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TO: Honorable John Davis, Chair, House Committee on Economic & Small Business Development

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB665 by Martinez, "Mando" (Relating to the use of the Texas Enterprise Fund for veterans hospitals.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Government Code to allow for grants from the Texas Enterprise Fund to be used for the establishment, maintenance, or operation of veterans hospitals in the state.

The Office of the Governor, General Land Office, and Veterans Commission indicate the provisions of the bill could be implemented within existing resources.

This bill would take effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of each house; otherwise, it will take effect on September 1, 2013.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 301 Office of the Governor, 305 General Land Office and Veterans' Land Board, 403 Veterans Commission

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