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TO: Honorable Harvey Hilderbran, Chair, House Committee on Culture, Recreation, & Tourism

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

IN RE: HB3845 by Hilderbran (Relating to the possession, custody, or control of a cougar, bobcat, or coyote.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Health and Safety Code relating to the possession, custody or control of a cougar, bobcat or coyote. To the extent the bill would direct the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department to make determinations regarding predator or depredation control activity, no significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated. The bill would take effect September 1, 2007.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 802 Parks and Wildlife Department

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