

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

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**TO:** Honorable Kelly Hancock, Chair, Senate Committee on Business & Commerce

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

**IN RE: HB2165** by Hernandez (Relating to the sale by certain alcoholic beverage permit or license holders of alcoholic beverages at a cost below the cost to the seller.), **As Engrossed**

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

The bill would amend the Alcoholic Beverage Code to prohibit the retail sale of alcoholic beverages at a cost below the retailer's cost. The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission and the Comptroller of Public Accounts anticipates that the bill would not result in a significant fiscal impact. The bill would take effect September 1, 2019.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**     304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 458 Alcoholic Beverage Commission

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