

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

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

**April 20, 2015**

**TO:** Honorable Larry Phillips, Chair, House Committee on Homeland Security & Public Safety

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

**IN RE:** **HB2445** by White, James (Relating to conduct that constitutes the offense of displaying a firearm in a public place.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would amend the Penal Code to remove the displaying of a firearm or other deadly weapon in a public place in a manner calculated to alarm from a list of offenses under Chapter 42, Penal Code. The bill would remove the offense from a list of offenses that would affect the employment of certain individuals.

**Local Government Impact**

There would be a loss of revenue to local entities due to the fines associated with the offense; however, those costs would be offset by savings from enforcement and prosecution of the offense. No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**

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