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TO: Honorable Frank Madla, Chair, Senate Committee on Intergovernmental Relations

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

IN RE: SB1335 by Madla (Relating to authorizing certain municipally owned water utilities to use the design-build method of construction to construct a water desalination plant.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Local Government Code to authorize certain municipally owned water utilities to use the design-build method for the construction of a water desalination plant. The provisions of the bill would establish the procedures that would be required for using the design-build method.

The bill would take effect immediately if it receives the required two-thirds vote in each house; otherwise, it would take effect September 1, 2005.

Local Government Impact

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

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