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TO: Honorable Jeff Leach, Chair, House Committee on Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence

FROM: John McGeady, Assistant Director Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director
Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB790 by Davis, Sarah (Relating to recovery of attorney's fees in certain civil cases.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Civil Practice and Remedies Code to allow recovery of attorney's fees from an individual, an organization, the state, an agency or institution of the state, or a political subdivision of the state. Based on the analysis of the Office of Court Administration, duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished by utilizing existing resources.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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