Department of Planning and Budget 2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: H	HB81	.3				
	House of Origin		Introduced		Substitute		Engrossed
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute	\boxtimes	Enrolled
2.	Patron: Hope						
3.	3. Committee: Passed Both Houses						
4.	Title: Direct service providers; disclosure of information by employers.						
5.	Summary: The substitute version of this bill requires the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services shall, in conjunction with the Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services, the Department of Medical Assistance Services, the Department of Social Services, the Virginia Association of Community Services Boards, the Virginia Network of Private Providers, and other relevant provider organizations and stakeholders, convene a work group in support of the Joint Commission on Health Care's efforts to improve the quality of the Commonwealth's direct support professional workforce and, if necessary, develop recommendations for policy changes to increase the transparency of the employment history of direct support professional job candidates. The Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services shall report its recommendations to the Joint Commission on Health Care by October 1, 2018.						
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: No.						
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: Minimal.						
8.	Fiscal Implications: The administrative costs of this workgroup are minimal and can be absorbed in existing appropriations.						
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services, Health Care Providers, Department for Medical Assisted						
10.	10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No						

11. Other Comments: None