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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Extends the option of purchasing materials, supplies, vehicles and equipment through an existing public contract of a political subdivision to municipalities, parishes, or state agencies. Authorizes municipalities, parishes or state agencies to rely on a certificate of the political subdivision that the contract was bid in compliance with state law.

Present law authorizes a levee district or levee drainage district to purchase materials, supplies, vehicles and equipment through an existing public contract of another political subdivision within one year of the opening of bids, under certain conditions.

Proposed law retains present law and extends purchasing options through an existing public contract of a political subdivision to municipalities, parishes, or state agencies.

Present law authorizes a levee district or levee drainage district to rely on a certificate of the political subdivision that the contract was bid in compliance with state law.

Proposed law retains present law and authorizes municipalities, parishes, or state agencies to rely on a certificate of the political subdivision that the contract was bid in compliance with state law.

(Amends R.S. 38:321.1(A)(intro. para.) and (B))