

**SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS**

**SB 51**

**2025 Regular Session**

**Luneau**

PUBLIC RECORDS. Provides for public power authority and public records for the city of Alexandria. (8/1/25)

**SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL**

1. Revise the definition of "public power authority" as it relates to a utility division for the city of Alexandria.
2. Provide that the governing authority of the city of Alexandria shall have access to commercially sensitive information.

**DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE**

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Present law (R.S. 44:3.3) provides that nothing in the present law (Public Records Law) shall require the disclosure of commercially sensitive information in the custody or control of a public power authority.

Present law provides that a "public power authority" means a political subdivision of the state created by the governing authority of a municipality pursuant to present law, for the purpose of the construction, acquisition, improvement, operation, or management of a public power project or improvement.

Proposed law retains present law and further provides that a "public power authority" shall also mean a utility division for the city of Alexandria.

Proposed law provides that the governing authority of the city of Alexandria shall have access to commercially sensitive information in the custody and control of the utility division.

(Amends R.S. 44:3.3(B)(2))