

SENATE BILL 2168

By Johnson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 56; Title 12, Chapter 4, Part 1 and Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 3, relative to public contracts.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-56-103(a)(2), is amended by deleting the language ", and the chief procurement officer shall keep a permanent and accurate record of all of its proceedings".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-56-103(a)(2), is further amended by adding the following language at the end of the subdivision:

The chief procurement officer shall keep a permanent and accurate record of the documents submitted to the committee regarding protests of solicitations. The commissioner of finance and administration shall keep a permanent and accurate record of the minutes, procedures, and proceedings of the committee.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 12-3-305(c), is amended by deleting the language "maximum liability or total estimated purchase by agencies of state government" and substituting instead the language "total estimated scope or volume".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 12-4-113(a), is amended by deleting the language "state agency,".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 12-4-113, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection (d):

(d) This section does not apply to the central procurement office or to any procurement conducted pursuant to chapter 3 of this title.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring
it.