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TO: Honorable Eddie Lucio, Jr., Chair, Senate Committee on Intergovernmental Relations

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB1842 by Lucio (Relating to an application for the amendment of a certificate of public convenience and necessity in an area within the boundaries of a political subdivision.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Water Code and the Health and Safety Code relating to an application for the amendment of a certificate of public convenience and necessity in an area within the boundaries of a political subdivision. The analysis assumes the provisions of the bill would be carried out by the Public Utility Commission (PUC). Based on the analysis of PUC, 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 Municipal League, the fiscal impact to municipalities is not anticipated to be significant.

Source Agencies: 473 Public Utility Commission of Texas

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