# LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
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## FISCAL NOTE, 86TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

**March 22, 2019**

**TO:** Honorable Dade Phelan, Chair, House Committee on State Affairs

**FROM:** John McGeady, Assistant Director Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director
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**IN RE:** **HB1397** by Phelan (relating to the establishment of rates for certain non-ERCOT utilities.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would authorize an electric utility operating outside of ERCOT to file an application for recovery of generation-related costs through a rate rider.

The Public Utility Commission anticipates that any work resulting from the bill would be absorbed within existing resources.

The bill would take immediate effect if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all members elected to each house. If it does not, it would take effect September 1, 2019.

### Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 473 Public Utility Commission of Texas, 475 Office of Public Utility Counsel

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