

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**March 4, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Abel Herrero, Chair, House Committee On Criminal Jurisprudence

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB516** by Pitts (Relating to the execution of a search warrant for taking a blood specimen from certain persons in certain intoxication offenses.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would amend Chapter 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure to permit the execution of a warrant to collect a blood specimen from a person suspected of committing an intoxication offense under certain Penal Code provisions in a county that is contiguous to the county in which the warrant is issued.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2013.

**Local Government Impact**

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

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