

1-1 By: Williams S.B. No. 1118
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 11, 2003; March 17, 2003, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Intergovernmental
1-4 Relations; April 29, 2003, reported favorably by the following
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1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to notice sent by a local government after a mandatory
1-9 pre-bid conference.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 262.0256, Local Government Code, is
1-12 amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

1-13 (c) After a conference is conducted under Subsection (b),
1-14 any additional required notice for the proposed purchase may be
1-15 sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, only to
1-16 prospective bidders who attended the conference. Notice under this
1-17 subsection is not subject to the requirements of Section 262.025.

1-18 SECTION 2. Section 271.0565, Local Government Code, is
1-19 amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

1-20 (c) After a conference is conducted under Subsection (b),
1-21 any additional required notice for the proposed contract may be
1-22 sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, only to
1-23 prospective bidders who attended the conference. Notice under this
1-24 subsection is not subject to the requirements of Section 271.055.

1-25 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003, and
1-26 applies only to a proposed purchase or contract awarded by a
1-27 competitive purchasing procedure for which a mandatory pre-bid
1-28 conference is held on or after that date.

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