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TO: Honorable John Whitmire, Chair, Senate Committee on Criminal Justice

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

IN RE: HB2560 by Sheffield (Relating to transporting a foster child in a vehicle where a handgun is in the possession of a foster parent licensed to carry a concealed handgun.), **As Engrossed**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would prohibit the Department of Family and Protective Services from prohibiting the foster parent of a child who resides in the foster family's home from transporting the child in a vehicle where a handgun is present under certain circumstances. The agency indicates any cost to implement provisions of the bill would be minimal and can be absorbed within available resources.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of

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