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**ENGROSSED
HOUSE BILL No. 1660**

DIGEST OF HB 1660 (Updated March 27, 2019 12:55 pm - DI 132)

Citations Affected: Noncode.

Synopsis: Public works study. Urges the legislative council to assign to the interim study committee on government a study of the topic of certain statutory requirements of contractors on public works projects.

Effective: Upon passage.

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(SENATE SPONSORS — GARTEN, MESSMER)

January 24, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Employment, Labor and Pensions.

February 5, 2019, reported — Do Pass.

February 7, 2019, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.

February 8, 2019, engrossed.

February 12, 2019, read third time, passed. Yeas 62, nays 29.

SENATE ACTION

March 7, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Pensions and Labor.

March 28, 2019, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning state and local administration.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) **As used in this**
2 **SECTION, "study committee" refers to the interim study**
3 **committee on government established by IC 2-5-1.3-4(11).**
4 **(b) The legislative council is urged to assign to the study**
5 **committee the task of studying the topic of requirements of**
6 **IC 5-16-13 for contractors on public works projects and to**
7 **recommend the following to the general assembly:**
8 **(1) Any necessary changes to that statute in conjunction with**
9 **the study committee's task of consolidation of the public**
10 **works statute.**
11 **(2) Any necessary changes to recommend similar standards**
12 **under any public works contracting model including**
13 **design-build.**
14 **(c) This SECTION expires January 1, 2020.**
15 SECTION 2. **An emergency is declared for this act.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Employment, Labor and Pensions, to which was referred House Bill 1660, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1660 as introduced.)

VANNATTER

Committee Vote: Yeas 11, Nays 1

 HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1660 be amended to read as follows:

Between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 1. IC 5-30-5-3, AS ADDED BY P.L. 74-2005, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 3. (a) A potential design-builder responding to the request for qualifications under section 2 of this chapter must submit a verified statement of qualifications setting forth the qualifications of the potential design-builder and team members, if applicable, and provide the other information required by the request for qualifications.

(b) The verified statement of qualifications required under this section must include the following:

- (1) A listing of all prime contractors and architectural and engineering firms that participate financially as part of the team.
- (2) A statement that:
 - (A) the design-builder or the team members have completed or demonstrated the experience, competency, capability, and capacity to complete projects of similar size, scope, or complexity; and
 - (B) proposed key personnel have sufficient experience and training to competently manage and complete the design and construction of the project.
- (3) A statement that the design-builder or team members have the licenses, registrations, and credentials required to design and construct the project, including information on the revocation or suspension of a license, credential, or registration.
- (4) A statement that the design-builder has the capacity to obtain

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all required payment and performance bonding, liability insurance, and errors and omissions insurance.

(5) The experience modifier rate, the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration total recordable case incident rate (TCIR) and days away, restricted or transferred case incident rate (DART) for the design-builder and each design build team, and the average United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration TCIR and DART rates for the industrial classification of the design-builder and each design-build team.

(6) A statement that the design-builder or the employees of the team performing construction services, including the employees of all subcontractors, ~~have completed or are enrolled in an apprenticeship program certified by the United States Department of Labor Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training:~~ **comply with IC 5-30-8-9, if applicable.**

(7) Information regarding any prior serious, repeat, willful, or criminal violation of the federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 and any equivalent violation under a state plan authorized under Section 18 of the federal act that has become a final order.

(8) Information concerning the debarment, disqualification, or removal of the design-builder or a team member from a federal, state, or local government public works project.

(9) Information concerning the bankruptcy or receivership of the design-builder or a team member."

Page 1, delete lines 5 through 12, begin a new paragraph and insert:
 "SECTION 2. IC 5-30-8-9 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]: **Sec. 9. (a) The definitions set forth in IC 5-16-13-4 apply throughout this section.**

(b) This section applies after June 30, 2019, only to a contractor that employs ten (10) or more employees.

(c) A contractor must provide access to a training program applicable to the tasks to be performed in the normal course of the employee's employment with the contractor.

(d) A contractor may comply with this section through any of the following:

- (1) An apprenticeship program.**
- (2) A program offered by Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana.**
- (3) A program offered by Vincennes University.**
- (4) A program established by or for the contractor.**



(5) A program offered by an entity sponsored by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.

(6) A program that results in the award of an industry recognized portable certification.

(7) A program approved by the United States Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration.

(8) A program approved by the Indiana department of transportation.

(e) This subsection applies after June 30, 2019, to a tier 1 or tier 2 contractor that employs fifty (50) or more journeymen. The contractor shall participate in an apprenticeship or training program that meets the standards established by or has been approved by any of the following:

(1) The United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.

(2) The department of labor.

(3) The United States Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration.

(4) The Indiana department of transportation."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1660 as printed February 5, 2019.)

GOODRICH



COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Pensions and Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 1660, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Delete the title and insert the following:

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning state and local administration.

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

(SEE TEXT OF BILL)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1660 as reprinted February 8, 2019.)

BOOTS, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 10, Nays 0.

