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TO: Honorable Tracy King, Chair, House Committee on Border & International Affairs

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

IN RE: HB2600 by Raymond (Relating to international railroad toll bridges in certain counties.), Committee Report 1st House, Substituted

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

Based on the analysis of the Texas Department of Transportation, it is assumed the provisions of the bill would have no fiscal impact to the state.

Local Government Impact

The fiscal impact to units of local government would vary depending on the size of the local body and the size of the bridge project that would be allowed under the provisions of the bill. It is assumed that a county or other local governmental entity would enter into an agreement to jointly acquire, construct, maintain, or operate a toll bridge, including an international toll bridge, and other types of agreements only if sufficient funds were available.

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