

# SENATE AMENDMENTS

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By: Hunter

H.B. No. 2700

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9 of childhood cancer. The department shall design the license  
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11 awareness of childhood cancer in this state.

12 (b) After deduction of the department's administrative  
13 costs, the remainder of the fee for issuance of the license plates  
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15 comptroller in the manner provided by Section 504.6012(b). Money  
16 deposited to that account may be used by the attorney general only  
17 to provide grants to benefit organizations operating in this state  
18 that raise awareness of, conduct research on, or provide services  
19 for persons diagnosed with childhood cancer.

20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

ADOPTED

MAY 19 2017

*Leta Spaw*  
Secretary of the Senate

By: Hunter/Hinojosa

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Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2700:

By: Shel R. Gillis

C.S. H.B. No. 2700

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17 only to provide grants to benefit organizations operating in this  
18 state that raise awareness of, conduct research on, or provide  
19 services for persons diagnosed with childhood cancer.

20 (c) The General Land Office and an organization that  
21 receives a grant under Subsection (b) may enter into a memorandum of  
22 understanding establishing the respective duties of the General  
23 Land Office and the organization in relation to carrying out the  
24 purposes of that subsection.

1           (d) Section 504.702 does not apply to a specialty license  
2 plate issued under this section.

3           SECTION 2. The General Land Office and an organization that  
4 receives a grant under Section 504.655, Transportation Code, as  
5 added by this Act, are not required to adopt a new memorandum of  
6 understanding under that section if a previous memorandum of  
7 understanding adopted by the General Land Office and the  
8 organization accomplishes the purposes of that section.

9           SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 20, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Joe Straus, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2700** by Hunter (Relating to the issuance of childhood cancer awareness license plates. ), **As Passed 2nd House**

**Estimated Two-year Net Impact to General Revenue Related Funds** for HB2700, As Passed 2nd House: an impact of \$0 through the biennium ending August 31, 2019.

The bill would make no appropriation but could provide the legal basis for an appropriation of funds to implement the provisions of the bill.

**General Revenue-Related Funds, Five-Year Impact:**

Fiscal Year	Probable Net Positive/(Negative) Impact to General Revenue Related Funds
2018	\$0
2019	\$0
2020	\$0
2021	\$0
2022	\$0

**All Funds, Five-Year Impact:**

Fiscal Year	Probable Revenue Gain from <i>Lic Plate Trust Fund No. 0802, est 802</i>	Probable Revenue Gain from <i>Tx Dept of Motor Vehicles Fnd 10</i>	Probable Revenue Gain from <i>Counties</i>
2018	\$4,400	\$1,500	\$100
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**Fiscal Analysis**

The bill would amend Chapter 504 of the Transportation Code to require the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles (TxDMV) to issue specialty license plates to raise awareness of childhood cancer.

The bill would specify that the fee for the new specialty license plate, after deduction of TxDMV administrative costs, is to be deposited to the credit of an account in the license plate trust fund created by the Comptroller. The bill would authorize money deposited to the account to be used only by the General Land Office to provide grants to benefit organizations operating in Texas that raise awareness of, conduct research on, or provide services for persons diagnosed with childhood cancer.

The bill would take effect on September 1, 2017.

### **Methodology**

Based on the information and analysis provided by TxDMV, this analysis assumes 200 of the new specialty license plates would be issued each year at a fee of \$30 each of which \$7.50 would be deposited to the TxDMV Fund 10 for TxDMV administrative expenses; \$0.50 would be retained by the counties; and \$22 would be deposited to an account in the License Plate Trust Fund in the in the treasury and may be appropriated to the General Land Office to provide grants to benefit organizations operating in Texas that raise awareness of, conduct research on, or provide services for persons diagnosed with childhood cancer.

Based on LBB's analysis of information provided by TxDMV and the General Land Office, it is assumed any costs or duties associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within existing resources.

This legislation would do one or more of the following: create or recreate a dedicated account in the General Revenue Fund, create or recreate a special or trust fund either with or outside of the Treasury, or create a dedicated revenue source. The fund, account, or revenue dedication included in this bill would be subject to funds consolidation review by the current Legislature.

### **Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 305 General Land Office and Veterans' Land Board, 608 Department of Motor Vehicles, 302 Office of the Attorney General

**LBB Staff:** UP, SD, LBO, AG, EH, TG, JSm

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 12, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Robert Nichols, Chair, Senate Committee on Transportation

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2700** by Hunter (Relating to the issuance of childhood cancer awareness license plates.), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

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**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 11, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Robert Nichols, Chair, Senate Committee on Transportation

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2700** by Hunter (Relating to the issuance of childhood cancer awareness license plates.), **As Engrossed**

**Estimated Two-year Net Impact to General Revenue Related Funds** for HB2700, As Engrossed: an impact of \$0 through the biennium ending August 31, 2019.

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**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 19, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Geanie W. Morrison, Chair, House Committee on Transportation

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2700** by Hunter (Relating to the issuance of childhood cancer awareness license plates.), **As Introduced**

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