

Department of Planning and Budget 2009 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2566

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: Knight

3. Committee: Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

4. Title: Land acquired by Department of Forestry.

5. Summary: Clarifies that proceeds derived from properties used for nonstate forest purposes acquired or managed by the Department of Forestry are not subject to distribution by the Department to those localities in which the properties are located. Currently, the proceeds derived from state forests acquired by the State Forester are distributed to those localities in which the lands are located based on a specific formula.

6. Fiscal impact estimates are preliminary. See item 8, below.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

8. Fiscal Implications: The proposed legislation may have a minor nongeneral fund revenue impact. The bill may provide the agency with some additional revenue for the maintenance of the self-sustaining nursery operations. An estimate of any additional revenue is not available.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Forestry

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

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cc: Secretary of Agriculture and Forestry