

Department of Planning and Budget

2021 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2284

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

2. Patron: Williams Graves

3. Committee: Pending

4. Title: License suspensions; reinstatement of driving privileges.

5. Summary: Directs the Commissioner of the Department of Motor Vehicles to reinstate driving privileges, and to waive fees related to the reinstatement, for individuals whose privileges were suspended prior to July 1, 2019, for failure to pay court fines and costs in other jurisdictions.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

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

8. Fiscal Implications: The legislation reinstates the driving privileges of Virginia residents who had their driving privileges suspended for failure to pay court fines and costs in another jurisdiction. The legislation eliminates the requirement that these customers pay the \$145 license reinstatement fee to have their privileges reinstated. Of the approximately 8,623 suspension orders issued to Virginia residents for this type of violation annually, approximately 5,169 end up seeking reinstatement of their driving privileges. Based on this, DMV anticipates that the loss of reinstatement fee revenue associated with this legislation will be covered by the money allocated to DMV by Item 3-1.01 F.2 of the 2021 Appropriation Act to replace the anticipated loss of driving privilege reinstatement fee revenue. DMV also anticipates a fiscal impact of \$5,345.00 associated with IT programming. However, the work can be performed using existing agency staff and resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Motor Vehicles.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.