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TO: Honorable Tryon D. Lewis, Chair, House Committee on Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2067 by Gooden (Relating to the liability of a person granting access to a gated community to a process server.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Civil Practice and Remedies Code to provide an affirmative defense in civil actions to certain individuals granting gated community access to process servers, constables, or sheriffs for delivery of process. No significant fiscal impact to the court system is anticipated. The bill would take effect September 1, 2013.

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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