Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	SB1575		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- 2. Patron: Ebbin
- 3. Committee: Passed both houses
- **4. Title:** Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure; teacher licensure; dual enrollment and career and technical education.
- **5. Summary:** Requires the Board of Education to provide for the issuance of a three-year license to solely teach career and technical education courses or dual enrollment courses at public high schools in the Commonwealth to any individual who (i) is employed as an instructor by an institution of higher education that is accredited by a nationally recognized regional accreditation body, (ii) is teaching in the specific career and technical education or dual enrollment subject area at such institution in which the individual seeks to teach at a public school, and (iii) complies with certain additional requirements. The Board of Education shall require any such instructor to maintain continuous employment in such position at the institution of higher education as a condition of continued licensure. The provisions of this enactment shall expire on July 1, 2021, however, any license issued pursuant to this act prior to July 1, 2021, shall remain in effect for three years from the date it was issued unless such license is revoked by the Board of Education.

The bill requires the Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure (the Advisory Board) to make recommendations relating to licensure qualifications for individuals employed by an institution of higher education (i) to teach career and technical education courses in a high school setting and (ii) to teach dual enrollment courses in a high school setting and to report its recommendations to the Board of Education and the Chairmen of the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education and Health no later than December 1, 2019.

Additionally, the bill grants the Chancellor of the Virginia Community College System or his designee voting privileges as a member of the Advisory Board.

- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes, Item 133.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8.
- **8.** Fiscal Implications: The Department of Education (DOE) would assume the responsibilities and costs resulting from this bill, as it provides the staff support for the Board of Education and the Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure. DOE estimates a

state cost of \$10,000 in FY 2020 to support the review and meeting expenses necessary to meet the provisions of this bill.

- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Education, Board of Education, Virginia Community College System
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No
- 11. Other Comments: None