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TO: Honorable Jim Keffer, Chair, House Committee on Natural Resources

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **HB3942** by Paddie (Relating to the authority to determine the supply of groundwater in certain regional water plans.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Water Code to authorize a regional planning group to make determinations regarding the supply of groundwater for regional planning purposes if no groundwater conservation districts exist in the area.

The Water Development Board reported no significant impact is anticipated.

Local Government Impact

Because the bill would not have statewide impact on units of local government of the same type or class, no comment from this office is required by the rules of the House/Senate as to its probable fiscal implication on units of local government.

Source Agencies: 580 Water Development Board

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