

Department of Planning and Budget

2023 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1606

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☒ Enrolled

2. Patron: Tata and Simon

3. Committee: Passed Both Houses

4. Title: Antisemitism.

5. Summary: Provides that the Commonwealth adopts the non-legally binding Working Definition of Antisemitism adopted by the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance on May 26, 2016, including the contemporary examples of antisemitism set forth therein, exclusively as a tool and guide for training, education, recognizing, and combating antisemitic hate crimes or discrimination and for tracking and reporting antisemitic incidents in the Commonwealth. The provisions of the bill shall not be construed to diminish or infringe upon any right protected under the First Amendment to the United States Constitution or the Constitution of Virginia.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: See Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill is not expected to create a fiscal impact to the Commonwealth of Virginia.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: All state agencies of the Commonwealth

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 3/8/2023