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TO: Honorable Joan Huffman, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB431 by White, James (Relating to the creation of an advisory committee to examine and recommend revisions to any state laws pertaining to juvenile records.), **As Engrossed**

<p>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</p>
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The bill would require the Juvenile Justice Board to appoint a committee to develop a plan for studying, reorganizing, and revising relevant laws concerning juvenile justice records. The bill requires that the committee submit a report of recommendations to the legislature and the Juvenile Justice Board no later than November 1, 2016. The committee would be abolished December 31, 2018. This analysis assumes that the Juvenile Justice Department and the Department of Family and Protective Services could implement the provisions of the bill by utilizing existing resources. The bill would take effect immediately upon receiving a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each chamber, otherwise it would take effect September 1, 2015.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of, 644 Juvenile Justice Department

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