

Department of Planning and Budget

2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB782

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: Dunnavant

3. Committee: Rules

4. Title: City of Richmond; Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) system permit; James River outfalls.

5. Summary: Directs the State Water Control Board (Board) to include in the next renewal of the Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit for the Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) system of the City of Richmond (City) a requirement that the City complete by January 1, 2020, an assessment of the discharges from each of its Combined Sewer Outfalls into the James River. The bill requires the assessment to incorporate any improvements meant to address discharges from any part of the City's CSO system and to determine what control technologies may be required to meet applicable regulations. The bill requires copies of the completed assessment to be delivered to the Board and the Chairmen of the House Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources. The bill also directs the Board, to the extent necessary and with the consent of the City, to modify an existing consent order or issue a new consent order between itself and the City regarding the CSO system. The bill contains an emergency clause.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

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

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this bill will not have a fiscal impact on the Department of Environmental Quality.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Environmental Quality, City of Richmond

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.