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TO: Honorable Senfronia Thompson, Chair, House Committee on Youth Health & Safety, Select

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1504 by Johnson, Ann (Relating to juveniles committed to the Texas Juvenile Justice Department.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Family Code to limit custody of a child at sanction level six to the Texas Juvenile Justice Department (TJJD) and allow TJJD to reduce length of stay. The bill would also allow TJJD to share certain records with an individual or entity assisting with transition planning and reentry services.

According to the Office of Court Administration and TJJD, any costs associated with the provisions of the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 644 Juvenile Justice Department

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