

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 84TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 3, 2015**

**TO:** Honorable Joseph Pickett, Chair, House Committee on Transportation

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** **HB823** by Wu (Relating to criminal liability for certain federal motor carrier safety regulation violations; increasing a criminal penalty.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

**No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would amend the Transportation Code to create a Class C misdemeanor for certain offenses under the section that relate to tires, brakes, and load securement and are a violation of certain federal regulations. The offense is punishable by a fine of \$150 to \$500.

**Local Government Impact**

There could be an increase of revenue from the establishment of a minimum fine amount; however, no significant fiscal impact is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**

**LBB Staff:** UP, AG, SD, EK