

Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB319

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: Chase

3. Committee: Judiciary

4. Title: Security of public property.

5. Summary: Provides that any property owned by the Commonwealth or any political subdivision of the Commonwealth, or used by a public body, where firearms have been prohibited by law shall have law-enforcement officers or armed security officers on the premises to provide security services.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: See Item 8.

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

8. Fiscal Implications: This legislation would require law-enforcement officers or armed security officers to be present on property owned by the Commonwealth or any political subdivision, or used by a public body, where firearms have been prohibited by law. The fiscal impact to the Commonwealth is indeterminate, as it is unknown how many Commonwealth properties do not currently have law-enforcement or armed security officers present. It is also unclear whether the bill requires such personnel to be present at all times or only during business hours.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: All state agencies, political subdivisions, or public bodies using property.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: January 22, 2020
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