SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
2022 Regular Session
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original Senate Bill No. 347 by Senator Milligan

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1
2 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 38:2237.1(D)" delete the remainder of the line and insert "and R.S. 39:1672(C)(2) and 1753(A)(1) and (E), and to enact R.S. 39:1672(C)(7), relative to"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2
5 On page 1, line 4, after "vendors;" insert "to provide for definitions;"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3
7 On page 1, at the end of line 6 and the beginning of line 7, delete "and R.S. 38:2237.1(E) is hereby enacted"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4
10 On page 1, line 9 delete "state"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 5
12 On page 1, delete lines 11 through 17 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 5, and insert the following:

"D. This Section shall apply only to procurements initiated on or after August 1, 2021, by state agencies, certain educational entities, and their service providers. Any vendor or other entity who provides the documentation required in Subsection B of this Section found to supply telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services as defined to the procuring agency, certain educational entity or their service provider that were prohibited at the time of procurement shall, at its own expense, replace the prohibited telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services with non-prohibited equipment or services of at least equal quality and performance. Compliance with this Section by a procuring agency and certain educational entities is subject to audit by the Louisiana Legislative Auditor."

25 Section 2. R.S. 39:1672(C)(2) and R.S. 39:1753.1(A)(1) and (E) are hereby amended and reenacted, and R. S. 39:1672(C)(7) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1672 Authority to debar or suspend

(2) Conviction under state or federal statutes of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, receiving stolen property, or any other offense indicating a lack of business integrity or business honesty which currently, seriously, and directly affects responsibility as a state contractor.

(7) Violation of the procurement of telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services by agencies and certain educational entities set forth in R.S. 39:1753.1.

§1753.1 Procurement of telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services by state agencies and certain educational entities

A.
(1) "Agency" shall have the same meaning as provided in R.S. 36:1—means any department, office, division, commission, council, board, bureau, committee, institution, agency, government corporation, or other establishment or official of the executive branch of state government or any parish, city, town, governmental body, and any other subdivision of the state or public agency thereof, public authority, public educational, health, or other institution, and to the extent provided by law, any other entity which expends public funds for the acquisition or leasing of supplies, services, major repairs, and construction.

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E. This Section shall apply only to procurements initiated on or after August 1, 2021, by state agencies, certain educational entities, and their service providers. Any vendor or other entity who provides the documentation required in Subsection C of this Section found to supply telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services as defined to the procuring agency, certain educational entity or their service provider that were prohibited at the time of procurement shall, at its own expense, replace the prohibited telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services with non-prohibited equipment or services of at least equal quality and performance. Compliance with this Section by a procuring agency and certain educational entities is subject to audit by the Louisiana Legislative Auditor."