

Department of Planning and Budget

2023 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB946

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Suetterlein

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Campaign finance; fundraising during special sessions prohibited.

5. Summary: Prohibits campaign fundraising on any day the General Assembly is scheduled to meet during a special session. Currently, campaign fundraising is prohibited only during regular sessions of the General Assembly.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary, no state fiscal impact.

8. Fiscal Implications: The proposed legislation is not expected to have a state fiscal impact. Any potential revenue impact from the assessment of civil penalties is indeterminate.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Department of Elections and State Board of Elections.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

January 17, 2023