

**ACT No. 76**

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 255

BY REPRESENTATIVE FALCONER

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 44:4(55), relative to information regarding the fitness of a person to receive  
3 or continue to hold a license or certificate of registration issued by the State Board  
4 of Architectural Examiners; to exempt from the Public Records Law certain records  
5 of the board concerning the fitness of a person to receive or continue to hold a  
6 license or certificate of registration; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 44:4(55) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §4. Applicability

10 This Chapter shall not apply:

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12 (55) To any records, writings, accounts, recordings, letters, exhibits, pictures,  
13 drawings, charts, photographs, memoranda, reports, examinations, or evaluations,  
14 or copies thereof, in the custody or control of the State Board of Architectural  
15 Examiners concerning the fitness of any person to receive or continue to hold a  
16 license or certificate of registration to practice architecture. However, any such  
17 record may be released to the public in an administrative proceeding before the  
18 board, and any final determination made by the board relative to the fitness of any  
19 person to receive or continue to hold a license or certificate of registration to practice  
20 architecture and any legal grounds upon which such determination is based shall be  
21 a public record.

1           Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not  
2 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature  
3 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If  
4 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become  
5 effective on the day following such approval.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

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