

**BILL SUMMARY**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 57<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB1263</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>Engrossed</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>Please see previous summary of this measure</b>

**Research Analysis**

SB 1263 adds to the definition of *political subdivision* in the Governmental Tort Claims Act a regional transportation authority, including its contract operator and any railroad which sells a property interest or provides services to the authority for the provision of passenger rail service. The measure limits a regional transportation authority's liability for a claim under the act to \$175,000. Finally, the bill allows a regional transportation authority to enter into a contract with a contract operator or railroad, provided the contract provides for allocation of financial responsibility, indemnification or procurement of insurance for all types of claims or damages.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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**Other Considerations**

None.