LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas

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

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2827 by Phillips (Relating to the definition of homeland security activity for emergency management purposes.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Government Code to expand the definition of "homeland security activity" to include certain emergencies. The bill would take effect immediately upon receiving two-thirds majority vote in each house. Otherwise, the bill would take effect September 1, 2015.

The Department of Public Safety and the Office of the Governor indicate that any costs associated with implementation of the bill could be absorbed within existing resources.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 301 Office of the Governor, 405 Department of Public Safety

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