Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	SB599		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled
	Second House			

- 2. Patron: Lucas
- 3. Committee: Finance and Appropriations
- **4. Title:** Bonds for public institutions of higher learning; emergency.
- **5.** Summary: Authorizes issuance of bonds in an amount up to \$124,285,000 for revenueproducing capital projects at James Madison University, Virginia State University, and The College of William and Mary in Virginia. The bill contains an emergency clause.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item 8.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: It is expected that these projects will generate sufficient nongeneral fund revenues to pay operating expenses and debt service, offsetting any impact to the state's debt capacity. In future budgets, the affected institutions will need a nongeneral fund appropriation for debt service once the projects are complete and must set rates, fees, and/or charges at levels that will generate sufficient net revenues to retire the debt.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: James Madison University, Virginia State University, the College of William and Mary in Virginia, and the Department of the Treasury.
- **10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** Yes, the project title and project code for James Madison University's project on line 46 should be Renovate Spotswood Hall and 18710 in order to be consistent with HB/SB 30.
- 11. Other Comments: This bill is identical to House Bill 711.

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