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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2023**

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RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE FUNDS

Introduced By: Representatives Lima, Cardillo, and J. Brien

Date Introduced: March 01, 2023

Referred To: House Corporations

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 35-4 of the General Laws entitled "State Funds" is hereby amended  
2 by adding thereto the following section:

3           **35-4-29. Disclosure and transparency required.**

4           Any person or entity receiving state, federal or city or town funds, whether in the form of  
5 a grant for general support or for a particular project or by way of a tax reduction pursuant to an  
6 incentive program, shall disclose the names of all contractors and subcontractors as part of the  
7 bidding or grant application process or as part of the required certification for continuing in such  
8 incentive program.

9           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
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- 2 of their contractors and subcontractors.
- 3           This act would take effect upon passage.

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