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TO: Honorable Harold V. Dutton, Jr., Chair, House Committee on Juvenile Justice & Family Issues

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB884 by Dutton (Relating to alternative dispute resolution statements required in a suit for dissolution of a marriage and a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would remove the requirement that certain pleadings filed for dissolution of marriage and suits affecting the parent-child relationship contain language relative to alternative dispute resolution. The bill would have no significant fiscal impact to the State as it does not affect a party's right to alternative dispute resolution or to trial.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 212 Office Of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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