

Amend CSSB 1652, in ARTICLE 4 of that bill, by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS and renumbering the SECTIONS in that ARTICLE appropriately:

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. Section 1954.254, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1954.254. CONFLICT OF INTEREST FOR CERTAIN LICENSE HOLDERS. A person licensed under this chapter to perform asbestos inspections or surveys, write management plans, or design abatement specifications for an asbestos abatement project may also engage in the removal of asbestos from the building or facility at which an asbestos abatement project takes place only if the person is retained to remove the asbestos by a municipality, university, school district, or other governmental entity.

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. Section 1954.255(b), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) An independent third-party monitor may not be employed by the asbestos abatement contractor to analyze an area sample collected during the abatement project, but the monitor may collect such a sample if:

(1) the monitor is employed by a university, school district, or other governmental entity; and

(2) the analysis of the sample is performed by an analyst not employed by the contractor.