

Department of Planning and Budget

2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1101

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

2. Patron: Bill R. DeSteph, Jr.

3. Committee: Rules

4. Title: Office of the Attorney General; representation of members of the General Assembly for violations.

5. Summary: Allows the Office of the Attorney General to represent a member of the General Assembly in any civil matter alleging that such member in his official capacity violated the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (§ 2.2-3700 et seq.). This bill is a recommendation of the Virginia Freedom of Information Advisory Council.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:

7a. Expenditure Impact:

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Positions</i>	<i>Fund</i>
2019			
2020	439,401	3	01000
2021	439,401	3	01000
2022	439,401	3	01000
2023	439,401	3	01000
2024	439,401	3	01000
2025	439,401	3	01000

8. Fiscal Implications: The Attorney General and Department of Law (OAG) indicates that this bill will require the addition of 1 senior attorney, 1 junior attorney, and 1 paralegal staff, costing \$439,401 per year.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Attorney General and Department of Law

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: