

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 79TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**March 12, 2005**

**TO:** Honorable Dianne White Delisi, Chair, House Committee on Public Health

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

**IN RE: HB1544** by Dawson (Relating to removal of corneal tissue from a decedent.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill repeals Subchapter B, Chapter 693, Health and Safety Code, which defines circumstances under which corneal tissue may be removed from a decedent and identifies persons who may object to such removal. The bill adds language authorizing certain officials to permit removal of corneal tissue from a decedent. No fiscal impact to the state is anticipated.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 537 Department of State Health Services

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