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TO: Honorable Terry Keel, Chair, House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence

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

IN RE: HB431 by Dutton (Relating to the admissibility of certain evidence in capital cases in which the state seeks the death penalty.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure regarding what evidence and testimony would be admissible in a capital case in which the state seeks the death penalty.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies:

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