

Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB567

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: Helmer

3. Committee: Public Safety

4. Title: Indoor shooting ranges; prohibited in buildings not owned or leased by the Commonwealth.

5. Summary: This bill prohibits the operation of an indoor shooting range, defined in the bill as any fully enclosed or indoor area or facility designed for the use of rifles, shotguns, pistols, silhouettes, skeet, trap, or black powder or any other similar sport shooting, in any building not owned or leased by the Commonwealth or federal government unless (i) fewer than 50 employees work in the building or (ii) (a) at least 90 percent of the users of the indoor shooting range are law-enforcement officers or federal law-enforcement officers, (b) the indoor shooting range maintains a log of each user's name, phone number, address, and the law-enforcement agency where such user is employed, and (c) the indoor shooting range verifies each user's identity and address by requiring all users to present a government-issued photo-identification card. Violations of the provisions of this bill are punishable by a civil penalty of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$100,000 for the initial violation and \$5,000 per day for each day of violation thereafter.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

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

8. Fiscal Implications: The bill provides for civil penalties for violation of provisions of the section. It is expected that the penalties would be deposited into the Literary Fund. However, the number of violations that may occur and the amount of penalty assessed is not known; therefore, the impact of this bill cannot be determined at this time.

This bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on state law-enforcement agencies.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Corrections, Virginia State Police, other state and local law-enforcement agencies

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None

11. Other Comments: None