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Section

1 Practice of professional engineering. Provides that a professional engineering license satisfies any state or local governmental requirements to perform actions authorized under the license. Provides that a licensed professional engineer can be required to obtain another form of approval only if a law, rule, or ordinance has determined that the additional approval is necessary to safeguard life, health, or property, or to promote public welfare.

States that this section does not preclude a governmental unit from including additional requirements when soliciting public contracts for engineering services, and does not apply to practice areas where licenses or certifications are required before enactment of this section.