

Department of Planning and Budget 2011 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1051

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: Barker

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Elections; emergencies; extension of polling hours.

5. Summary: Provides for a court-ordered extension of polling hours in emergency situations and situations that interfere with the ability of voters to travel to the polls. The bill provides that no extension shall exceed three hours and provides for notice by any petitioner for an extension to the other potential petitioners. The potential petitioners are the Secretary of the State Board of Elections and the state chairs of the political parties.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: There is no fiscal impact

8. Fiscal Implications: Per the State Board of Elections (SBE), there is no fiscal impact from the passage of this bill.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Board of Elections, Attorney General, Circuit Court of Richmond

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

Date: 2/4/2011