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HOUSE BILL 186

50TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2011

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AN ACT

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT; REQUIRING EVALUATORS TO SIGN AND
RETAIN EVALUATION DOCUMENTS AS PUBLIC RECORDS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. A new section of Chapter 13 NMSA 1978 is
enacted to read:

"~~[NEW MATERIAL]~~ EVALUATION DOCUMENTS--SIGNATURES--PUBLIC
RECORD.--

A. Any documents used by a state agency or local
public body to evaluate bids, formal requests for proposals or
competitive sealed proposals for contracts over fifty thousand
dollars (\$50,000) issued pursuant to the Procurement Code or
any other public works project shall be signed by the
individual evaluators on the selection committee and retained
for the length of the contract.

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B. The evaluation documents shall be maintained as
a public record subject to the Inspection of Public Records
Act."