

SENATE BILL NO. 420

BY SENATOR MARTINY AND REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2780.1(A)(2)(a) and (D), to enact R.S. 9:2780.1(G) and (H), and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 492 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to contract provisions; to provide relative to motor carrier transportation contracts; to provide for application of certain laws; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 9:2780.1(A)(2)(a) and (D) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 9:2780.1(G) and (H) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2780.1. Certain contract provisions invalid; motor carrier transportation contracts; construction contracts

A. For purposes of this Section, the following terms have the meanings ascribed to them by this Subsection, except where the context clearly indicates otherwise:

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(2)(a) "Construction contract" shall mean any agreement for the design, construction, alteration, renovation, repair, or maintenance of a building, structure, highway, road, bridge, water line, sewer line, oil line, gas line, appurtenance, or other improvement to real property, **or repair or maintenance of a highway, road, or bridge**, including any moving, demolition, or excavation, except that no deed, lease, easement, license, or other instrument granting an interest in or the right to possess property will be deemed to be a construction contract even if the instrument includes the right to design, construct, alter, renovate, repair, or maintain improvements on such real property.

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