

HOUSE No. 2714

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Antonio F. D. Cabral

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to bidding for public construction contracts.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Antonio F. D. Cabral</i>	<i>13th Bristol</i>
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Brendan P. Crighton</i>	<i>11th Essex</i>
<i>Daniel M. Donahue</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. Cabral of New Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2714) of Antonio F. D. Cabral and others relative to bidding for public construction contracts. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2788 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act relative to bidding for public construction contracts.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Subsection 2 of chapter 44D of chapter 149 of the general laws, as
2 appearing in the 2012 official edition, is hereby amended by striking out the last sentence and
3 inserting in place thereof the following sentence:

4 An application for a certificate of eligibility and update statements shall be public record
5 as defined in section 7 of chapter 4 except that financial information contained in the application
6 shall not be a public record.

7 SECTION 2. The first paragraph of subsection 12 of said section 44D of said chapter
8 149, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out the last sentence and inserting in place
9 thereof the following sentence:

10 Applications for a certificate of eligibility and update statements shall be public record as
11 defined in section 7 of chapter 4 except that financial information contained in the application
12 shall not be a public record.