

IC 8-15.5-2

Chapter 2. Definitions

IC 8-15.5-2-1

Application

Sec. 1. The definitions in this chapter apply throughout this article.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Authority"

Sec. 2. "Authority" refers to the Indiana finance authority.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Department"

Sec. 3. "Department" refers to the Indiana department of transportation.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Governmental entity"

Sec. 3.5. "Governmental entity" means:

- (1) any state;
- (2) any authority, board, bureau, commission, committee, department, division, or other instrumentality established by any state; or
- (3) any entity established by the laws of another state in which the state of Indiana has been invited to participate.

As added by P.L.85-2010, SEC.6.

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"Offeror"

Sec. 4. "Offeror" means a private entity that has submitted a proposal for a public-private agreement under this article.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Operator"

Sec. 5. "Operator" means a private entity that has entered into a public-private agreement with the authority.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Private entity"

Sec. 6. "Private entity" means any individual, sole proprietorship, corporation, limited liability company, joint venture, general partnership, limited partnership, nonprofit entity, or other private legal entity. A public agency may provide services to a private entity without affecting the private status of the private entity and the

ability to enter into a public-private agreement.
As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Project" or "toll road project"

Sec. 7. "Project" or "toll road project" has the meaning set forth in IC 8-15-2-4(4).

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Public-private agreement"

Sec. 8. "Public-private agreement" means an agreement under this article between a private entity and the authority under which the private entity, acting on behalf of the authority as lessee, licensee, or franchisee, will plan, design, acquire, construct, reconstruct, improve, extend, expand, lease, operate, repair, manage, maintain, or finance a toll road project.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"Request for proposals"

Sec. 9. "Request for proposals" means all materials and documents prepared by or on behalf of the authority to solicit proposals from offerors to enter into a public-private agreement.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.

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"User fees"

Sec. 10. "User fees" means the rates, tolls, or fees imposed for the use of, or incidental to, all or any part of a toll road project under a public-private agreement.

As added by P.L.47-2006, SEC.39.