

Department of Planning and Budget 2008 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB716

House of Origin	<u> X </u>	Introduced	<u> </u>	Substitute	<u> </u>	Engrossed
Second House	<u> </u>	In Committee	<u> </u>	Substitute	<u> </u>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Janis

3. Committee: Courts of Justice

4. Title: Conduct punishable as disorderly conduct.

5. Summary: Removes the proviso that conduct punishable elsewhere in the Code as criminal conduct may not also be punished as disorderly conduct. This bill responds to the decision in “Battle v. Commonwealth”, 50 Va. App. 135, 647 S. E. 2d 499 (2007).

6. No Fiscal Impact: PRELIMINARY.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Compensation Board, the proposed legislation is not expected to impact jail bed utilization.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Local and regional jails, law enforcement agencies statewide, State Compensation Board.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

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