

## Department of Planning and Budget 2012 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** SB425

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Ruff

**3. Committee:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

**4. Title:** Interbasin transfer of water resources.

**5. Summary:** This bill charges the State Water Control Board with the responsibility to establish policies and requirements for obtaining a Virginia Water Protection Permit for an interbasin transfer of water resources. The bill requires the applicant for a permit to provide certain information, including an analysis of alternatives to the transfer and a comprehensive analysis of the impacts that would occur in the source and receiving basins.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The Department of Environmental Quality does not anticipate a fiscal impact resulting from this bill.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Department of Environmental Quality.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** None.

**Date:** 1/23/2012