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S.B. No. 987

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to reporting requirements regarding recovery audits of payments made to vendors by state agencies.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2115.005, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2115.005. BIENNIAL REPORT [~~FORWARDING REPORTS~~]. (a) Subject to Subsection (b), not [~~The comptroller shall provide copies, including electronic form copies, of any reports received from a consultant contracting under Section 2115.002 to:~~

~~[(1) the governor,~~

~~[(2) the state auditor's office, and~~

~~[(3) the Legislative Budget Board.~~

~~[(b) The comptroller shall provide the copies required by Subsection (a) not later than the 15th day after the date the comptroller receives the consultant's report.~~

~~[(c) Not]~~ later than February 1 of each odd-numbered year, the comptroller shall issue [~~a report~~] to the legislature, governor, state auditor's office, and Legislative Budget Board a report summarizing the activities conducted by a consultant pursuant to a recovery audit under this chapter during the preceding state fiscal biennium [~~ending August 31 of the previous year~~].

(b) The comptroller is required to issue a report under

1 Subsection (a) only if a recovery audit was completed under this
2 chapter during the preceding state fiscal biennium.

3 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.