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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

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Version: As Passed by the Senate

Primary Sponsors: Reps. Wilkin and Upchurch

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

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The bill does not appear to have any direct fiscal impacts. The bill specifies that any nonprofit corporation, limited liability company, enterprise, or venture that a board of county hospital trustees of a county hospital or a joint township district hospital board forms, acquires, or becomes involved with is considered an entity separate for all purposes from the hospital, a county or township, respectively, or other public entity and is not considered an agency, division, or department of a county or township, respectively, or other public entity. While there do not appear to be direct impacts, it is possible that this clarification could provide some efficiencies for impacted hospitals or enable them to collaborate with other entities in their areas.