

LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
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TO: Honorable Brandon Creighton, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB763 by Middleton (relating to allowing public schools to employ or accept as volunteers chaplains to perform the duties of school counselors.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

It is assumed that any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

It is assumed some districts would incur costs related to implementation of the bill if they choose to employ a chaplain in lieu of a school counselor.

Source Agencies: 701 Texas Education Agency

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