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LEGISLATIVE BILL 431

Introduced by Baker, 30.

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Committee: Education

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public lettings; to amend section 73-106,
- 2 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating
- 3 to public school district construction; and to repeal the original
- 4 section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 73-106, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
2 amended to read:

3 73-106 (1) Whenever any public school district in the state expends
4 public funds for the construction, remodeling, or repair of any school-
5 owned building or for site improvements, other than those expenditures
6 authorized by section 79-10,104 for facilities which are not to be owned
7 by the district following their completion, the school board or its
8 representative shall advertise for bids in the regular manner established
9 by the board and accept or reject bids pursuant to section 73-101,~~except~~
10 ~~that nothing in this section applies to such construction, remodeling,~~
11 ~~repair, or site improvements when the contemplated expenditure for the~~
12 ~~complete project does not exceed forty thousand dollars.~~

13 (2) This section does not apply to any construction, remodeling, or
14 repair of any school-owned building or site improvements in which the
15 contemplated expenditure for the complete project does not exceed one
16 hundred thousand dollars. The State Board of Education shall adjust the
17 dollar amount in this subsection every fifth year. The first such
18 adjustment after the effective date of this act shall be effective on
19 July 1, 2020. The adjusted amount shall be equal to the then current
20 amount adjusted by the cumulative percentage change in the Consumer Price
21 Index for All Urban Consumers published by the Federal Bureau of Labor
22 Statistics for the five-year period preceding the adjustment rate. The
23 amount shall be rounded to the next highest one-thousand-dollar amount.

24 (3) This section does not apply to the acquisition of existing
25 buildings, purchase of new sites, or site expansions by the school
26 district.

27 Sec. 2. Original section 73-106, Reissue Revised Statutes of
28 Nebraska, is repealed.