

Digest for Adopted Regulation R_100-11

Existing law sets forth procedures for awarding public works contracts, including the qualification of bidders and the appeal of a determination that a bidder is not qualified. (Chapter 338 of NRS; NAC 338.130-338.450) Under previous existing law, the entities at the state level which exercised primary governmental control with respect to public works contracts and projects were the State Public Works Board and the Manager of the Board.

Legislation enacted during the 2011 Regular Legislative Session: (1) transferred most of the powers and duties of the State Public Works Board to the State Public Works Division, a new division within the Department of Administration; and (2) transferred all of the powers and duties of the former Manager of the Board to the Administrator of the Division. (Senate Bill No. 427, chapter 479, Statutes of Nevada 2011, at page 2935)

This regulation amends chapter 338 of NAC to make changes to that chapter which conform with the changes made by Senate Bill No. 427. Specifically, this regulation, as appropriate, changes most existing references to the State Public Works Board to refer instead to the new State Public Works Division, and changes all existing references to the Manager of the Board to refer instead to the Administrator of the Division.