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SENATE AMENDMENT NO. ___

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Amend __SS/SCS/HCS/House__ Bill No. _1879_, Page _9_, Section _30.270_, Line _2_

2   of said page, by inserting immediately after said line the

3   following:

4   "34.010. 1. The term "department" as used in this chapter

5   shall be deemed to mean department, office, board, commission,

6   bureau, institution, or any other agency of the state, except the

7   legislative and judicial departments. The term "department"

8   shall not include public institutions of higher education.

9   2. The term "lowest and best" in determining the lowest and

10   best award, cost, and other factors are to be considered in the

11   evaluation process. Factors may include, but are not limited to,

12   value, performance, and quality of a product.

13   3. The term "Missouri product" refers to goods or

14   commodities which are manufactured, mined, produced, or grown by

15   companies in Missouri, or services provided by such companies.

16   4. The term "negotiation" as used in this chapter means the

17   process of selecting a contractor by the competitive methods

18   described in this chapter, whereby the commissioner of

19   administration can establish any and all terms and conditions of

20   a procurement contract by discussion with one or more prospective

21   contractors.

1   5. The term "purchase" as used in this chapter shall

2 include the rental or leasing of any equipment, articles or

3 things.

4   6. The term "supplies" used in this chapter shall be deemed

5 to mean supplies, materials, equipment, contractual services and

6 any and all articles or things, except for utility services

7 regulated under chapter 393 or as in this chapter otherwise

8 provided.

9   7. The term "value" includes but is not limited to price,

10 performance, and quality. In assessing value, the state

11 purchaser may consider the economic impact to the state of

12 Missouri for Missouri products versus the economic impact of

13 products generated from out of state. This economic impact may

14 include the revenues returned to the state through tax revenue

15 obligations."; and

16   Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.