

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

**FISCAL NOTE, 81ST LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**March 12, 2009**

**TO:** Honorable Edmund Kuempel, Chair, House Committee on Licensing & Administrative Procedures

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

**IN RE: HB1161** by Geren (Relating to local regulation of distance requirements for businesses selling alcoholic beverages near certain establishments.), **As Introduced**

**No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would authorize a school board to petition the county commissioners court or the governing board of an incorporated city or town in which the school district is located to adopt a 1,000-foot zone in which the sale of alcohol is prohibited.

**Local Government Impact**

A school board, county commissioners court, or incorporated city or town would incur administrative costs related to actions necessary to establish an alcohol sales-free zone; however, those costs could be absorbed within existing resources. No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 458 Alcoholic Beverage Commission

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