

Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB985

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron: Tran

3. Committee: Passed both Houses.

4. Title: High polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon pavement sealants; prohibition; civil penalty.

5. Summary: Prohibits the sale or distribution of any pavement sealant that contains polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon concentrations greater than one percent by weight on or after July 1, 2024, except that a retailer may continue to sell any existing inventory that remains in stock on that date. The bill also prohibits the application or use of such sealants on or after July 1, 2025. Any person who violates either prohibition is subject to a civil penalty of \$250, to be paid into the Virginia Environmental Emergency Response Fund.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this bill will have an indeterminate expenditure impact on the Department of Environmental Quality. Potential revenue impact resulting from this measure is indeterminate, as it is not possible to estimate the number of violations that will occur.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Environmental Quality.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.