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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR Campos ORIGINAL DATE 5/25/17
 LAST UPDATED _____ HB _____

SHORT TITLE Local Body Multiple Source Contracts SB 5

ANALYST Lucero

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY17	FY18	FY19	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	NFI	NFI	NFI			

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 5 proposes to amend the Procurement Code to remove the authority of local public bodies to solicit multiple sources architectural, engineering or construction contracts, procured through a single request for proposals (RFP).

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no fiscal impacts to the state; however, local public bodies would be exempted from soliciting multiple architectural, engineering or construction contracts in a single RFP.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

This section of the Procurement Code was amended in the 2017 legislative session by Senate Bill 339 to allow state agencies and local public bodies to qualify for multi-sourced architectural, engineering, and construction contracts in a single RFP and increased threshold caps on these types of procurements. SB 339 was enacted to assist in shortening construction schedules by reducing the amount of time it takes to procure architectural and engineering services, which in some cases can take up to six months.

This bill would undo some of the 2017 legislative changes by Senate Corporations and Transportation Committee substitute to SB 339 that added local public bodies to this section of the Procurement Code.

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