

Department of Planning and Budget 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB688

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Kory

3. Committee: Education

4. Title: School boards; production of public records; fee schedules.

5. Summary: Requires each school board to develop and post or otherwise make publicly available a fee schedule governing charges for the release of public records to be used by each school within its school division when responding to requests for public records pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act. The bill requires such fee schedule to be based on the most recent estimate of the aggregate costs incurred by each school within a school board's division in accessing, duplicating, supplying, or searching for requested public records. Finally, the bill provides that a school board shall review and update the fee schedule at least annually.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

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

8. Fiscal Implications: There is no anticipated state fiscal impact resulting from the provisions of this bill. Any impact to local school divisions is indeterminate.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Local school divisions

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None