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HOUSE BILL NO. 427

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

CONTRACTORS: Repeals exemption to licensing requirement for contractors bidding work partially funded by the federal government

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 37:2157(A)(6), relative to contractors; to repeal the exemption to the state licensing requirement for contractors bidding work partially funded by the federal government.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 37:2157(A)(6) is hereby repealed in its entirety.

## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Repeals the exemption to the state licensing requirement for contractors bidding work partially funded by the federal government.

<u>Present law</u> provides that persons bidding work partially funded by the federal government, if a federal regulation or law prohibits the requirement of a contractor's license, are not required to have a license issued by the State Licensing Board for Contractors; however, the successful bidder shall apply for a license and meet all requirements of the law and rules and regulations of the board prior to commencement of work.

Proposed law repeals present law.

(Repeals R.S. 37:2157(A)(6))