# **LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas**

## FISCAL NOTE, 82ND LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

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**TO:** Honorable Royce West, Chair, Senate Committee on Intergovernmental Relations

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

IN RE: HB2265 by Ritter (Relating to a county audit of a hotel regarding the hotel occupancy tax. ), Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted

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

The bill would amend Chapter 352 of the Tax Code, regarding the county hotel occupancy tax.

The bill would authorize a county to conduct audits of hotels located in its jurisdiction. A county could inspect the hotel's books or records during business hours to gather information to conduct the audit.

#### **Local Government Impact**

While counties could see a fiscal impact based on the bill's provisions, this amount cannot be determined.

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