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S.B. No. 1118

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to notice sent by a local government after a mandatory
3 pre-bid conference.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 262.0256, Local Government Code, is
6 amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

7 (c) After a conference is conducted under Subsection (b),
8 any additional required notice for the proposed purchase may be
9 sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, only to
10 prospective bidders who attended the conference. Notice under this
11 subsection is not subject to the requirements of Section 262.025.

12 SECTION 2. Section 271.0565, Local Government Code, is
13 amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

14 (c) After a conference is conducted under Subsection (b),
15 any additional required notice for the proposed contract may be
16 sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, only to
17 prospective bidders who attended the conference. Notice under this
18 subsection is not subject to the requirements of Section 271.055.

19 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003, and
20 applies only to a proposed purchase or contract awarded by a
21 competitive purchasing procedure for which a mandatory pre-bid
22 conference is held on or after that date.