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TO: Honorable Lyle Larson, Chair, House Committee on Natural Resources

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

IN RE: HB2105 by Shine (Relating to the territory and board of directors of the Bell County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1; creating a criminal offense.), **As Introduced**

<p>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</p>

The bill would amend the Special District Local Laws Code to modify the Board of Directors of certain Water Control and Improvement Districts by establishing a system of single-member director precincts. The bill would create a new offense for holding the position of Director under certain circumstances.

The offense created/expanded by this bill would be a misdemeanor punishable by fine only.

Local Government Impact

An offense under the provisions of the bill would be a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$100 or more than \$1,000. Costs associated with enforcement and prosecution could likely be absorbed within existing resources. Revenue gain from fines imposed and collected is not anticipated to have a significant fiscal impact.

Source Agencies:

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