

1 HB101
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3 By Representative Greer
4 RFD: Urban and Rural Development
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8 SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, a county may establish
9 an agriculture authority to promote agricultural
10 businesses, operations, and commodities, workforce
11 development, and economic development within the
12 county.

13 This bill would exempt an agriculture
14 authority from state competitive bid laws for any
15 contract for public works.

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17 A BILL
18 TO BE ENTITLED
19 AN ACT

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21 Relating to agriculture authorities; to add Section
22 11-20-82 to the Code of Alabama 1975; to exempt an agriculture
23 authority from state competitive bid laws for any contract for
24 public works.

25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

26 Section 1. Section 11-20-82 is added to the Code of
27 Alabama 1975 to read as follows:

1 §11-20-82.

2 An agriculture authority is exempt from the bidding
3 requirements of Chapter 2 of Title 39 for any contract for
4 public works, as defined in Section 39-2-1.

5 Section 2. This act shall become effective
6 immediately following its passage and approval by the
7 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.