

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB1747

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Carter

**3. Committee:** Commerce and Labor

**4. Title:** Workers' compensation; retaliatory discharge of employee.

**5. Summary:** Prohibits an employer or other person from discharging an employee if the discharge is motivated to any extent by knowledge or belief that the employee has filed a claim or taken or intends to take certain other actions under the Virginia Workers' Compensation Act. Currently, retaliatory discharges are prohibited only if the employer or other person discharged an employee solely because the employee has taken or intends to take such an action.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. No Fiscal Impact**

**8. Fiscal Implications:** None.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** All state agencies and circuit courts.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** None.