## State Corporation Commission 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

| 1. | Bill Number:    | SB 499       |            |             |           |
|----|-----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-----------|
|    | House of Origin | Introduced   | Substitute |             | Engrossed |
|    | Second House    | In Committee | Substitute | $\boxtimes$ | Enrolled  |

- 2. Patron: Lewis
- **3.** Committee: Passed both houses.
- **4. Title:** Life cycle of renewable energy facilities; SCC shall create a task force and publish report.
- **5. Summary:** Directs the State Corporation Commission, in consultation with the Department of Energy and the Department of Environmental Quality, to convene a task force to analyze the life cycle of renewable energy facilities and to report its findings to the Governor and the Chairs of the House Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources no later than May 1, 2023.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes, Item 490.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Fiscal Impact Estimates are Final. See Item 8.

| 7a. | a. Expenditure Impact: |          |                  |            |  |  |
|-----|------------------------|----------|------------------|------------|--|--|
|     | Fiscal Year            | Dollars  | <b>Positions</b> | Fund       |  |  |
|     | 2023                   | \$80,000 | N/A              | 0208 (NGF) |  |  |

- **8. Fiscal Implications:** The bill requires the Commission to create a task force to analyze the life cycle of renewable energy facilities and submit a report. This work will require the services of a paid facilitator. Participation from the Department of Energy and the Department of Environmental Quality can be managed with existing resources.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Corporation Commission; Department of Energy; Department of Environmental Quality.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: This bill is identical to HB 774.