

## Session 120 - (2013-2014)

**S\*0438 (Rat #0054, Act #0046 of 2013) General Bill, By L. Martin and Campbell**

**Similar (H 3639)**

**Summary:** Governmental contracts

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 8-15-70 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE FAIR AND OPEN COMPETITION IN GOVERNMENTAL CONTRACTS BY STIPULATING THAT STATE OR LOCAL ENTITIES, OFFICIALS, AND EMPLOYEES, IN REGARD TO A PUBLIC BUILDING, MAY NOT REQUIRE OR PROHIBIT A BIDDER, OFFEROR, CONTRACTOR, OR SUBCONTRACTOR FROM ENTERING INTO OR ADHERING TO AN AGREEMENT WITH ONE OR MORE LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN REGARD TO THE PROJECT AND MAY NOT OTHERWISE DISCRIMINATE AGAINST A BIDDER, OFFEROR, CONTRACTOR, OR SUBCONTRACTOR FOR BECOMING OR REFUSING TO BECOME A SIGNATORY TO AN AGREEMENT WITH ONE OR MORE LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN REGARD TO THE PROJECT, TO PROVIDE THAT STATE AND LOCAL ENTITIES, OFFICIALS, AND EMPLOYEES SHALL NOT AWARD A GRANT, TAX ABATEMENT, OR TAX CREDIT CONDITIONED UPON THE INCLUSION OF SUCH AGREEMENTS IN THE AWARD, AND TO PROVIDE EXCEPTIONS TO AND EXEMPTIONS FROM THESE PROVISIONS. -

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02/27/13	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 9)
02/27/13	Senate	Referred to Committee on Finance (Senate Journal-page 9)
03/21/13	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Finance (Senate Journal-page 20)
04/09/13	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 39)
04/09/13	Senate	Roll call Ayes-39 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 39)
04/10/13	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 32)
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04/11/13	House	Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry (House Journal-page 44)
05/16/13	House	Committee report: Favorable Labor, Commerce and Industry (House Journal-page 3)
05/21/13	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 42)
05/21/13	House	Roll call Yeas-112 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 42)
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