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Bill Analysis

HB 2862 raises the thresholds for completive bidding requirements. For public construction contracts, the amount is raised from \$50,000.00 to \$100,000.00. The limit that may be negotiated with a qualified contractor is raised from \$5,000.00 to \$10,000.00. The limit on contracts for right-of-way clearance to not be considered construction contracts and required to be open for bidding is raised from \$50,000.00 to \$100,000.00. The limit on contracts for projects of the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife conservation relating to fish and wildlife conservation is raised from \$25,000.00 to \$50,000.00. The limit on contracts under an emergency authority declared by the governing body of a public agency is raised from \$75,000.00 to \$150,000.00.

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