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TO: Honorable Norma Chavez, Chair, House Committee on Border and International Affairs

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

IN RE: SB293 by Zaffirini (Relating to meetings between representatives of the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas and Mexican states on transportation and truck inspection issues.), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

<p>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</p>
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The bill would amend the Government Code to require the Department of Public Safety to initiate efforts to meet at least quarterly with counterparts in the Mexican states bordering this state to discuss issues relating to truck inspections and transportation. The bill would take effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house. If the bill does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, it would take effect September 1, 2005.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 405 Department of Public Safety

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