

Department of Planning and Budget 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB764

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: Barker

3. Committee: General Laws and Technology

4. Title: Public bodies; security of government databases and data communications.

5. Summary: Requires every public body to report to the Chief Information Officer (CIO) all known incidents that threaten the security of the Commonwealth's data or communications or result in exposure of data protected by federal or state laws and all other incidents compromising the security of the public body's information technology systems with the potential to cause major disruption to normal activities of the public body or other public bodies. The bill requires such reports to be made to the CIO within 24 hours from when the incident was discovered.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: See item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The fiscal impact of this bill is expected to be minimal and able to be absorbed within current resources. The process of incident reporting would not require new systems or personnel for public bodies.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: All state and local public bodies beyond the executive branch agencies that are currently required to report these incidents.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: Companion to HB1290