

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

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

**April 6, 2009**

**TO:** Honorable Jeff Wentworth, Chair, Senate Committee on Jurisprudence

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

**IN RE: SB1625** by Wentworth (Relating to the acceptance of durable powers of attorney by third parties.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would prohibit a third party located in this state from refusing, without reasonable cause, to honor a durable power of attorney properly executed in accordance with Chapter XII of the Texas Probate Code, including a statutory durable power of attorney.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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