

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 78TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 9, 2003**

**TO:** Honorable Frank Madla, Chair, Senate Committee on Intergovernmental Relations

**FROM:** John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2764** by Garza (Relating to the authority of certain municipal hospital authorities to borrow money.), **As Engrossed**

<b>No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would increase from 5,000 to 25,000 the population size of a municipality in which the municipal hospital authority would be authorized to borrow money from a federally insured lending institution for any of the authority's purposes. The bill would take effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds in each house; otherwise, it would take effect September 1, 2003.

Providing an additional mechanism for financing the authority's needs would provide a positive fiscal impact.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:**

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