Amendment NO.

House

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1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 204, Page 6, Section 324.035, Line 4, by 2 inserting after all of said section and line the following:

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4 "327.401. 1. The right to practice as an architect or to practice as a professional engineer or 5 to practice as a professional land surveyor or to practice as a professional landscape architect shall 6 be deemed a personal right, based upon the qualifications of the individual, evidenced by such 7 individual's professional license and shall not be transferable; but any architect or any professional 8 engineer or any professional land surveyor or any professional landscape architect may practice his 9 or her profession through the medium of, or as a member or as an employee of, a partnership or 10 corporation if the plans, specifications, estimates, plats, reports, surveys or other like documents or instruments of the partnership or corporation are signed and stamped with the personal seal of the 11 architect, professional engineer, professional land surveyor, or professional landscape architect by 12 13 whom or under whose immediate personal supervision the same were prepared and provided that the 14 architect or professional engineer or professional land surveyor or professional landscape architect who affixes his or her signature and personal seal to any such plans, specifications, estimates, plats, 15 16 reports or other documents or instruments shall be personally and professionally responsible 17 therefor.

18 2. Any domestic corporation formed under the corporation law of this state, or any foreign 19 corporation, now or hereafter organized and having as one of its purposes the practicing of 20 architecture or professional engineering or professional land surveying or professional landscape architecture and any existing corporation which amends its charter to propose to practice 21 22 architecture or professional engineering or professional land surveying or professional landscape 23 architecture shall obtain a certificate of authority for each profession named in the articles of 24 incorporation or articles of organization from the board which shall be renewed in accordance with 25 the provisions of section 327.171 or 327.261 or 327.351, as the case may be, and from and after the date of such certificate of authority and while the authority or a renewal thereof is in effect, may 26 27 offer and render architectural or professional engineering or professional land surveying or professional landscape architectural services in this state if: 28

29 (1) At all times during the authorization or any renewal thereof the directors of the 30 corporation shall have assigned responsibility for the proper conduct of all its architectural or 31 professional engineering or professional land surveying or professional landscape architectural 32 activities in this state to an architect licensed and authorized to practice architecture in this state or 33 to a professional engineer licensed and authorized to practice engineering in this state or to a professional land surveyor licensed and authorized to practice professional land surveying in this 34 35 state, or to a professional landscape architect licensed and authorized to practice professional landscape architecture in this state, as the case may be; and 36

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1 (2) The person or persons who is or are personally in charge and supervises or supervise the 2 architectural or professional engineering or professional land surveying or professional landscape 3 architectural activities, as the case may be, of any such corporation in this state shall be licensed and 4 authorized to practice architecture or professional engineering or professional land surveying or 5 professional landscape architecture, as the case may be, as provided in this chapter; and

6 (3) The corporation pays such fees for the certificate of authority, renewals or reinstatements 7 thereof as are required;

8 <u>3. The provisions of subsection 2 of this section requiring corporations to obtain a certificate</u>

9 of authority shall not apply to any rural electrical cooperative organized under the provisions of

10 chapter 394 or to any corporation organized on a nonprofit or a cooperative basis as described in

11 subsection 1 of section 394.200, or to any electrical corporation operating under cooperative

12 <u>business plan, as described in subsection 2 of section 393.110</u>."; and

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- 14 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
- 15 accordingly.

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