

Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1011

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed
Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Stanley

3. Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

4. Title: Establishment of an Animal Cruelty Conviction List

5. Summary: Establishes an Animal Cruelty Conviction List and requires the Superintendent of State Police to establish and maintain the list available to the public on the website of the Department of State Police (VSP) by July 1, 2022. The list shall include the name of the offender at the time of the conviction, the offense, and the date and jurisdiction of conviction for all convictions occurring on or after July 1, 2019. Persons so convicted will be required to pay a fee of \$50 per conviction to fund the maintenance of the list. The bill requires VSP to remove a person from the list after 15 years if he has no additional felony conviction of a relevant animal cruelty offense.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes. Item 419 (HB1700/SB1100).

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

8. Fiscal Implications: According to VSP, this legislation will require \$72,960 in one-time costs to design and implement the program using the Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. The CCH is a system that tracks all criminal cases and dispositions, and keeps the official record for the criminal data in the Commonwealth.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of State Police

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.