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Bill Analysis

SB 962 requires every law enforcement agency to submit a sexual assault kit to a forensic lab within 10 days after receipt of the evidence by a law enforcement agency if a report of the sexual assault is made to the agency. Current law requires such kits to be submitted within 20 days. The measure also requires each accredited crime laboratory to test any untested sexual assault evidence kit within 18 months of receiving the untested sexual assault kit.

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