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TO: Honorable Kent Grusendorf, Chair, House Committee on Public Education

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB3458 by Pitts (Relating to childcare services.), As Introduced

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Section 34.007(b)(2), Education Code to require a school district's board of trustees to allow a parent to designate a child-care facility instead of the child's legal residence for school transportation purposes.

Because the bill does not impose a requirement that routes be realigned to provide convenient service, particularly outside adopted attendance zones, for parents selecting the option to designate a child care facility, no significant fiscal impact is anticipated on a statewide basis.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated. It is possible that designations of child care facilities as transportation sites could significantly increase or decrease overall route mileage for local districts, but the bill does not impose a requirement that routes be realigned to provide convenient service.

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