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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 500/30-30

Amends the Illinois Procurement Code. In a Section setting out specification requirements for building construction contracts, provides that, until a date 5 years (now, 4 years) after January 1, 2009, the requirements do not apply to certain construction projects for which the Capital Development Board is the construction agency and the project budget is at least \$5,000,000 (now, \$20,000,000). Provides that, with regard to these construction projects, the Capital Development Board may award in each year contracts with an aggregate total value of no more than \$200,000,000 (now, \$100,000,000). Deletes a sentence providing that, if certain conditions are met, the requirements do not apply to the Capitol Building HVAC upgrade project. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by 5 changing Section 30-30 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 500/30-30)

Sec. 30-30. Contracts in excess of \$250,000. For building construction contracts in excess of \$250,000, separate specifications shall be prepared for all equipment, labor, and materials in connection with the following 5 subdivisions of the work to be performed:

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(1) plumbing;

(2) heating, piping, refrigeration, and automatic
temperature control systems, including the testing and
balancing of those systems;

16 (3) ventilating and distribution systems for 17 conditioned air, including the testing and balancing of 18 those systems;

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(4) electric wiring; and

(5) general contract work.

The specifications must be so drawn as to permit separate and independent bidding upon each of the 5 subdivisions of work. All contracts awarded for any part thereof shall award

the 5 subdivisions of work separately to responsible and 1 2 reliable persons, firms, or corporations engaged in these classes of work. The contracts, at the discretion of the 3 construction agency, may be assigned to the successful bidder 4 5 on the general contract work or to the successful bidder on the 6 subdivision of work designated by the construction agency 7 before the bidding as the prime subdivision of work, provided 8 that all payments will be made directly to the contractors for 9 the 5 subdivisions of work upon compliance with the conditions 10 of the contract. A contract may be let for one or more 11 buildings in any project to the same contractor. The 12 shall require, that specifications however, unless the 13 buildings are identical, a separate price shall be submitted for each building. The contract may be awarded to the lowest 14 15 responsible bidder for each or all of the buildings included in 16 the specifications.

Until a date 5 + 4 years after January 1, 2009 (the effective 17 date of Public Act 95-758), the requirements of this Section do 18 not apply to a construction project for which the Capital 19 20 Development Board is the construction agency if: (i) the project budget is at least \$5,000,000 \$20,000,000; (ii) the 21 22 Capital Development Board has submitted to the Procurement 23 Policy Board a written request for a public hearing on waiver of the application of the requirements of this Section to that 24 25 project, including its reasons for seeking the waiver and why the waiver is in the best interest of the State; (iii) the 26

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Capital Development Board has posted notice of the waiver 1 2 its procurement web page and on hearing on the online Procurement Bulletin at least 15 working days before the 3 hearing; (iv) the Procurement Policy Board, after conducting 4 5 the public hearing on the waiver request, reviews and approves 6 the request in writing before the award of the contract; (v) 7 the successful low bidder has prequalified with the Capital Development Board; (vi) the bid of the successful low bidder 8 9 identifies the name of the subcontractor, if any, and the bid 10 proposal costs for each of the 5 subdivisions of work set forth 11 in this Section; and (vii) the contract entered into with the 12 successful bidder provides that no identified subcontractor 13 may be terminated without the written consent of the Capital 14 Development Board. With respect to any construction project 15 described in this paragraph, the Capital Development Board 16 shall: (i) provide to the Auditor General an affidavit that the 17 waiver of the application of the requirements of this Section is in the best interest of the State; (ii) specify in writing 18 19 as a public record that the project shall comply with the disadvantaged business practices of the Business Enterprise 20 for Minorities, Females, and Persons with Disabilities Act and 21 22 the equal employment practices of Section 2-105 of the Illinois 23 Human Rights Act; and (iii) report annually to the Governor and the General Assembly on the bidding, award, and performance. On 24 and after January 1, 2009 (the effective date of Public Act 25 26 95-758), the Capital Development Board may award in each year

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1 contracts with an aggregate total value of no more than
2 <u>\$200,000,000</u> \$100,000,000 with respect to construction
3 projects described in this paragraph.

Until a date 11 years after November 29, 2005 (the 4 5 effective date of Public Act 94 699), the requirements of this Section do not apply to the Capitol Building HVAC upgrade 6 7 project if (i) the bid of the successful bidder identifies the name of the subcontractor, if any, and the bid proposal costs 8 for each of the 5 subdivisions of work set forth in this 9 Section, and (ii) the contract entered into with the successful 10 bidder provides that no identified subcontractor may be 11 12 terminated without the written consent of the Capital 13 Development Board.

14 (Source: P.A. 95-758, eff. 1-1-09; 96-1204, eff. 7-22-10; 15 96-1486, eff. 12-30-10.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.