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TO: Honorable Harold V. Dutton, Jr., Chair, House Committee on Urban Affairs

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB3681 by Smith (Relating to the acceptance of bids for local government contracts from a person who received compensation from the local government for participating in the preparation of the bidding specifications.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Chapter 271 of the Local Government Code to provide that a local government may not accept a bid or award a contract to a person that has received financial compensation from the local government to participate in preparing the specifications or request for proposals that the bid or contract is based. A local government may terminate a contract without obligation to a vendor if the individual or business entity was ineligible to have the contract.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies:

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