# **LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas**

## FISCAL NOTE, 79TH LEGISLATURE 3rd CALLED SESSION - 2006

#### May 2, 2006

**TO:** Honorable Jim Pitts, Chair, House Committee on Appropriations

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Deputy Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB113 by Pitts (Relating to payment of certain claims for indigent inmate defense.), As Introduced

## No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would clarify language in the Fiscal Programs of the Comptroller of Public Accounts Miscellaneous Claims Rider #3, Appropriation, Payment of Miscellaneous Claims, to increase the limit for claims for the Indigent Defense Program to \$50,000.

The bill would take effect immediately upon enactment, assuming that it received the requisite twothirds majority votes in both houses of the Legislature. Otherwise, it would take effect on 91st day after the last day of the legislative session.

## **Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

#### **Source Agencies:**

LBB Staff: JOB, SD, MS, EB