

Amend CSHB 430 on page 5, Section 4 by adding the following subsections:

(c) The Department of Public Safety shall issue a Request for Qualifications or Proposal no later than September 15, 2007. The selection process must include a side-by-side comparison testing the products submitted in the RFQ/P. In awarding a contract, the test results, product reliability, functionality and public safety must be given at a minimum, equal consideration to cost.

(d) The Department of Public Safety may only receive responses from and contract with a Original Equipment Manufacturer.