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**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**  
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**Bill Number:** H. 5348 Introduced on March 12, 2020  
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**Subject:** Newborn Screening Advisory Committee  
**Requestor:** House Medical, Military, Public, and Municipal Affairs  
**RFA Analyst(s):** A. Martin  
**Impact Date:** March 17, 2020

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### **Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill changes the Newborn Screening Advisory Committee to the Newborn Screening and Rare Disease Council. The bill adds to the duties of the committee and makes stipulations concerning the membership of the council. The Newborn Screening Advisory Committee is under the administration of the Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC). DHEC indicates that this bill does not materially alter the oversight or regulatory duties of the agency. Therefore, this bill will have no expenditure impact on DHEC.

### **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

#### **Introduced on March 12, 2020**

##### **State Expenditure**

This bill changes the Newborn Screening Advisory Committee to the Newborn Screening and Rare Disease Council. To the existing duties of the committee, the bill adds advising the Governor, the General Assembly, and DHEC on research, diagnosis, treatment, and education relating to rare diseases. It also makes stipulations concerning the membership of the council.

This bill creates no new regulatory duties or expenditures for DHEC. Therefore, this bill will have no impact on expenditures for the agency.

##### **State Revenue**

N/A

##### **Local Expenditure**

N/A

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N/A

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Frank A. Rainwater, Executive Director