

## **Department of Planning and Budget**

### **2022 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** SB408S1

**House of Origin**    ☐ Introduced    ☒ Substitute    ☐ Engrossed  
**Second House**    ☐ In Committee    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Enrolled

**2. Patron:**    Dunnavant

**3. Committee:** Senate Committee on the Judiciary

**4. Title:**    Transmission of sentencing documents to the Department of Health Professions

**5. Summary:** The substitute bill amends § 19.2-298 (Pronouncement of sentence) to establish that after the pronouncement of sentence, if during the course of any of the judicial proceedings it comes to the court's attention that the defendant is registered, certified, or licensed by a health regulatory board or holds a multistate licensure privilege, or is licensed by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services in accordance with § 37.2-404, and the defendant has been convicted of a felony, crime involving moral turpitude, or crime that occurred during the course of practice for which such practitioner or person is licensed, the court must order the clerk of the court to transmit certified copies of sentencing documents to the Director of the Department of Health Professions or to the Commissioner of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services. Such certified copies of sentencing documents must be transmitted within 30 days after the sentencing hearing.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary (see Item #8)

**8. Fiscal Implications:** According to the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court, the substitute bill is not expected to create a material fiscal impact on the court system.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Courts, Department of Health Professions and Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No

**11. Other Comments:** None