
DIGEST

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SB 423 Engrossed

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Present law provides that a supplier of particular products for public works may seek prior approval for brand products other than those specified in the contract documents within seven working days, prior to bid opening.

Proposed law retains present law and adds a potential supplier may, but is not required to, submit a particular product for prior approval other than a product specified in the contract documents, no later than seven working days prior to the opening of bids.

Present law requires the prime design professional furnish written approval or denial of the product submitted within three days, exclusive of holidays and weekends, after submission.

Proposed law retains present law and further provides if the prime design professional does not respond within the allotted time period, the submitted product shall be considered approved.

Proposed law provides for technical corrections.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 38:2295(C)(1))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation,
Highways, and Public Works to the original bill

1. Removes provision that prior approval is not required.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Transportation,
Highways and Public Works to the engrossed bill:

1. Clarify a discretionary provision that a potential supplier may, but is not required to, submit a particular product for prior approval.