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

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1686 by Farney (Relating to excluding a franchisor as an employer of a franchisee or a franchisee's employees.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

This bill would amend the Labor Code relating to excluding a franchisor as an employer of a franchisee or a franchisee's employees. Based on information provided by the Texas Workforce Commission and the Texas Department of Insurance, it is assumed that duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished by utilizing existing resources.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 320 Texas Workforce Commission, 454 Department of Insurance

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