BILL ANALYSIS

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DIGEST

Currently, certain information submitted by potential suppliers to a governmental body is excepted from a public information request, in addition to other exceptions to the Texas Open Records Act. Specifically, information contained in a potential vendor or contractor's application for certification as a historically underutilized or disadvantaged business is excepted. S.B. 667 repeals the open records exception for certain information in an application for certification as a historically underutilized or disadvantaged business.

PURPOSE

As proposed, S.B. 667 repeals a law relating to potential vendors and contractors.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

- SECTION 1. Repealer: Section 552.127, Government Code (Exception: Certain Information Submitted by Potential Vendor or Contractor).
- SECTION 2. Emergency clause. Effective date: 90 days after adjournment.