

Department of Planning and Budget 2014 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB156ER

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

2. Patron: Miller, J.

3. Committee: Passed Both Houses

4. Title: Electronic Tolling Facilities; fees

5. Summary: Directs the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) to develop and implement a plan to eliminate the monthly maintenance fee on electronic toll collection transponders no later than September 1, 2014. In addition, the bill encourages the Secretary of Transportation to examine the retail distribution of transponders for improvements.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: Elimination of the fee currently paid by E-ZPass patrons would require alternative revenue source(s) to make up for the loss of revenue needed to cover operational costs. Options under consideration by VDOT include a combination of increased fees to toll facility operators and/or patron inactivity account fees.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: VDOT; toll facility operators; Secretary of Transportation.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

C. Secretary of Transportation

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