

Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB238

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: Sickles

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Absentee voting; deadline for returning absentee ballot.

5. Summary: Provides that any absentee ballot that is returned to the general registrar after the closing of the polls on election day but before noon on the third day after the election and postmarked on or before the date of the election shall be counted if the voter is found entitled to vote. The bill contains technical amendments.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: No state fiscal impact.

8. Fiscal Implications: The proposed legislation is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: The Virginia Department of Elections, State Board of Elections, localities, and local general registrars.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 1/20/2020