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H.B. No. 1413

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the awarding of certain contracts for software,  
hardware, or technology services.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2054.0565, Government Code, is amended  
by adding Subsection (a-1) to read as follows:

(a-1) The awarding of a shared technology services contract  
under this section for software, hardware, or technology services  
must comply with Section 2157.068(e-1).

SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply only to  
a contract for which a state agency first advertises or otherwise  
solicits offers, bids, proposals, qualifications, or other  
applicable expressions of interest on or after the effective date  
of this Act. A contract for which a state agency first advertises  
or otherwise solicits offers, bids, proposals, qualifications, or  
other applicable expressions of interest before the effective date  
of this Act is governed by the law as it existed immediately before  
the effective date of this Act, and that law is continued in effect  
for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.