

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Robert Duncan, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Deputy Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB1294** by Rose (Relating to permissive interlocutory appeals in civil actions.), **As Engrossed**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would allow a trial court to permit certain appeals from an interlocutory order that is not otherwise appealable as long the outlined criteria are met. These appeals would be permissive; appellate courts would not be required to accept the appeals.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 221 First Court of Appeals District, Houston, 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas  
Judicial Council

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