
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to allow cost
2 competitiveness in the procurement of certain professional
3 services by allowing any selection committee that evaluates an
4 engineering, architectural, surveying, or landscape
5 architectural professional service submittal for a state or
6 county contract to require the top ranked competing professional
7 service offerors to submit cost or pricing data on their
8 respective proposals.

9 SECTION 2. Section 103D-304, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
10 amended by amending subsection (g) to read as follows:

11 "(g) The selection committee shall rank a minimum of three
12 persons based on the selection criteria in subsection (e) and
13 send the ranking to the head of the purchasing agency~~[-]~~;
14 provided that with respect to engineering, architectural,
15 surveying, or landscape architectural professional services for
16 state or county contracts under this section, the selection
17 committee may require the top ranked competing professional



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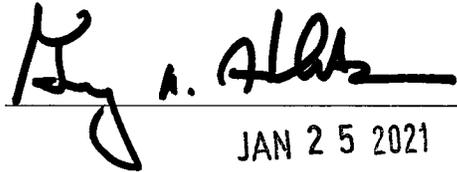
1 service offerors to submit cost or pricing data on their
2 respective proposals to be provided to the head of the
3 purchasing agency for consideration in contract negotiations
4 under subsection (h); provided further that the purchasing
5 agency is not required to disclose competing cost or pricing
6 data to any party. The contract file shall contain a copy of
7 the summary of qualifications for the ranking of each of the
8 persons provided to the head of the purchasing agency for
9 contract negotiations. If more than one person holds the same
10 qualifications under this section, the selection committee shall
11 rank the persons in a manner that ensures equal distribution of
12 contracts among the persons holding the same qualifications.
13 The recommendations of the selection committee shall not be
14 overturned without due cause."

15 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
16 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

17 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2021.

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Report Title:

Hawaii Public Procurement Code; Professional Services; Cost or Pricing Data

Description:

Allows any selection committee that evaluates an engineering, architectural, surveying, or landscape architectural professional service submittal for a state or county contract to require the top ranked competing professional service offerors to submit cost or pricing data on their respective proposals. Specifies that a purchasing agency is not required to disclose competing cost or pricing data to any party.

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