Department of Planning and Budget 2017 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB 1579-S1

2.	Patron: Campbell						
	Second House		In Committee	\square	Substitute		Enrolled
	House of Origin		Introduced		Substitute	\bowtie	Engrossed

3. Committee: Reported from committee

4. Title: Inmate transportation orders

5. Summary:

The proposed legislation would require that, upon request of, and receipt of all necessary information from, the attorney for the Commonwealth or counsel for the defendant, a court issue all orders needed to transport any defendant incarcerated in a state or local correctional facility to the court. The bill would allow a court to authorize a clerk or deputy clerk to issue the orders on behalf of the court.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: None.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: See Item 8 below.

8. Fiscal Implications:

It is the policy of the Department of Corrections to release an inmate from one of its facilities to be transported to a jail for a court appearance only upon receipt of an order from the court. Therefore, the proposed legislation would have no effect on the agency.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:

Local and regional jails Circuit courts

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None.

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 2/17/2017