

Department of Planning and Budget

2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB957

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: Marsden

3. Committee: Rules

4. Title: Commission on Civic Education; sunset and funding.

5. Summary: The bill repeals the sunset provision for the Commission on Civic Education. The bill also repeals a prohibition on the use of general funds to support the work of the Commission.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: See item 8.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Minimal.

8. Fiscal Implications: The Senate of Virginia estimates an annual impact of \$3,600 to pay the interim meeting compensation for the three Senate members. The House of Delegates estimates an annual impact of \$6,000 to pay the interim meeting compensation for the five House members. The Commission will incur an annual costs related to the reimbursement of reasonable and necessary expenses for all members, including the interim meeting compensation for the six nonlegislative citizen members. Examining past expenditures of the Commission, expenses for this purpose have ranged between \$2,000 and \$4,000, but costs could go higher depending on the location of meetings and the proximity of members to the meetings.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: The Commission on Civic Education; The Division of Legislative Services; The House of Delegates; The Senate of Virginia.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.