

Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1398

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: Rush

3. Committee: General Laws

4. Title: Virginia Public Procurement Act; historic landmarks; preference for goods and services.

5. Summary: Provides that, in determining the award of any contract for maintenance, renovation, repair, or reconstruction of any property designated as a historical landmark by the Board of Historic Resources or any contract for goods or services incidental to such maintenance, renovation, repair, or reconstruction, a public body shall give preference to goods produced or services provided by persons located in the United States or any of its territories, so long as the bid price on such goods or of such person is not more than 20 percent greater than the bid price on goods produced or of a low responsive and responsible bidder located outside of the United States or any of its territories.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Indeterminate, see Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The impact of this bill is indeterminate. This legislation requires public bodies to give preference to goods produced or services provided by persons located in the United States or its territories, so long as their bid price is not more than 20 percent more than the bid price of a low responsive and responsible bidder located outside of the United States or its territories. In instances where this preference is applied, public bodies could pay up to 20 percent more for the goods and services being procured.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: All public bodies subject to the Virginia Public Procurement Act. This bill does not apply to higher education institutions operating under Management Agreements and Memoranda of Understanding in the operational area of procurement (currently eleven Level III and Level II institutions). Additionally, the bill will not apply to local governments that have exempted themselves from the VPPA as authorized by Va. Code §2.2-4343(9, 10, 11).

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.