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Senate Bill 954 (as reported without amendment)  
Sponsor: Senator Darwin L. Booher  
Committee: Regulatory Reform

### **CONTENT**

The bill would amend Article 20 of the Occupational Code (which regulates the practice and licensure of architects, professional engineers, and land surveyors) to do the following:

- Provide that the practice of professional engineering would not include the preparation, signing, or submission of shop drawings for a fire alarm system.
- Exempt from licensure under Article 20 a fire alarm contractor licensed under the Electrical Administrative Act who was submitting fire alarm shop drawings for the purpose of obtaining an electrical or fire alarm permit.

The bill also would repeal Section 2005 of the Code, which prescribes examination requirements for architects, professional engineers, and professional surveyors, but would reenact criteria related to professional experience and education.

The bill would take effect 90 days after its enactment.

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### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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