

Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1733

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
Second House	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Gilbert

3. Committee: Education and Health

4. Title: School boards; local law-enforcement agencies, memorandums of understanding.

5. Summary: Requires the school board in each school division in which the local law-enforcement agency employs school resource officers to enter into a memorandum of understanding with such local law-enforcement agency that sets forth the powers and duties of the school resource officers. The bill requires each such school board and local law-enforcement agency to review and amend or affirm the memorandum at least once every five years or at any time upon the request of either party. The bill also requires the Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety to develop a model memorandum of understanding that shall be reviewed by local school boards and local law-enforcement agencies to satisfy the new requirements put forth in the bill.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this legislation will not have a state fiscal impact. Any impact to localities is indeterminate.

The Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety (VCSCS), which is a component of the Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS), currently has a model memorandum of understanding (MOU), as well as a "School – Law Enforcement Partnership Guide." Updates to the existing model MOU can be absorbed within current resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety, Department of Criminal Justice Services, local school divisions, local law enforcement agencies

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: SB1563, SB1214, SB1130 and SB1299 also include provisions for MOUs between local law-enforcement agencies and local school division.