LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas

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TO: Honorable Robert Puente, Chair, House Committee on Natural Resources

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2950 by Hope (Relating to the powers of a groundwater conservation district protecting the historic use of groundwater.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would authorize a groundwater conservation district to implement a process for requiring protection of an existing or historic use of groundwater. The bill would take effect immediately if it receives a two-thirds vote in each house; otherwise, it would take effect September 1, 2003.

Local Government Impact

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

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