

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Do Pass and Be Placed on the Consent Calendar
Vote:	10 - 0 - 0
Yeas:	Barton, Cameron, Garrett, Krieger, Olson, Shields, Smith J., Stiegler, Whisnant, Barker
Nays:	0
Exc.:	0
Prepared By:	Shannon Sivell, Counsel
Meeting Dates:	4/29

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Authorizes probation officer to test person on probation, who has history of drug or alcohol abuse, for presence of these substances by a method other than using breath or urine.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Provisions of the measure

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: SB 99 updates the law to allow for less invasive and more accurate drug and alcohol testing. Currently, a person sentenced to probation who has a history of drug or alcohol abuse is required to submit to testing of breath or urine. This limits the testing to these two methods despite advances in technology that allow for less invasive and more precise testing through the use of hair samples.