

Department of Planning and Budget 2021 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1468S1

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☒ Substitute ☐ Engrossed
Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Surovell

3. Committee: Courts of Justice

4. Title: Certifications for victims of qualifying criminal activity.

5. Summary: The proposed legislation creates § 9.1-1500, § 9.1-1501, and § 9.1-1502, which establish a process for a certifying agency or certifying official, as defined in the bill, to complete a certification form or statement that is required by federal immigration law certifying that a person is a victim of qualifying criminal activity.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Item 8 below).

8. Fiscal Implications: The following agencies do not anticipate a fiscal impact as a result of the proposed legislation: Virginia State Police, the Office of the Attorney General, the Department of Wildlife Resources, the Marine Resources Commission, and the Virginia Lottery.

The following agencies anticipate a minimal and absorbable fiscal impact as a result of the proposed legislation: the Department of Corrections, the Courts, the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority, and the Compensation Board.

Information from the Department of Motor Vehicles, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the Department of Conservation and Recreation, the Department of Capitol Police, the Office of the State Inspector General, and institutions of higher education with a campus law-enforcement department is not available at this time. The fiscal impact statement will be updated upon receiving information from affected agencies as needed.

Information is not available to determine the fiscal impact on local law enforcement agencies at this time.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: local and state law-enforcement agencies; Department of Corrections; Commonwealth's Attorneys; the Office of the Attorney General.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.