

STATE OF MAINE SENATE 106TH LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 1525, L.D. 1955, Bill, "AN ACT Providing that Public Utility Construction Contracts be Awarded by Competitive Bidding."

Amend said Bill in section 1 by striking out all of the first sentence of that part designated "<u>§ 14-A.</u>" and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Any contract in excess of \$2,000 between a public utility and a contractor for the construction of facilities located on private property for the exclusive use of a private individual and for which the private individual is required to pay the total cost directly to the utility, shall be awarded by a system of competitive bidding.'

Further amend said Bill in section 2 by striking out all of the first paragraph of that part designated "<u>S1210.</u>" and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Any contract in excess of \$2,000 between a sanitary district, whether formed under this chapter or by private and special act of the Legislature, and a contractor for the construction of facilities located on private property for the exclusive use of a private individual and for which the private individual is required to pay the total cost directly to the sanitary district, shall be awarded by a system of competitive bidding. Unless there are valid reasons to the contrary, the contracts shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.'

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