

Department of Planning and Budget 2021 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1129S1

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

2. Patron: Reeves

3. Committee: Judiciary

4. Title: Veterans service organizations; paramilitary activities.

5. Summary: The proposed legislation exempts members of a lawfully recognized military color guard, honor guard, or similar organization, or a member of a veterans service organization that is Congressionally chartered or that is officially recognized by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs from prosecution under § 18.2-282 (pointing, holding, or brandishing a firearm or other weapon) and § 18.2-433.2 (unlawful paramilitary activity) when such member is participating in a public ceremony on behalf of such organization, unless such member violates these Code sections with malicious intent.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Indeterminate.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See below.

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Department of Veterans Services (DVS), there is no anticipated fiscal impact on the agency as a result of the proposed legislation. The bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on state agencies.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Veterans Services.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.