

Department of Planning and Budget

2017 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB 1353

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: Senator DeSteph

3. Committee: Education and Health

4. Title: Emphasize the primary duty of members of the governing boards of public institutions of higher education

5. Summary: This bill provides that the primary duty of any member of a governing board of a public institution of higher education is to the Commonwealth. This bill also requires that the educational programs for the governing boards, developed by the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV), shall include presentations on that primary role.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Section 8)

8. Fiscal Implications: As currently written, it is anticipated that any costs resulting from the proposed legislation could be absorbed by SCHEV.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Council of Higher Education for Virginia and the governing boards of Virginia's public institutions of higher education

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: Yes. Line 27, after "members" insert "primary" and strike "and their primary role".

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 01/16/17

c: Secretary of Education