

Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1309

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

2. Patron: Ruff, Jr.

3. Committee: Passed Both Houses.

4. Title: Charitable gaming.

5. Summary: This bill makes amendments to the membership and the appointing authority of such membership of the Board of Charitable Gaming. Specifically, the bill increases the membership from nine to eleven; provides that six nonlegislative citizen members shall be appointed by the Governor subject to confirmation of the General Assembly; three nonlegislative citizen members shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates; two nonlegislative citizen members shall be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; and that all members shall be appointed for four-year terms. In addition, the bill specifies that the Board shall elect a chairman from among the Board members who are also members of a charitable organization. A vice-chairman shall be elected from the members at large. Additional enactment clauses specify how the current terms of members shall be addressed as well as procedures for appointing the new members in accordance with the new provisions of the statute.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this substitute bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.