

**Government Administration and Elections Committee**  
**JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT**

**Bill No.:** SB-1152

AN ACT CONCERNING CONTRACTING WITH QUASI-PUBLIC AGENCIES

**Title:** UNDER THE STATE CODE OF ETHICS.

**Vote Date:** 3/22/2023

**Vote Action:** Joint Favorable

**PH Date:** 3/6/2023

**File No.:**

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**SPONSORS OF BILL:**

Government Administration and Elections Committee

**REASONS FOR BILL:**

This bill would encourage more transparency in the public contracting process by extending the same provisions that apply to executive branch agencies to quasi-public agencies.

**RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:**

**Peter Lewandowski, Executive Director, Office of State Ethics** explained that this bill would extend the prohibition of public officials or state employees or their immediate families from entering a contract with an executive branch state agency valued over 100 dollars or more unless the contract went through the public approval process to quasi-public agencies.

**NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:**

**Linda Dalessio** also expressed her support.

**NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:**

None expressed.

**Reported by:** Jonathan Lukasiewicz

**Date:** 3/22/2023