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West's Key Number Digest

- West's Key Number Digest, Counties ¶116

Legal Encyclopedias

- C.J.S., Counties § 165

The county's purchase of “any land or right-of-way” is not required to be made on a competitive bid basis.¹ This would include the acquisition of real property, such as office space, by lease rather than purchase (although the lease of personal property would still need to be bid).²

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Footnotes

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V.T.C.A., Local Government Code § 262.024(a)(6); see also, Id., § 252.022(a)(6) (cities) (exempted “purchase of land or a right-of-way”).

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Op. Tex. Att’y Gen. No. MW-535 (1982).

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