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## **April 19, 2009**

**TO:** Honorable Patrick M. Rose, Chair, House Committee on Human Services

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

**IN RE: SB939** by Watson (Relating to a memorandum of understanding between the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Family and Protective Services addressing exchange of information regarding students in foster care.), **As Engrossed** 

#### No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The Texas Education Agency estimates costs provide the Department of Family and Protective Services with aggregated educational outcomes for students who were in conservatorship could be met with existing resources. Assuming that students placed in foster care refers only to children in Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS) conservatorship and not to all children in residential care, the DFPS indicates that workload associated with compiling and sharing information could be accommodated using existing resources.

#### **Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of, 701 Central Education Agency

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