Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB1650-S1		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- 2. Patron: Ware
- 3. Committee: General Laws and Technology
- 4. Title: Lottery; disclosure of identity of winners.
- **5. Summary:** Allows a lottery winner to submit written notice to the Virginia Lottery (Lottery) that he does not wish to have his name or other personal information disclosed. The bill does not prohibit the Lottery from disclosing the hometown of the lottery winner or the amount won.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. No Fiscal Impact
- 8. Fiscal Implications: None.
- 9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Lottery
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- **11. Other Comments:** The proposed legislation is similar to the enrolled version of Senate Bill 1060 (Spruill). Senate Bill 1060 prohibits the Virginia Lottery from disclosing information about individual winners whose prize exceeds \$10 million, and exempts such information from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), unless the winner consents to disclosure. Under FOIA, disclosure of the winner's name, hometown, and amount won is currently mandatory.