Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number	er: HB523					
	House of Orig	in 🗌	Introduced		Substitute		Engrossed
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute	\boxtimes	Enrolled
2.	Patron:	Krizek					
3.	Committee:	Passed both houses					
4.	Title:	Charitable gaming.					

- 5. Summary: Amends charitable gaming law to allow, as a condition of receiving a charitable gaming permit or authorization to conduct electronic gaming, certain organizations to use a predetermined percentage of its receipts for expenses related to the rental of real property where such real property is involved in the operation of the organization and used for lawful religious, charitable, community, or educational purposes or for social or recreational activities for the principal benefit of a social organization's members. The bill (i) prohibits the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (VDACS) from promulgating electronic gaming regulations that prohibit (a) devices that display spinning, rotating, or rolling reels or animations or flashing lights; (b) devices that accept vouchers; or (c) the purchase and play of an electronic pull tab with a single press or touch of a button. The bill also expands the definition of a social organization to include an organization established on or before November 10, 1922, that is qualified under § 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, is the only federally chartered Marine Corps-related veterans organization in the country, and is operated for the purpose of promoting the interest and preserving the traditions of the United States Marine Corps.
- **6. Budget Amendment Necessary**: See Item 8.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8.
- **8. Fiscal Implications:** VDACS does not anticipate any fiscal impact from the passage of this legislation.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: None