## Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB2173			
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute		Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	$\square$	Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Miyares
- **3.** Committee: Passed both houses
- **4. Title:** Public institutions of higher education; tuition and fee increases; public comment.
- **5. Summary:** Requires the governing board of each public institution of higher education, prior to a vote on an increase in undergraduate tuition or mandatory fees, to permit public comment on the proposed increase at a meeting of the governing board. The bill requires each such governing board to establish policies for such public comment, which may include reasonable time limitations.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8.
- **8. Fiscal Implications:** No state fiscal impact is anticipated. There may be small costs to institutions associated with public meetings or otherwise facilitating public comment.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Public institutions of higher education.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: None.