

2022 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 423

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CONTRACTS. Provides relative to public contracts, works, and improvements. (8/1/22)

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2295(C)(1), relative to plans and specifications for public works; to provide for clarification of requirements for prior approval; to provide for adjusting the time response period for particular products; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 38:2295(C)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2295. Plans and specifications; required provisions

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C.(1) **Prior approval of products shall not be required.** If a A potential supplier ~~wishes to~~ **may** submit **a particular product** for prior approval ~~a particular product~~ other than a product specified in the contract documents, no later than seven working days prior to the opening of bids. Within three days, exclusive of holidays and weekends, after ~~such~~ submission, the prime design professional shall furnish to both the public entity and the potential supplier written approval or denial of the product submitted. **If the prime design professional fails to respond within the time period provided for in this Paragraph, the submitted product shall be**

