

## **Department of Planning and Budget**

### **2023 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** SB1459- ER

**House of Origin**    ☐ Introduced    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Engrossed

**Second House**    ☐ In Committee    ☐ Substitute    ☒ Enrolled

**2. Patron:** McDougle

**3. Committee:** Enrolled

**4. Title:** Administration of state government; prohibited applications and websites.

**5. Summary:** Prohibits any employee or agent of any public body or person or entity contracting with any such agency from downloading or using any application, including TikTok or WeChat, or accessing any website developed by ByteDance Ltd. or Tencent Holdings Ltd. (i) on any government-issued device or government-owned or government-leased equipment, including mobile phones, desktop computers, laptop computers, tablets, or other devices capable of connecting to the Internet, or (ii) while connected to any wired or wireless Internet network owned, operated, or maintained by the Commonwealth.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

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

**8. Fiscal Implications:** This bill is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Virginia Information Technologies Agency (VITA) and other public bodies.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No

**11. Other Comments:** None