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TO: Honorable John Whitmire, Chair, Senate Committee on Criminal Justice

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

IN RE: SB729 by Hegar (Relating to creating a defense to prosecution for the offense of unlawful carrying of a handgun by a license holder on the premises of certain businesses.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Penal Code by creating a defense to prosecution for the offense of unlawful carrying of a handgun by a license holder on the premises of certain businesses. It is assumed that the bill would not significantly affect the operations of state or local government.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 696 Department of Criminal Justice

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