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TO: Honorable Richard Peña Raymond, Chair, House Committee on Human Services

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **HB1640** by Vo (Relating to the creation of a program to assist foster care youth and former foster care youth in accessing higher education, career information, and skills certifications.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Family Code relating to the creation of a program to assist foster care youth and former foster care youth in accessing higher education, career information, and skills certification. Based on information provided by the Department of Family and Protective Services and the Texas Workforce Commission, it is assumed that the duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished by utilizing existing resources.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2017.

Local Government Impact

According to the Texas Association of Counties, the bill would have no significant fiscal impact on counties.

Source Agencies: 320 Texas Workforce Commission, 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of

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