

FISCAL NOTE
Requested by Legislative Council
04/23/2019

Amendment to: SB 2293

- 1 A. **State fiscal effect:** *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2017-2019 Biennium		2019-2021 Biennium		2021-2023 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
Revenues		\$0	\$0	\$1,806,145	\$0	\$1,635,409
Expenditures		\$15,000	\$0	\$1,284,870	\$0	\$1,691,300
Appropriations		\$467,100	\$0	\$1,500,000	\$0	\$1,691,300

- 1 B. **County, city, school district and township fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

	2017-2019 Biennium	2019-2021 Biennium	2021-2023 Biennium
Counties			
Cities			
School Districts			
Townships			

- 2 A. **Bill and fiscal impact summary:** *Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).*

SB 2293 creates & enacts a new section relating to the creation of the aquatic nuisance species program fund & surcharges for fishing, combination and waterfowl licenses & requires ANS fees for motorboats. To provide a penalty; an approp.; a transfer; an exemption; effective date & emerg. clause.

- B. **Fiscal impact sections:** *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

The proposed amendment authorizes 2 FTE. Appropriates money out of game and fish fund for ANS and provide a transfer out of ANS fund to repay game and fish fund. An emergency clause for Sect. 6&7.

Adds a surcharge of \$2 on each resident fishing license and combination license except for the resident sixty-five years of age or older license, permanently or totally disabled license, or a disabled veteran license as defined in subsection 6 of section 20.1-03-12; and a surcharge of \$3 on each nonresident fishing license and each nonresident waterfowl hunting license issued under section 20.1-03-12.

Adds a \$15 fee for motorboats licensed in this state valid concurrent with motorboat licensure. Adds an annual \$15 fee for motorboats operated on waters of this state and not licensed in this state for the calendar year in which it is paid. Adds a penalty for failure to pay the ANS motorboat sticker fee.

3. **State fiscal effect detail:** *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

- A. **Revenues:** *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

The amendment of the bill will result in estimated revenue from a motorboat ANS sticker fee of \$1,091,500 (Out of state \$248k, In state \$844k). The sticker fee will be implemented Jan. 1, 2020. The amendment of the bill will result in estimated revenue of \$714k (Resident fishing and combination surcharge of \$406k and Nonresident fishing and waterfowl of \$308k). The fishing and combination surcharge will begin April 1, 2020. Total revenue approx. for 19-21 is \$1,806,145.

Revenue for 21-23 approx. \$1,635,409. Revenue for 21-23 is less because it is the 3rd year of a 3 year boat cycle and thus fewer boats will be registered.

The revenue will be deposited in the aquatic nuisance species program fund.

- B. **Expenditures:** *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

In 17-19 hire temps or contract for 1 ANS inspection team and contract for all veliger analysis for \$15,000. Estimated one-time IT programming costs of \$30K in 19-21 biennium.

Purchase of ANS stickers \$4,500 in 19-21 and \$7,000 in 21-23. Salaries, benefits and operating costs for 2 FTE of \$352,850 hired 2019 and 2020 and \$467,100 in 21-23. Other expenditures (hire temps or contract for ANS inspections teams, contract all veliger analysis, hire licensing temps, postage, educational information, conversion of fish grinders, wash stations, etc.) approx. \$897,520 in 19-21 and \$1,217,200 in 21-23.

Total: 17-19 \$15,000; 19-21 \$1,284,870; 21-23 \$1,691,300

- C. **Appropriations:** *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation or a part of the appropriation is included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.*

Section 6 - For 17-19, appropriate out of game and fish fund \$467,100 for ANS as an emergency clause and requires the ANS fund to pay back the game and fish fund.

Section 7 includes appropriation for 2 FTE and expenses and declared an emergency. The 19-21 appropriation is \$1,500,000 and 21-23 is \$1,691,300.

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