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H.B. No. 2518

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the kinds of contracts of the Brazoria County  
3 Conservation and Reclamation District Number Three that are subject  
4 to competitive bidding.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 6(a), Chapter 307, Acts of the 61st  
7 Legislature, Regular Session, 1969, is amended to read as follows:

8 (a) Contracts for the making and construction of all  
9 improvements contemplated by this Act, and all necessary work in  
10 connection therewith, or for the purchase of any machinery,  
11 materials or supplies for the district, when the cost price exceeds  
12 \$15,000 [~~\$2,000~~], shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder,  
13 furnishing satisfactory evidence of possessing equipment and  
14 facilities essential to the proper performance of such contract;  
15 after giving notice by advertising the same in one or more  
16 newspapers of general circulation in Brazoria County, Texas, one  
17 time not less than 14 days prior to the opening of sealed bids. Such  
18 contract shall be in writing and signed by the contractors and the  
19 commissioners, and a copy of such contract so executed shall be  
20 filed in the office of the district subject to inspection of all  
21 interested parties.

22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003, and  
23 applies only to a contract for which the notice advertising for bids  
24 is published on or after that date.