

Department of Planning and Budget 2011 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB 1047

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: Senator Barker

3. Committee: Transportation

4. Title: Establish the use of cell phones while driving under a provisional driver's license as a primary offense

5. Summary: This bill makes the use of a cell phone or any other wireless telecommunications device while operating a motor vehicle under a provisional driver's license a primary offense not requiring due cause by the police officer to stop the vehicle for some other violation of the *Code of Virginia* or local ordinance.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Indeterminate (see Section 8)

8. Fiscal Implications: Currently, there is insufficient information available to reliably estimate how many violations could result from this proposed legislation. However, any fines collected under these provisions would be deposited into the Literary Fund.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: law enforcement agencies

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: Yes. On line 47, strike "of this title".

11. Other Comments: None.

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