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TO: Honorable Aaron Pena, Chair, House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence

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

IN RE: HB1264 by Pena (Relating to the admissibility of evidence of other similar offenses in the prosecution of certain sexual offenses.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure relating to the prosecution of certain sexual offenses. The bill would add a new section regarding child victims of alleged offenses. To the extent the bill would change procedures regarding prosecution of alleged sexual offenses against children, no significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated. The bill would take effect September 1, 2007.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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