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TO: Honorable Fred Hill, Chair, House Committee on Local Government Ways & Means

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

IN RE: HB3071 by Goodman (Relating to the administration and collection of ad valorem taxes; making procedural and technical corrections and clarifications to the Tax Code, Property Code, and Civil Practice and Remedies Code.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill is an omnibus property tax bill that would amend various property tax related chapters in the Tax Code, Property Code, and the Civil Practice and Remedies Code, relating to the administration and collection of ad valorem taxes.

Local Government Impact

The bill would amend various sections in the Tax Code, Property Code, and the Civil Practice and Remedies Code, some with the effect of allowing taxing units and their attorneys to increase and expedite property tax collections, thereby providing administrative cost benefits to local governments and their collecting agents.

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