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BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 306

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "providing" in line 11 down through "information;" in line 12 and substitute "authorizing the Board of Public Works to designate that certain information is confidential under certain circumstances; authorizing the certification agency to provide certain information to certain persons for certain purposes;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 11, strike beginning with "THE" in line 30 down through "POLICY" in line 33 and substitute "THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS MAY DESIGNATE THAT CERTAIN INFORMATION RECEIVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH REGULATIONS ADOPTED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE CONFIDENTIAL. NOTWITHSTANDING THAT CERTAIN INFORMATION MAY BE DESIGNATED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AS CONFIDENTIAL, THE CERTIFICATION AGENCY MAY PROVIDE THE INFORMATION TO ANY PERSON THAT IS UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE CERTIFICATION AGENCY TO ASSIST IN CONDUCTING THE STUDY".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 12, after line 24, insert:

"SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That for the purpose of creating incentives for achieving greater minority business participation in private-sector contracts, the Board of Public Works shall study establishing a process for awarding credits or points in the award of State procurement contracts for the achievement of minority business participation in a prime contractor's private-sector projects that do not have minority business goals or requirements. The Board of Public Works shall submit a report on the study, including its findings and recommendations, to the Legislative Policy Committee prior to December 1, 2001 so that the General Assembly may review the report and recommendations before the 2002 Session.";

and in line 25, strike "5." and substitute "6.".