

FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 1, 1995

SUBJECT: **HB 12 - SB 533**

This bill, if enacted, will provide that the state, not the county, will be liable for the payment of costs which have accrued in any criminal prosecution where the offense is a misdemeanor offense and the conviction results from a felony offense reversal on appeal.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures and a decrease in local government expenditures. A reasonable estimate of the increased expenditures cannot reasonably be determined but is estimated to be not significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director