

Department of Planning and Budget 2009 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB923

House of Origin X Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Reynolds

3. Committee: Senate Courts of Justice

4. Title: Mileage reimbursement for circuit court judges

5. Summary: This bill repeals the section granting mileage reimbursement for circuit judges to travel to and from the courthouse each day if they do not reside in the county seat.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Item 8)

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Supreme Court of Virginia, this legislation would afford some savings; however, since these claimed travel expenses are not submitted separately from other travel expenses, there is not sufficient data readily available to determine precisely the fiscal impact of this legislation. There are approximately 157 circuit court judges in the Commonwealth.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Courts

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

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