

**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
FISCAL NOTE**

BILL NO. House Bill 1591

PRINTER NO. 2139

AMOUNT

No Fiscal Impact

FUND

General Fund

DATE INTRODUCED

June 10, 2021

PRIME SPONSOR

Representative Knowles

DESCRIPTION

House Bill 1591 amends the County Code regarding county classification following the 2020 Census.

This bill amends the County Code to allow for counties that are eligible to increase or decrease classification as a result of population changes reflected in the 2020 Census to wait until the 2030 Census for reclassification.

For a county to approve of an increase or decrease of classification due to population changes reflected in the 2020 Census, the county board of commissioners must adopt an ordinance or resolution approving the change.

Following the 2030 Census, population data from both the 2020 and 2030 Census shall be considered when determining a county's classification.

FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 1591 will have no fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds.