

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

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

**April 5, 2009**

**TO:** Honorable Yvonne Davis, Chair, House Committee on Urban Affairs

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

**IN RE: HB4240** by Mallory Caraway (Relating to the authority of the governing body of a local authority to impose a civil penalty for certain violations recorded by a photographic traffic signal enforcement system.), **As Introduced**

<b>No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend Section 707 of the Transportation Code to prevent local authorities from imposing a civil penalty for a violation recorded by a photographic traffic signal enforcement system if a vehicle was turning right or left at an intersection and failed to stop at a stop line or before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated if the local authority is already not imposing a penalty. No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated if a penalty is being imposed and the local authority has to cease impositions.

**Source Agencies:**

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