

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Jeff Leach, Chair, House Committee on Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence

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

**IN RE:** **HB3777** by Krause (Relating to priority of payment for certain electrical service claims against the estates of certain decedents.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would amend the Estates Code to include claims for electrical service provided to persons who have been designated as critical care residential customers to the list of priority claims against a customer's estate after death.

Based on the analysis of the Office of Court Administration, 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

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