

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 83RD LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**March 11, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Richard Peña Raymond, Chair, House Committee On Human Services

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB1206** by Parker (Relating to the duties of a law enforcement agency regarding certain children who are reported to be missing.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would require law enforcement, when a report is received of a child missing under circumstances identified in the Code of Criminal Procedure for a period of not less than 48 hours, immediately to make a reasonable effort to locate the child and determine the child's wellbeing. If, upon locating the child, law enforcement has reason to believe that the child is a victim of abuse or neglect, law enforcement must notify DFPS and may take possession of the child.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of

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