Department of Planning and Budget 2021 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number	r: SB1126					
	House of Orig	in 🖂	Introduced		Substitute		Engrossed
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute		Enrolled
2.	Patron:	Spruill					
3.	Committee:	Rules					
4.	Title:	Transpor	rtation District	Com	nmission of Ha	mpto	on Roads; membership.

- 5. Summary: Adds a member of the House of Delegates, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, and a member of the Senate, to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules, to the Transportation District Commission of Hampton Roads. Such legislative members must represent districts that include certain cities in the Hampton Roads region. The bill also requires that nonlegislative citizen members of the Commission appointed by the Governor have experience in one of the following fields: transit, transportation, or land use planning; management of transit, transportation, or other public sector operations; public budgeting or finance; corporate communications; government oversight; or state or local government. The new qualifications do not affect the appointment of any current members of the Commission until the expiration of their terms.
- **6. Budget Amendment Necessary**: Yes. Item 1 requires a \$2,400 general fund appropriation in the second year for payments to members of the General Assembly for participation in Commission meetings.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See item 8.
- **8. Fiscal Implications:** This bill would add a member of the House of Delegates, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, and a member of the Senate, to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules, to the Transportation District Commission of Hampton Roads. Members of the House of Delegates and Senate of Virginia are paid \$300 per meeting. If the Commission meets four times per year, which is the average number of meetings a commission of this nature usually involves, the total annual costs for member participation would be \$2,400. Travel costs for members of the General Assembly would be paid by the Commission.
- **9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Transportation District Commission of Hampton Roads, House of Delegates, Senate of Virginia.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: None.