## **Eligibility Certification**

<u>Section 2155.004 of our Texas Government Code</u> requires all contractors who do business with the State to certify that they have not received compensation from the State agency for preparing specifications on any bid or proposal that the contract is based upon. If contractors claim they have not received such compensation, but it turns out they have, the contractor must acknowledge that an agency can terminate their contract and withhold payment to them.