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TO: Honorable John Carona, Chair, Senate Committee on Business & Commerce

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

IN RE: SB1001 by Carona (Relating to the practice of certain professions regulated under the Occupations Code.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Occupations Code relating to the practice of certain regulated professions.

It is assumed that the duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill for the Department of Insurance, Office of the Attorney General, the Texas Medical Board, the Board of Dental Examiners, the Texas Board of Nursing, the Board of Chiropractic Examiners, the Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners, the Executive Council of Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Examiners, the Department of State Health Services, the Optometry Board, the Board of Examiners of Psychologists, the Board of Pharmacy, the Funeral Service Commission, and the Health Professions Council can be accomplished by utilizing existing resources within the agencies.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 302 Office of the Attorney General, 454 Department of Insurance, 503 Texas Medical Board, 504 Texas State Board of Dental Examiners, 507 Texas Board of Nursing, 508 Board of Chiropractic Examiners, 512 Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners, 533 Executive Council of Physical Therapy & Occupational Therapy Examiners, 537 State Health Services, Department of

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