

Department of Planning and Budget
2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number SB1232

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron Obenshain

3. Committee Privileges and Elections

4. Title Page County School Board; referendum.

5. Summary/Purpose: Provides for a referendum in the County at the November 2007 election on the question of whether the chairman of the school board should be elected by the County at large.

6. No Fiscal Impact.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications: This legislation calls for a referendum to be placed on the ballot of the November 2007 election. This bill does not call for a special election for the referendum so there are no additional costs associated with placing it on the ballot.

The Board of Elections provides funding to localities for advertising if a referendum is for a statewide issue; however, as this legislation relates to a local issue regarding the selection of the chairman of the school board, the locality assumes the burden of any advertising costs associated with the referendum. Therefore, this legislation has no fiscal impact to the Commonwealth.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Page County School Board and citizens of Page County.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: None.

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