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TO: Honorable Helen Giddings, Chair, House Committee on Business & Industry

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

IN RE: HB1379 by Jones, Jesse (Relating to the admissibility in a civil action of certain information relating to identity theft.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would make communications by a seller of goods or services to a member of a law enforcement agency regarding an investigation of an identity theft violation inadmissible in a civil action.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council **LBB Staff:** JOB, SD, JRO, WP, LB