

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

**FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 19, 2007**

**TO:** Honorable Robert Duncan, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

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

**IN RE: HB1200** by Menendez (Relating to grants of appropriated money to certain peace officer organizations.), **As Engrossed**

<b>No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend Chapter 614 of the Government Code to prohibit state agencies from making grants or other distributions of appropriated money to certain police officer organizations that: are required to register as lobbyists, employ a lobbyist, provide legal representation to their members, establish or assist a political committee in performing political activities, or make political contributions or expenditures.

The bill would take effect immediately upon enactment, assuming that it received the requisite two-thirds majority votes in both houses of the Legislature. Otherwise, it would take effect September 1, 2007

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

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