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TO: Honorable John Whitmire, Chair, Senate Committee on Criminal Justice

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

IN RE: SB1506 by Whitmire (Relating to the payment of the costs associated with certain conditions of bond.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure to authorize requiring a defendant who is placed on electronic monitoring or required to be tested for use of controlled substances as a condition of bond to pay for those services as a condition of bond. If those costs are imposed, the bill would authorize a magistrate to revoke a defendant's bond and order the defendant arrested if they fail to pay those costs.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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