

## **Department of Planning and Budget**

### **2023 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** SB1516

**House of Origin**    ☒ Introduced    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Engrossed

**Second House**    ☐ In Committee    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Stanley

**3. Committee:** Privileges and Elections

**4. Title:** Elections; general provisions and administration; guidance to local election officials.

**5. Summary:** Provides that any election official who receives guidance pertaining to voter registration or the administration of elections from any instrument of the federal government, any civil society group, or any other third party that is not an agent of the Commonwealth shall immediately report such receipt to the Department of Elections and that no election official may implement such guidance without written authorization by the Department.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary, no state fiscal impact.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The proposed legislation is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Virginia Department of Elections, State Board of Elections, and localities (General Registrars and Electoral Boards).

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** None.

January 31, 2023