# LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas

## FISCAL NOTE, 86TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

### **April 22, 2019**

**TO:** Honorable James B. Frank, Chair, House Committee on Human Services

**FROM:** John McGeady, Assistant Director Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director

Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB3331 by Frank (Relating to the procedures and grounds for terminating the parent-child relationship, for taking possession of a child, and for certain hearings in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship involving the Department of Family and Protective Services.), Committee Report 1st House, Substituted

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

The bill would amend the Family Code relating to procedures and grounds for removal of a child by the Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS), termination of a parent-child relationship, and final order hearings.

Based on the analysis of the Office of Court Administration and information provided by DFPS, this analysis assumes duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished using existing resources.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2019.

### **Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 530 Family

and Protective Services, Department of

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