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TO: Honorable Dennis Bonnen, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

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IN RE: HB4372 by Murphy (Relating to youth camp abuse complaints and compliance orders.),
As Passed 2nd House

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would require the Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) to establish a procedure for the Department of State Health Services (DSHS) to forward a report of alleged abuse of a camper received by DSHS to the Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS) or another appropriate agency. DFPS indicates that any increase in the number of reports of alleged abuse could be accommodated using existing resources.

The bill would also require DSHS to post on the agency's Internet website each youth camp compliance order issued by DSHS until at least the third anniversary of the date the compliance order was finally adjudicated. DSHS and HHSC indicate that the provisions of the bill could be accomplished with existing resources.

The bill would not require youth camp operators to comply with the new sections of the bill until January 1, 2020.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 537 State Health Services, Department of, 529 Health and Human
 Services Commission, 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of

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