Amend **SB 1215** on third reading by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS to the bill and renumbering SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. Section 2269.361, Government Code, is amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

(a) A governmental entity shall request proposals from design-build firms identified under Section 2269.359(c). A <u>response to a request for detailed proposals must be submitted on or</u> <u>before the earlier of the time for submission as requested by the</u> <u>governmental entity or</u> [firm must submit a proposal not later than] the 180th day after the date the governmental entity makes a public request for the proposals from the selected firms. The request for proposals must include:

a design criteria package;

(2) if the project site is identified, a geotechnical baseline report or other information that provides the design-build firm minimum geotechnical design parameters to submit a proposal;

(3) detailed instructions for preparing the technical proposal and the items to be included, including a description of the form and level of completeness of drawings expected; [and]

(4) the relative weighting of the technical and price proposals and the formula by which the proposals will be evaluated and ranked; and

(5) a statement that the project is subject to Chapter 59, Business & Commerce Code.

(f) A governmental entity building a project for which a request for proposals is made under this section is subject to Chapter 59, Business & Commerce Code.

SECTION _____. Section 2269.361, Government Code, as amended by this Act, applies only to a contract awarded on or after the effective date of this Act in which solicitation responses were due after June 21, 2017.

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