

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. COMRIE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Procurement and Contracts

AN ACT to amend the state finance law, in relation to requiring state agencies that issue requests for proposals to provide notification to elected officials for requests for proposals for projects in excess of ten million dollars

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. The state finance law is amended by adding a new section  
2 136-d to read as follows:

3 § 136-d. Requests for proposals; notification of elected officials.

4 1. For purposes of this section, the term "state agency" shall mean the  
5 office of general services, empire state development, and any other  
6 agency or instrumentality of the state authorized to issue requests for  
7 proposals.

8 2. Any state agency that issues a request for proposals for a project  
9 for the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation or improvement of  
10 facilities with a total project cost of ten million dollars or more  
11 shall provide notification to elected officials of the issuance of such  
12 request for proposals as provided in this subdivision. Such notification  
13 shall be made to every elected official whose jurisdiction includes, in  
14 whole or in part, any territory located within the geographic area of  
15 the zip code or codes in which such project is located. Such notifica-  
16 tion shall be made by such state agency to such elected officials by  
17 email and regular mail and shall be made at least thirty days before  
18 such request for proposals is issued.

19 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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