

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Pete Gallego, Chair, House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence

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

**IN RE: HB2076** by Brown, Betty (Relating to the impact of the presence of certain peace officers on the admissibility of certain statements made by children.), **As Introduced**

**No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure relating to the impact of the presence of certain peace officers on the admissibility of certain statements made by children. The bill would make a slight adjustment to the admissibility in a criminal case of certain statements made by child victims. To the extent the bill would amend court proceedings, no increase in judicial workloads or fiscal implication to the State is anticipated. The bill would take effect September 1, 2009.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 665 Juvenile Probation Commission

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