

Department of Planning and Budget 2012 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB600

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: Hanger

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Senate districts; technical adjustment.

5. Summary: SB 600 changes district assignments of certain census blocks between Districts 17 and 24 in Culpeper County in order to reunite four current precincts that were split by the Senate plan. District 17 has a 2.1 percent deviation from the ideal district population.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No, see Item 8.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Tentative, see Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: Staff at the State Board of Elections report that the typical bill making technical adjustments to a single district would have a cost up to \$5,000 for re-issuing voter registration cards. The agency reports it can absorb the cost with the existing allocation for redistricting costs. However, there are currently eight House and Senate bills amending 33 districts with a cumulative effect of about \$133,000. If several of the bills become law, the agency indicates it would need a budget amendment to cover the costs.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Board of Elections, local election districts.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: Live bills making adjustments to districts at this time are: HB 808, HB 838, HB 907, SB 490, SB 491, SB600, SB 635, and SB 636

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