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TO: Honorable Harold V. Dutton, Jr., Chair, House Committee on Juvenile Justice & Family Issues

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB3715 by Márquez (Relating to standing for certain individuals to file a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Family Code to allow a family or relative by blood, adoption, or marriage of either a former parent whose parent-child relationship has been terminated or of the father of the child to file an original suit regarding a child.

The Department of Family and Protective Service and the Office of Court Administration do anticipate any significant fiscal impacts as a result of complying with the provisions of the bill.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 530 Family

and Protective Services, Department of

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