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TO: Honorable Larry Phillips, Chair, House Committee on Insurance

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB3579 by Phillips (Relating to coverage for certain water damage claims under certain residential property insurance policies.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Insurance Code relating to coverage for certain water damage claims under certain residential property insurance policies. Based on information provided by the Texas Department of Insurance, this analysis assumes the duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished by utilizing existing resources.

The bill would take effect on September 1, 2017; however, the provisions of the bill would only apply to an insurance policy that is delivered, issued for delivery, or renewed on or after January 1, 2018.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 454 Department of Insurance **LBB Staff:** UP, AG, CP