## Department of Planning and Budget 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number SB1232
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron Obenshain
3.	Committee Passed Both Houses
4.	Title Page County School Board; referendum.
5.	<b>Summary/Purpose:</b> 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.	<b>Fiscal implications:</b> 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.	<b>Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:</b> Page County School Board and citizens of Page County.
10.	. Technical amendment necessary: No.
11. Other comments: None.	
Da	ate: 3/13/07 / SHD

**Document:** G:\FIS\2007 Session\SB1232ER.doc