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TO: Honorable Jodie Laubenberg, Chair, House Committee on Elections

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **HB1114** by Gonzales, Larry (Relating to the authority with whom certain political committees must file reports of political contributions and expenditures.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Election Code to require specific-purpose committees created to support or oppose a measure on the issuances of bonds by a school district to file reports with the Ethics Commission. The agency estimates there would be a minimal cost associated with implementing the provisions of the bill. It is assumed that these costs could be absorbed within existing resources.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2015.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 356 Texas Ethics Commission, 701 Central Education Agency

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