



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597

PRINTERS NO. 2106

PRIME SPONSOR: James

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2017/18	FY 2018/19
Administration Fund	\$0	\$0
Unemployment Compensation Benefit Fund	\$0	\$0

**SUMMARY:** Amends the Unemployment Compensation Law to increase the periods of time allotted for parties to appeal the determination of an Unemployment Compensation (UC) Service Center and the decision of a UC referee, from 15 days to 21 days. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

**ANALYSIS:** This legislation provides for an increased timeline in the UC appeal process. A party will have 21 days to appeal: 1) a determination of a UC Service Center to a UC referee or 2) a referee's decision to the UC Board of Review.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** This legislation would have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds.

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*Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.*