

Department of Planning and Budget 2016 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB938

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: Wilt

3. Committee: Transportation

4. Title: Certification of driver education courses

5. Summary: This bill allows a person that is certified as a third-party tester that administers a program for testing commercial driver's license applicants by the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) to be licensed as a driver training school that provides training in the operation of commercial motor vehicles. The bill requires DMV to repeal corresponding regulations.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item #8.

8. Fiscal Implications: This legislation will result in a one-time information technology implementation expenditure for the agency. However, the staff hours required can be accomplished during the normal work schedules for DMV employees, given current workloads. This bill will increase the number of audits DMV conducts on third party testers. Any cost increase associated with the increased audits are expected to be offset by savings resulting from agency staff no longer providing testing services to the affected students.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Motor Vehicles, third party testers, and Virginia public community colleges offering commercial driver training courses to students enrolled in the community college.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

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c: Secretary of Transportation