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TO: Honorable Robert Duncan, Chair, Senate Committee on Jurisprudence

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB385 by Hinojosa (Relating to the appeal of an order denying a motion for sanctions against a frivolous pleading or motion.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Civil Practices and Remedies Code by allowing a person to appeal from an interlocutory order of a district court, county court at law, or county court that denied a motion under Section 10.002 for sanctions against frivolous pleading or motion.

Local Government Impact

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

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