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TO: Honorable Kenny Marchant, Chair, House Committee on State Affairs

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB352 by Dutton (Relating to a legislative continuance of a contested case before a state agency.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Civil Practice and Remedies Code to provide for a legislative continuance for contested cases in administrative hearings before a state agency.

The bill would take immediate effect if the bill receives the vote of two-thirds the members in each house. Otherwise, the bill would take effect September 1, 2003.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 302 Office of the Attorney

General, 360 State Office of Administrative Hearings

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