# LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas

## FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

# March 4, 2017

**TO**: Honorable Sarah Davis, Chair, House Committee on General Investigating & Ethics

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** HB791 by Lozano (Relating to allowing certain individuals appointed by the governor to state office to file required financial statements by certified mail.), As Introduced

## No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Government Code relating to allowing certain individuals appointed by the governor to state office to file required financial statements by certified mail.

The Ethics Commission indicates that any costs associated with implementing the bill could be absorbed within existing resources.

The bill would take effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the house, otherwise the bill would take effect September 1, 2017.

#### **Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 356 Texas Ethics Commission

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