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

1. Bill Number: HB2310ER

House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute		Engrossed
Second House	In Committee	Substitute	\times	Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Runion
- 3. Committee: Passed both houses
- 4. Title: Concealed handgun permits; demonstration of competence; emergency.
- **5. Summary:** Provides that any applicant who completed an online course to demonstrate competence with a handgun as required pursuant to §18.2-308.02(B) for the purposes of applying for a concealed handgun permit and contacted the circuit court clerk's office prior to January 1, 2021, but was prohibited from appearing in person at a circuit court clerk's office because of restrictions due to COVID-19 shall be eligible to apply for a concealed handgun permit through April 30, 2021. The bill contains an emergency clause.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8 below.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: The Department of State Police (VSP) administers the concealed weapons permitting process in the Commonwealth. According to VSP, the proposed legislation is not anticipated to have a fiscal impact on agency operations. To the extent there is an impact on Circuit Court Clerks, it cannot be determined at this time.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of State Police, Circuit Court Clerks.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: None.