

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Rodney Ellis, Chair, Senate Committee on Government Organization

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

**IN RE: SB271** by Jackson (Relating to the regulation of riding stables.), **As Introduced**

**Estimated Two-year Net Impact to General Revenue Related Funds** for SB271, As Introduced: a positive impact of \$10,426 through the biennium ending August 31, 2005.

The bill would make no appropriation but could provide the legal basis for an appropriation of funds to implement the provisions of the bill.

This bill would repeal the Riding Stables Act.

**General Revenue-Related Funds, Five-Year Impact:**

Fiscal Year	Probable Net Positive/(Negative) Impact to General Revenue Related Funds
2004	\$5,213
2005	\$5,213
2006	\$5,213
2007	\$5,213
2008	\$5,213

**All Funds, Five-Year Impact:**

Fiscal Year	Probable Revenue (Loss) from <i>GENERAL REVENUE FUND</i> 1	Probable Savings/(Cost) from <i>GENERAL REVENUE FUND</i> 1
2004	(\$21,200)	\$26,413
2005	(\$21,200)	\$26,413
2006	(\$21,200)	\$26,413
2007	(\$21,200)	\$26,413
2008	(\$21,200)	\$26,413

**Fiscal Analysis**

This bill would repeal the Riding Stables Chapter of the Occupations Code, administered by the Texas Animal Health Commission.

**Methodology**

Repealing the chapter would result in a loss of \$21,200 a fiscal year from removing the Commission's authority to collect fees from stable registrations. The bill would also result in a net savings of \$5,213 a fiscal year based on the difference between the agency's actual expenditures of \$26,413 fiscal year for the program and the \$21,200 collected from fees.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 116 Sunset Advisory Commission, 554 Animal Health Commission

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