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TO: Honorable Larry Taylor, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **SB1567** by Lucio (Relating to the applicability to open-enrollment charter schools of certain laws regarding local governments and political subdivisions.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would require open enrollment charter schools to be considered a local government for the purpose of certain laws.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated. Open-enrollment charter schools could participate in group benefits programs, participate in interlocal cooperation contracts, provide self-insurance, and extend workers' compensation benefits to employees by any method available to a political subdivision.

Source Agencies: 454 Department of Insurance, 701 Central Education Agency

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