

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2018 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number: HB 402**

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: Levine**

**3. Committee: Militia, Police and Public Safety**

**4. Title: Body worn camera systems**

**5. Summary:**

The proposed legislation would require the Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) to establish a model policy for the operation of body-worn camera systems. It would also prohibit any law-enforcement agency in the Commonwealth from purchasing or deploying a body-worn camera system unless it has adopted and established a written policy for the operation of such a system, using the model policy developed by DCJS as guidance.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary: None.**

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

**8. Fiscal Implications:**

DCJS already has developed a model policy for the operation of body-worn camera systems, which is available for guidance for other law-enforcement agencies. Therefore, the legislation would not have a fiscal impact on the agency.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State and local law-enforcement agencies.**

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None.**

**11. Other Comments: None.**