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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.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

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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