## Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB456		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Murphy
- 3. Committee: Passed both houses
- **4. Title:** Public institutions of higher education; veterans; withdrawal; tuition refund.
- **5. Summary:** Requires each public institution of higher education to provide a refund of the tuition and mandatory fees paid by any veteran student for any course from which he is forced to withdraw, for the first time, in the first-three quarters of a course, due to a service-connected medical condition during a semester, as certified in writing to the institution by a physician licensed to practice medicine who treated the veteran student for such medical condition.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8.
- **8.** Fiscal Implications: Institutions of higher education will lose tuition revenue collected from these students, however it is not possible to estimate how many students will be entitled to a refund per this legislation in any given year.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia public institutions of higher education.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: None.