

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

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**ORIGINAL**

**Bill Number:** HB1406

**Patron:** Thornton

**Bill Title:** Foreign divorce decrees; exercise of power by courts of the Commonwealth; non-domiciled party.

**Bill Summary:** Provides that a court of the Commonwealth with proper jurisdiction may exercise certain powers relating to a foreign decree dissolving a marriage or granting a divorce from the bond of matrimony if a proceeding is initiated by a non-domiciled party to such divorce, provided that the party domiciled in the Commonwealth is still domiciled in the Commonwealth at the commencement of an action.

**Budget Amendment Necessary:** No                    **Items Impacted:** None

**Explanation:** There is no anticipated fiscal impact from the bill.

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

**Fiscal Analysis:** Any unanticipated costs that may arise from the bill are expected to be absorbable with existing resources.

**Other:** None.