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DIGEST

SB 216 Original

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Hodges

Proposed law requires DOTD, beginning July 1, 2025, to use the A+B bidding method or other best practices in all road construction contracts to reduce the completion time. Requires that contracts contain necessary provisions to discourage contractors from delaying the road construction completion date, including delays caused by excessive change orders. Provides for incentives that reward contractors for projects completed prior to the contracted date of completion.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 48:2086)