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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: HB2589 by Pena (Relating to the distribution and delivery of voter registration applications by volunteer deputy registrars; providing criminal penalties.), **As Engrossed**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Election Code to create several state jail felony offenses if a volunteer deputy registrar knowingly distributes a voter registration application form to a person ineligible to vote or knowingly causes a completed voter registration application containing false information to be delivered to the registrar.

Local Government Impact

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

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