

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 56th Legislature (2017)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR ENGROSSED

SENATE BILL NO. 258

By: Allen of the Senate

and

Murphey of the House

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An Act relating to public buildings and public works;
amending 61 O.S. 2011, Section 117, which relates to
the Public Competitive Bidding Act of 1974;
establishing certain requirement if an award is made
to other than the lowest bidder; and providing an
effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 61 O.S. 2011, Section 117, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 117. If an award is made to other than the lowest
bidder, the awarding public agency shall accompany its action with a
publicized statement setting forth the reason for its action. Such
statement shall be placed on file, open to public inspection and be
a matter of public record.

1 Additionally, if the awarding public agency is the State of
2 Oklahoma, or any department, agency, board, bureau, commission,
3 committee, authority or trust of the State of Oklahoma, such public
4 agency shall be required to provide such written documentation to
5 the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House
6 of Representatives detailing the reason for its action within thirty
7 (30) days.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

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