

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2458

5 By: Representative Dangeau
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS EACH
10 TIME A CONTRACT IS ISSUED OR RENEWED FOR A SOLE
11 SOURCE PROCUREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

13 AN ACT TO REQUIRE REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS
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15 RENEWED FOR A SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENTS.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 19-11-232 is amended to read as follows:
22 19-11-232. Proprietary or sole source procurements.

23 (a) A contract may be awarded for a required or designated commodity
24 or service to a sole or mandatory supplier when, under regulations
25 promulgated under this subchapter, the State Procurement Director, the head
26 of a procurement agency, or a designee of either officer above the level of
27 agency procurement official determines in writing that it is not practicable
28 to use other than the required or designated commodity or service.

29 (b) Unless a written determination is made that there is only one (1)
30 source for the required or designated commodity or service, efforts shall be
31 made to obtain price competition.

32 (c) Before a written determination is made that there is only one (1)
33 source for the required or designated commodity or service, requests for
34 bids, quotes, or proposals shall be issued.

35 (d) When a contract is being considered for review, the qualifications
36 on file for the supplier may be considered.



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