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TO: Honorable René Oliveira, Chair, House Committee on Business & Industry

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB748 by Isaac (Relating to the regulation of liquid propane gas tanks on residential property.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Property Code and Local Government Code to provide that a municipality or a county may not enact or enforce an order or ordinance that would restrict or prohibit a property owner from installing a liquid propane gas tank above the ground on the owner's property if the tank is a reasonable size to supply the residence. The bill would specify that a if a tank is located on residential property within the corporate boundaries of the municipality, the municipality could require the owner to screen the tank from view.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies:

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