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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE	ACTION
ADOPTED	(Y/N)
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Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Regulatory Affairs Committee

Representative Beshears offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

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Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert: Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 255.20, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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255.20 Local bids and contracts for public construction works; specification of state-produced lumber.—

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(3) All county officials, boards of county commissioners, school boards, city councils, city commissioners, and all other public officers of state boards or commissions that are charged with the letting of contracts for public work, for the construction of public bridges, buildings, and other structures must specify, in the contract, lumber, timber, and other forest products produced and manufactured in this state <u>if wood is a</u>

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component of the public work and if such products are available
and their price, fitness, and quality are equal. This subsection

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forms, if the structural or service requirements for timber for a particular job cannot be supplied by native species, or if the construction is financed in whole or in part from federal funds with the requirement that there be no restrictions as to species or place of manufacture. This subsection also does not apply to transportation projects for which federal aid funds are available.

Section 2. Paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section 255.257, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

255.257 Energy management; buildings occupied by state agencies.—

- (4) ADOPTION OF STANDARDS.—
- (a) Each All state agency agencies shall use adopt a sustainable building rating system or use a national model green building code for each all new building buildings and renovation renovations to an existing building buildings.

Section 3. Subsection (4) is added to section 255.2575, Florida Statutes, to read:

255.2575 Energy-efficient and sustainable buildings.-

(4) All state agencies, county officials, boards of county commissioners, school boards, city councils, city commissioners, and all other public officers of state boards or commissions that are charged with the letting of contracts for public work, for the construction of public bridges, buildings, and other structures must specify, in the contract, lumber, timber, and other forest products produced and manufactured in Florida if wood is a component of the public work and if such products are available and their price, fitness, and quality are equal. This

Amendment No. 1 subsection does not apply to plywood specified for monolithic concrete forms, if the structural or service requirements for timber for a particular job cannot be supplied by native species, or if the construction is financed in whole or in part from federal funds with the requirement that there be no restrictions as to species or place of manufacture. This subsection also does not apply to transportation projects for which federal aid funds are available.

Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

TITLE AMENDMENT

Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert: An act relating to public construction projects; amending s. 255.20, F.S., requiring governmental entities to specify certain products associated with public works projects; providing exceptions; amending s. 255.257, F.S.; requiring state agencies to use certain building rating systems and building codes for each new construction and renovation project; amending s. 255.2575, F.S.; requiring governmental entities to specify certain products associated with public works projects; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.