

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 22, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Four Price, Chair, House Committee on Public Health

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** **HB2143** by Cortez (Relating to protection for physician assistants who refuse to engage in certain conduct.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would amend the Occupations Code relating to protection for physician assistants who refuse to engage in certain conduct. Based on the analysis of the Texas Medical Board, duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished by utilizing existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 503 Texas Medical Board

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