

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB1659

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

70 ILCS 2105/16

from Ch. 42, par. 399

Amends the River Conservancy Districts Act. Provides for competitive bidding for all contracts for work, other than professional services, to be done by a conservancy district when the expense of the contract will exceed \$10,000 (rather than \$2,500). Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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AN ACT concerning local government.

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

Section 5. The River Conservancy Districts Act is amended
by changing Section 16 as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 2105/16) (from Ch. 42, par. 399)

7 Sec. 16. All contracts for work other than professional 8 services, to be done by such conservancy district, the expense 9 of which will exceed \$10,000 $\frac{2500}{5}$, shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder therefor upon not less than thirty days' 10 public notice of the terms and conditions upon which the 11 contract is to be let, having been given by publication in a 12 newspaper of general circulation published in said district, 13 14 and the said board shall have the power and authority to reject any and all bids, and readvertise. 15

16 And in all other respects such contract shall be entered 17 into and the performance thereof controlled by the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act concerning local improvements," 18 19 approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and amendments 20 thereto as nearly as may be; provided, that contracts may be 21 let for making proper and suitable connections between the 22 mains and outlets of the respective sewers in said district, with any conduits, main pipe or pipes that may be constructed 23

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- 1 by such conservancy district.
- 2 (Source: P.A. 82-356.)
- 3 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon4 becoming law.