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TO: Honorable Robert Duncan, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

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

IN RE: SB1153 by Hinojosa (Relating to the liability of a landowner for an act or omission of a firefighter or peace officer on the property of the landowner.), Committee Report 1st House, Substituted

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

A landowner would not be liable for property damages arising from an incident or accident caused by livestock of the landowner due to an act or omission of a peace officer or a firefighter acting within the scope of the officer's or firefighter's authority with or without permission from a landowner. The bill would take effect September 1, 2009.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: LBB Staff: JOB, KJG, TP, SD