

**Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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ORIGINAL

Bill Number: SB957 ER **Patron:** Perry
Bill Title: Protective orders; military protective orders.

Bill Summary: The bill provides that, upon violation of a protective order, if a Military Protective Order issued by a commanding officer in the Armed Forces of the United States, the Virginia National Guard, or the National Guard of any other state against a person under such officer's command and registered in the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) has been issued against the same defendant, the law-enforcement officer or agency must inform the military law-enforcement officer or agency that entered the Military Protective Order into the NCIC or the commanding officer who issued the Military Protective Order of such violation telephonically, in writing, via email, via text, or by any other routine means of interagency communication.

The bill also provides that any Military Protective Order issued between the parties is only admissible or considered as evidence in accordance with the Code of Virginia, the Rules of Evidence of the Supreme Court of Virginia, or relevant Virginia case law.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No **Items Impacted:** N/A
Explanation: N/A

Fiscal Summary: This bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on state agencies. The fiscal impact this bill may have on local law enforcement agencies is not known.

Fiscal Analysis: None required

Other: None