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RESIDENTIAL BUILDERS' EXEMPTION

House Bill 5858

Sponsor: Rep. Beverly Hammerstrom

Committee: Commerce

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5858 AS INTRODUCED 5-13-98

House Bill 5858 would amend the architects, professional engineers, and land surveyors article of the Occupational Code. The bill would exempt a person licensed when the person is planning, designing, or directing the construction of a single-family detached residential building, regardless of the building's size, if a permit is issued in the person's name to perform the activity. Under current law, a person is subject to penalties if he or she submits to a public official or a political subdivision for approval, a permit or plan for filing as a public record (including a land survey) that does not bear appropriate seals of a licensee. House Bill 5858 would specify that this requirement would not apply to a single-family detached residential building, regardless of the building's's size, for which a permit is issued to a person licensed under Article 24 as a residential builder.

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