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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1728

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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AWARD
10 PROCEDURE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR
11 OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AWARD
16 PROCEDURE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC
17 IMPROVEMENTS.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 22-9-203(j)(1) and (2), concerning the award
23 procedure for public improvements generally, are amended to read as follows:

24 (j)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, ~~any~~
25 a municipality or, sanitation authority, water system, or consolidated
26 waterworks system may enter into contracts with private persons, firms,
27 associations, corporations, joint ventures, or other legal entities,
28 including a combination of any of those entities, to provide for the design,
29 building, operation, ~~and or~~ maintenance, including a combination of those
30 activities, of all or any portion of its wastewater ~~treatment~~ system, storm
31 water ~~treatment~~ system, ~~or water treatment~~ system, solar energy generation
32 equipment and facilities, other capital asset, or any combination of those
33 systems and assets.

34 (2) The contracts may include provisions for ~~the~~ design,
35 financing, construction, repair, reconditioning, replacement, operation, and
36 maintenance of ~~the~~ a system or asset, or any combination of those services



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