Department of Planning and Budget 2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	SB153-E2					
	House of Origin		Introduced		Substitute	\boxtimes	Engrossed
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute		Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Edwards
- 3. Committee: Privileges and Elections
- **4.** Title: Elections; form of ballot; order of independent candidates.
- **5. Summary:** Clarifies the "time of filing for the office," as used to determine the order of independent candidates on the ballot, means the time at which an independent candidate has filed his petition signature pages with a number of signatures at least equal to the number required for the office.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary no state fiscal impact.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: This bill is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Department of Elections and localities
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 2/6/2018