

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Oscar Longoria, Chair, House Committee on Business & Industry

**FROM:** Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB870** by Patterson (Relating to the source of dogs and cats sold by pet stores; providing a civil penalty.), **As Introduced**

<b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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According to the Office of Court Administration, no significant fiscal impact to the state court system is anticipated.

According to the Office of the Attorney General, costs associated with implementing the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

According to the Comptroller of Public Accounts, the fiscal impact cannot be determined as the number of cases of noncompliance that would result in penalty revenue is unknown. This analysis assumes that number would not be significant.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 302 Office of the Attorney General, 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts

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