Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: SB466
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron: Reeves
3.	Committee: Privileges and Elections
4.	Title: Lists of registered voters; provided at no charge to courts of the Commonwealth.
5.	Summary: Directs the Department of Elections to provide lists of registered voters to the courts of the Commonwealth and the United States for jury selection purposes at no charge. Currently, such lists are provided for a reasonable price.
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: See Item 8.
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: See Item 8.
8.	Fiscal Implications: The fiscal impact of the proposed legislation is indeterminate and would depend on any potential changes in the overall number and frequency of requests for voter registration lists made by the courts. However, the Department of Elections is expected to be able to absorb any potential administrative impact as long as the number of requests did not dramatically increase.
	According to the Department of Elections, it currently receives very few requests from courts for voter registration lists. However, it cannot predict what, if any, impact the ability to request lists at no charge may have on the overall number of requests and frequency of which any given court may decide to make such requests. Therefore, any potential administrative impact on the agency to fulfil requested voter lists for courts is indeterminate.
	Currently, charges collected for requests are deposited to the general fund; however, the expected the revenue impact is negligible due to the very small number of requests currently made.
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: The Department of Elections
10.	Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
11.	Other Comments: None.

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