

Department of Planning and Budget
2021 Special Session I Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2291E

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 type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Williams Graves

3. Committee: Senate Committee on the Judiciary

4. Title: Law-enforcement civilian oversight bodies

5. Summary: The bill would allow a law-enforcement civilian oversight body serving under the authority of the locality to make disciplinary determinations in cases that involve serious breaches of departmental and professional standards, as defined by the locality.

Such disciplinary determinations are binding on any non-probationary officer of a police department, bureau, or force of any political subdivision, or a campus police department of any public institution of higher education of the Commonwealth, and are advisory only for any non-probationary deputy sheriff of a sheriff's office. If any sheriff's office declines to implement a disciplinary determination recommended by the law-enforcement civilian oversight body, the sheriff's office must create a written record, which must be made available to the public, of its rationale for declining to implement any recommendation within 30 days from the date such recommendation was reported to the sheriff's office

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Line #8)

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Compensation Board, the bill is not expected to create a material fiscal impact on agency operations or that of local law-enforcement agencies.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Local law-enforcement agencies

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None