

Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB873

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Earley

3. Committee: General Laws

4. Title: Virginia Freedom of Information Act; closed meeting exemption; home instruction of children.

5. Summary: Creates an exemption from the open meeting requirements of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act for discussion, consideration, or decisions relating to home instruction of children, unless objected to by a parent or guardian in an open meeting, that are exempt from disclosure pursuant to relevant law.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary, see Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill is not expected to create a state fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: All public bodies subject to the Freedom of Information Act.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None