

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

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**April 18, 2005**

**TO:** Honorable John T. Smithee, Chair, House Committee on Insurance

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

**IN RE: HB1948** by Rose (Relating to health benefit plan coverage for detection and prevention of osteoporosis.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would amend the Insurance Code relating to health benefit plan coverage for detection and prevention of osteoporosis. Based on the analysis of the Department of Insurance and the Health and Human Services Commission, any additional work resulting from the passage of the bill could be reasonably absorbed within current resources.

This bill would take effect September 1, 2005.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 454 Department of Insurance, 529 Health and Human Services Commission

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