Department of Planning and Budget 2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB1118		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- 2. Patron: VanValkenburg
- **3. Committee:** Education
- **4. Title:** SAT School Day Fund and Program established.
- **5. Summary:** Establishes the SAT School Day Fund (the Fund) and requires the Board of Education to establish and maintain the SAT School Day Program (the Program) whereby the Board utilizes funds made available through the Fund to enter into a contract with the College Board to enable each public high school junior in the Commonwealth to participate in the SAT free of charge during a select school day.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Indeterminate. See Item 8.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: The Department of Education (DOE) estimates a cost of \$5.7 million per year to enable each public high school junior in the Commonwealth to participate in the SAT exam. This cost is based on an estimated 94,457 high school juniors in FY 2019 fall membership and a cost of \$60 per SAT exam registration. The state cost for the SAT School Day Program cannot be determined, though, as the bill does not require state funding, and any cost is dependent on the amount of funding appropriated by the General Assembly.

DOE anticipates that the agency can establish and administer the SAT School Day Program using existing staff and resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Education

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None