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TO: Honorable Drew Springer, Chair, House Committee on Agriculture & Livestock

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IN RE: **HB1514** by Buckley (Relating to the Texas Olive Oil Industry Advisory Board.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Agriculture Code to create a nine-member Texas Olive Oil Industry Advisory Board, with all members appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture. One of the members would be from the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service. The bill would allow the board to accept gifts and grants from any source to carry out a function of the board. The Department of Agriculture and the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service have indicated that the provisions of the bill could be implemented with existing resources.

The bill would take immediate effect upon receiving a two-thirds majority vote in each house; otherwise, the bill would take effect September 1, 2019.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 551 Department of Agriculture, 555 Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service

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