

SENATE BILL NO. 78

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212.1(A)(2)(a), relative to the Public Bid Law; to provide relative to the purchase of certain law enforcement vehicles by local government; to increase the threshold amount for which public bid is necessary; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 38:2212.1(A)(2)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2212.1. Advertisement and letting to lowest responsible bidder; materials and supplies; exemptions

A.(1)(a) * * *

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(2)(a) Any purchase by a local governmental unit of a used or new motor vehicle for conversion into a law enforcement vehicle, which purchase cost does not exceed the sum of ~~twenty~~ **forty** thousand dollars, shall not be subject to the threshold delineated in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection. Written specifications, quotations, and confirmation of accepted offers for such purchase shall be obtained and made a part of the purchase file. However, any such purchase which sum is in excess of ~~twenty~~ **forty** thousand dollars shall be advertised and let for bid under the procedures outlined by the provisions of this Section.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____