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TO: Honorable Joseph Pickett, Chair, House Committee on Homeland Security & Public Safety

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1931 by Guillen (Relating to the compensation of property owners whose property is damaged as a result of a suspect fleeing apprehension by a peace officer.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Transportation Code to authorize a municipality or a county to transfer funds from the account to be used by an attorney representing the state to compensate property owners whose property is damaged as a result of a suspect fleeing apprehension by a peace officer. Under current law, a law enforcement agency is allowed to use funds from proceeds of sales of abandoned vehicles and other motorized craft to compensate property owners whose property was damaged as a result of a pursuit.

According to the Office of Court Administration, no significant fiscal impact is anticipated.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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