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## **WORK SESSION**

#### **Senate Committee on Government Affairs**

April 2, 2003

The following measure will be considered for action by the Senate Committee on Government Affairs during today's work session:

#### SENATE BILL 392

Establishes pilot program for use of indefinite quantity contracts by Clark County School District for certain public works. (BDR S-1277)

Sponsored by: Date Heard:

Government Affairs

March 18, 2003

Senate Bill 392 provides for the use of indefinite quantity contracts by the Clark County School District. The measure specifies that such contracts may be applied to projects whose costs exceed \$100,000. If such contracts are utilized, the Clark County School District, must develop a catalog of construction tasks containing a list of public works that may be requested of the contractor and definitions of what constitutes a unit of each public work listed in the catalog. The measure provides a listing of what an indefinite quantity contract must include.

#### Proposed Conceptual Amendment(s)

The following three amendments were proposed:

1. Amend section 5 of the measure to provide that an indefinite quantity contract must not be awarded if the contract will result in a reduction in force or the elimination of any existing position among the employees of the school district. A copy of the this amendment is attached.

(proposed by Al Bellister, Nevada State Education Association

2. Amend section 8 of the measure by deleting subparagraphs (c) and (d). Testimony indicated that projects falling under any indefinite quantity contract will follow the prevailing wage requirements set forth in Nevada law. The deletion of subparagraphs (c) and (d) ensures that these prevailing wage requirements will apply.

(proposed by Greg Brower and Harry Mellon)

3. Amend section 11 of the bill by changing the sunset date from July 1, 2005 to July 1, 2007.

(proposed by Greg Brower)

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Senator Ann O'Connell, Chair of Senate Government Affairs

Members of the Senate Government Affairs Committee

FROM: Al Bellister

SUBJECT: SB 392 AMENDMENT

DATE: March 26, 2003

Here is NSEA's proposed amendment to SB 392:

1. The Clark County School District may award an indefinite quantity contract pursuant to sections 1 to 10, inclusive, of this act. An indefinite quantity contract must not be awarded if the contract will result in a reduction in force or the elimination of any existing position among the employees of the District.

I believe it could amend subsection 1 of section 5. Please call if you have any questions.

AB:gf