## Department of Planning and Budget 2016 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB208					
	House of Origin	Х	Introduced		Substitute		Engrossed
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute		Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Bulova
- 3. Committee: Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources
- **4. Title:** Tributary plans.
- **5. Summary:** Repeals provisions that prescribe the content of tributary plans as part of the tributary strategies. Tributary strategies have been replaced by Watershed Implementation Plans (WIP).
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary.
- **8. Fiscal Implications:** The 2015 Session of the General Assembly repealed the requirement that the Secretary of Natural Resources report annually on Chesapeake Bay tributary plans. In addition, the tributary plans were replaced by the Watershed Implementation Plan. It is anticipated that this bill will not result is a state fiscal impact to state agencies.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: The Secretary of Natural Resources, the Department of Conservation and Recreation, and the Department of Environmental Quality.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

## 11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 01/11/2016 /jlm c: Secretary of Natural Resources