

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

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB518 by Moody (Relating to certain waivers by a defendant regarding a community supervision revocation hearing.), **As Engrossed**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would allow a defendant to waive the right to a hearing and counsel by providing notice before a notary public or a court of record; currently the defendant is only allowed to waive these rights before a court of record.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 696 Department of Criminal Justice

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