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TO: Honorable Jim Keffer, Chair, House Committee on Energy Resources

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1859 by Crownover (Relating to security interests in oil and gas production and its proceeds.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill amends Chapter 9 of the Texas Business and Commerce Code. The bill makes changes to the perfection and priority of security interests. The bill takes effect immediately with two-thirds vote or September 1, 2013.

Local Government Impact

Local governments may be impacted if they have security interests in oil and gas production.

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