

Hall of the House of Representatives
85th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2005
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2012

"AN ACT CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR BIDDERS AND SUPPLIERS ON
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2012.

Amend House Bill No. 2012 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 29 and 30, and substitute the following:

"industry associations, societies, trade groups, or similar organizations as steel building fabricators;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 26 and 27, and substitute the following:

"industry associations, societies, trade groups, or similar organizations as steel building fabricators;"

Page 2, delete line 33 and substitute the following:

"groups, or similar organizations.

SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that requirements in plans and specifications which require bidders and suppliers to hold membership in certain professional organizations limit the number of eligible bidders and suppliers for projects; that by requiring bidders and suppliers to hold membership in professional organizations, an entity may increase the possibility of certain bidders and suppliers receiving projects, which is an inequitable outcome; and that the state of Arkansas and its citizens will benefit from enhanced competition for bidders and suppliers on public construction projects. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or



The Amendment was read _____

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(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.”