

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

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

**March 2, 2005**

**TO:** Honorable Jane Nelson, Chair, Senate Committee on Health & Human Services

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

**IN RE: SB48** by Nelson (Relating to reporting requirements for licensed nursing homes.),  
**Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

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

The bill would amend Health & Safety Code, Section 242.403, and require the Department of Aging and Disability Services to require all licensed nursing homes in the state, including 26 nursing facilities that are currently licensed but not certified, to submit information to the department, including Minimum Data Set (MDS) Resident Assessments.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 537 Department of State Health Services, 539 Department of Aging and Disability Services

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