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TO: Honorable Gary Elkins, Chair, House Committee on Government Transparency & Operation

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **HB347** by Canales (Relating to the establishment of a pilot program for the issuance of digital identification.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Transportation Code to require the Department of Public Safety to establish a pilot program for the issuance of a mobile application that displays, authenticates, and verifies digital identification on a mobile communication device. It is assumed any costs associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within current resources.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2017.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 405 Department of Public Safety

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