

**Department of Planning and Budget**  
**2026 General Assembly Session**  
**State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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**ORIGINAL**

**Bill Number:** HB357 **Patron:** Callsen  
**Bill Title:** Release of accused on secured or unsecured bond.

**Bill Summary:** Removes the conditions requiring that any person arrested for a felony who (i) has previously been convicted of a felony, (ii) is presently on bond for an unrelated arrest in any jurisdiction, or (iii) is on probation or parole be released only upon a secure bond. Additionally, the bill adds to the factors a judicial officer shall consider in making a bail determination (a) the person's current bond status for an unrelated arrest in any jurisdiction and (b) the person's current status on probation or parole.

**Budget Amendment Necessary:** None **Items Impacted:** N/A

**Explanation:** N/A

**Fiscal Summary:** There is no anticipated impact on state agencies.

**Fiscal Analysis:** According to the Office of the Executive Secretary (OES) of the Supreme Court of Virginia, there is no anticipated fiscal impact from the bill.

**Other:** None