

LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
Austin, Texas

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TO: Honorable Jane Nelson, Chair, Senate Committee on Health & Human Services

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB1198 by Taylor (Relating to requirements for physicians who perform abortions; creating an offense.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

Local Government Impact

The bill would create a fine-only Class A misdemeanor offense punishable by a fine not to exceed \$4,000. Costs associated with enforcement, prosecution, and confinement could likely be absorbed with existing resources. Revenue from fines imposed and collected is not anticipated to have a significant fiscal impact.

Source Agencies: 503 Texas Medical Board, 537 State Health Services, Department of
LBB Staff: UP, CL, CH, VJC, KKR, NV, AG, NB, LR