

**Department of Planning and Budget  
2002 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number** HB892

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron** McDougle

**3. Committee** Passed Both Houses

**4. Title** Blood, saliva or tissue sample required for DNA analysis upon felony arrest

**5. Summary/Purpose:** This legislation proposes to amend by adding in Chapter 7 of Title 19.2 a section numbered 19.2 -83.2, which requires every person arrested for a violent felony to submit blood, saliva or tissue sample for DNA analysis. This legislation has an effective date of January 1, 2003.

**6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are** **Final:** See Item #8.

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No.

**8. Fiscal implications:** The fiscal implications of this legislation are uncertain. The Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) advises that it cannot accurately estimate the number of individuals that may be arrested for felonies and therefore cannot estimate the total fiscal impact of this legislation. However, if arrest rates remain consistent with recent years, it anticipates that there may be an increase of approximately 20 percent in the number of samples to process. If that proves to be true, DCJS believes it can absorb the increase.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Department of Criminal Justice Services and localities.

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** No.

**11. Other comments:** This bill is identical to SB535.

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cc: Secretary of Public Safety