# LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD Austin, Texas

## FISCAL NOTE, 86TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

### April 1, 2019

**TO:** Honorable Dustin Burrows, Chair, House Committee on Ways & Means

- **FROM:** John McGeady, Assistant Director Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director Legislative Budget Board
- **IN RE: HB3475** by Guillen (Relating to the cigarette tax and the tax on cigars and other tobacco products; requiring permits.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill amends Chapters 154 and 155 of the Tax Code, regarding the cigarette tax and the cigars and tobacco products taxes. The bill would clarify and update these chapters of the Tax Code by adding and amending definitions instrumental in interpreting taxability, enforcing violations, and resolving issues arising from litigation or general inquiries received by the Comptroller.

### Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

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