

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE**  
**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **HB 1207** HLS 26RS 1742

Bill Text Version: **REENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

<b>Date:</b> May 6, 2026	2:44 PM	<b>Author:</b> DESHOTEL
<b>Dept./Agy.:</b> Statewide		<b>Analyst:</b> Kimberly Fruge
<b>Subject:</b> Proof of Experience and Qualifications		

PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS

RE NO IMPACT See Note

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Provides relative to selection of contractors by public entities

Proposed law prohibits a public entity and the Department of Transportation and Development from requiring a contractor or subcontractor to provide proof of experience or qualifications in performing public works that are unduly restrictive of competition or that are tailored to a specific product, manufacturer, system, or prior project.; prohibits any public entity from requiring a contractor or subcontractor demonstrate prior experience installing a specific proprietary material, product, or system; provides for requirements for any experience or qualification requirements imposed by a public entity or DOTD; and provides that a public entity or DOTD provide an alternative method for a contractor or subcontractor to demonstrate competency and qualify for bidding.

EXPENDITURES	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	2029-30	2030-31	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Annual Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

  

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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. Proposed law prohibits a public entity and the Department of Transportation and Development from requiring a contractor or subcontractor to provide proof of experience or qualifications in performing public works that are unduly restrictive of competition or that are tailored to a specific product, manufacturer, system, or prior project.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate

Dual Referral Rules

House

13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}

6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}

13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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