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TO: Honorable Kelly Hancock, Chair, Senate Committee on Business & Commerce

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1861 by Elkins (Relating to the confidentiality of certain information related to a computer security incident.), **As Engrossed**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Government Code to add information directly arising from a governmental body's routine efforts to prevent, detect, investigate or mitigate a computer security incident, including information contained in or derived from an information security log, to the list of information that is currently confidential and, therefore, excepted from certain public information requirements. According to the State Auditor's Office, no significant fiscal impact is anticipated and it is assumed that the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within existing resources.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 308 State Auditor's Office, 313 Department of Information Resources, 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 405 Department of Public Safety

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