

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**April 17, 2021**

**TO:** Honorable Nicole Collier, Chair, House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence

**FROM:** Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB1126** by Anchia (Relating to an application for a writ of habeas corpus in certain felony cases.), **As Introduced**

<b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure to provide that the state would have 30 days to respond to an application for a writ of habeas filed after the final conviction in a felony case imposing a penalty other than death. Currently, the state must file a response no later than 15 days after receiving a copy of the application from the clerk.

Based on information provided by the Office of Court Administration, no significant fiscal impact to the state court system is anticipated as a result from implementing the provisions of the bill.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Admin

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