### **BILL ANALYSIS**

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#### **DIGEST**

Currently, money in the veterans' land fund may be placed in a variety of investments such as commercial paper or direct security agreements. H.B. 1722 would set forth authorized investments for money in the veterans' land fund.

# **PURPOSE**

As proposed, H.B. 1722 sets forth authorized investments for money in the veterans' land fund.

# **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

#### SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 161.173(a), Natural Resources Code, to set forth the investments for money in the veterans' land fund that is not immediately committed to paying principal of and interest on the bonds, to the purchase of land, or to the payment of expenses as provided in this chapter.

SECTION 2. Emergency clause.

Effective date: upon passage.