

## Department of Planning and Budget 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** HB257

**House of Origin**     Introduced     Substitute     Engrossed

**Second House**     In Committee     Substitute     Enrolled

**2. Patron:**    Shelly A. Simonds

**3. Committee:** Courts of Justice

**4. Title:**    Virginia State Crime Commission; stakeholder work group to create a common definition of human trafficking.

**5. Summary:** Directs the Virginia State Crime Commission to convene a stakeholder work group to create a common definition of human trafficking that may be used in the Code of Virginia and recognized by local and state agencies.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** No impact.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The Virginia State Crime Commission indicates this bill is not expected to create a fiscal impact.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Virginia State Crime Commission; Department of Criminal Justice Services; Department of Social Services; Department of Health; Department of Juvenile Justice; Department of Public Safety and Homeland Security; Virginia Indigent Defense Commission; Association of Commonwealth's Attorneys; Law-enforcement representatives; Human trafficking survivors and support groups; Other relevant local and state representatives.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:**

Date: 1/18/22