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

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

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 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 5</u>
- 12 On page 1, delete lines 11 through 17 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 5, and insert the 13 following:

14	"D. This Section shall apply only to procurements initiated on or after August
15	1, 2021, by state agencies, certain educational entities, and their service providers.
16	Any vendor or other entity who provides the documentation required in
17	Subsection B of this Section found to supply telecommunications or video
18	surveillance equipment or services as defined to the procuring agency, certain
19	educational entity or their service provider that were prohibited at the time of
20	procurement shall, at its own expense, replace the prohibited
21	telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services with
22	<u>non-prohibited equipment or services of at least equal quality and performance.</u>
23	Compliance with this Section by a procuring agency and certain educational
24	<u>entities is subject to audit by the Louisiana Legislative Auditor.</u>
25	Section 2. R.S. 39:1672(C)(2) and R.S. 39:1753.1(A)(1) and (E) are hereby amended
26	and reenacted, and R. S. $39:1672(C)(7)$ is hereby enacted to read as follows:
27	§1672 Authority to debar or suspend
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29	(C) * * * *
30	(2) Conviction under state or federal statutes of embezzlement, theft, forgery,
31	bribery, falsification or destruction of records, receiving stolen property, or any other
32	offense indicating a lack of business integrity or business honesty which currently,
33	seriously, and directly affects responsibility as a state contractor.
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35	(7) Violation of the procurement of telecommunications or video
36	surveillance equipment or services by agencies and certain educational entities
37	<u>set forth in R.S. 39:1753.1.</u>
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39 40	§1753.1 Procurement of telecommunications or video surveillance equipment
40 41	or services by state agencies and certain educational entities $\frac{1}{2}$
41	A. * * * *

1	(1) "Agency" shall have the same meaning as provided in R.S. 36:3-means
2	any department, office, division, commission, council, board, bureau,
3	committee, institution, agency, government corporation, or other establishment
4	or official of the executive branch of state government or any parish, city, town,
5	governmental body, and any other subdivision of the state or public agency
6	thereof, public authority, public educational, health, or other institution, and
7	to the extent provided by law, any other entity which expends public funds for
8	the acquisition or leasing of supplies, services, major repairs, and construction.
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10	E. This Section shall apply only to procurements initiated on or after August
11	1, 2021, by state agencies, certain educational entities, and their service providers.
12	Any vendor or other entity who provides the documentation required in
13	Subsection C of this Section found to supply telecommunications or video
14	surveillance equipment or services as defined to the procuring agency, certain
15	educational entity or their service provider that were prohibited at the time of
16	procurement shall, at its own expense, replace the prohibited
17	telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services with
18	<u>non-prohibited equipment or services of at least equal quality and performance.</u>
19	Compliance with this Section by a procuring agency and certain educational
20	entities is subject to audit by the Louisiana Legislative Auditor."