Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: HB1421
	House of Origin X Introduced Substitute Engrossed
	Second House
2.	Patron: Filler-Corn
3.	Committee: Commerce and Labor
4.	Title: Workforce development; duties of the Chief Workforce Development Advisor.
5.	Summary: Requires the Chief Workforce Development Advisor to actively promote the Commonwealth's workforce development and training programs and activities through public and visible means. The bill requires outreach and promotion plans to be developed in coordination with the development of the comprehensive economic development policy required by the Secretary of Commerce and Trade. The bill also provides that funding from publicly funded workforce development programs may be utilized in promotion efforts if deemed necessary.
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: No
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary.
8.	Fiscal Implications: The fiscal impact is indeterminate. The legislation provides that funding from publicly funded workforce development programs may be utilized in promotion efforts required by the bill. However, the ability to use federal grants or other funds for outreach and promotion activities may be limited by applicable funding restrictions.
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Employment Commission, Virginia Board of Workforce Development, the Virginia Community College System, and the Secretary of Commerce and Trade.
10.	. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
11.	. Other Comments: None.
Dat	te: 01/15/2015

cc: Secretary of Commerce and Trade Secretary of Education