilities, it would not have any fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:

Board of Veterans Services

Department of Veterans Services

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None.

11. Other Comments: None.

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