Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: HB1966
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron: Yancey
3.	Committee: Passed Both Houses.
4.	Title: Uniform Statewide Building Code; issuance of building permits.
5.	Summary: Requires local building departments, when denying an application for the issuance of a building permit, to provide to the applicant a written explanation detailing the reasons for which the application was denied. The bill provides that the applicant may submit a revised application addressing the reasons for which the application was previously denied and that, if the applicant does so, the local building department shall be encouraged, but not required, to limit its review of the revised application to only those portions of the application that were previously deemed inadequate and that the applicant has revised. As enrolled, the bill specifies that, with the exception of the levy imposed pursuant to § 36-137, Code of Virginia, any fees levied pursuant to § 36-105, Code of Virginia, shall be used only to support the functions of the local building department.
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0.	Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final.
8.	Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Housing and Community Development.
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Housing and Community Development; localities.
10.	Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.