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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1488

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Terrasa” and substitute “Terrasa, Barron, Belcastro, Bhandari, Charles, Chisholm, Hill, Johnson, Kelly, Kipke, Krebs, R. Lewis, Morgan, Pena–Melnyk, Pendergrass, Reilly, Rosenberg, Saab, Sample–Hughes, and K. Young”; strike beginning with “prohibiting” in line 8 down through “manner;” in line 9; in line 10, after “manner;” insert “requiring a unit to award a contract conducted in a certain manner to a certain responsible bidder or offeror that submits a bid or offer that meets certain qualifications;”; and strike beginning with “providing” in line 28 down through “manner;” in line 29.

On page 2, in lines 1 and 2, strike “as a special, nonlapsing fund”; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 4 down through the first “Fund;” in line 5; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 7 down through “State;” in line 9; in line 13, strike “6–226(a)(2)(i) and”; in line 18, strike “6–226(a)(2)(ii)121. and 122. and”; and in line 23, strike “6–226(a)(2)(ii)123.; and”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 2 and 3, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 30 on page 2 through line 6 on page 3.

On page 6, strike lines 18 through 21 in their entirety; in line 22, strike “**(3)**” and substitute “**(2)**”; and after line 25, insert:

“(3) FOR PROCUREMENTS CONDUCTED BY COMPETITIVE SEALED BIDDING, A UNIT SHALL AWARD THE CONTRACT TO THE RESPONSIBLE BIDDER THAT SUBMITS THE RESPONSIVE BID THAT:

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(I) 1. HAS THE LOWEST BID PRICE;
2. HAS THE LOWEST EVALUATED BID PRICE; OR
3. FOR PROCUREMENTS SUBJECT TO § 11-202(3) OF THIS ARTICLE, IS THE BID MOST FAVORABLE TO THE STATE; AND

(II) MEETS OR MAKES A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO MEET ANY APPLICABLE GOAL ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

(4) FOR PROCUREMENTS CONDUCTED BY COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSALS, A UNIT SHALL AWARD THE CONTRACT TO THE RESPONSIBLE OFFERER:

(I) PROPOSING THE MOST ADVANTAGEOUS OFFER; AND

(II) THAT MEETS OR MAKES A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO MEET ANY APPLICABLE GOAL ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.”.

On page 9, strike lines 5 and 6 in their entirety; and in lines 7, 10, and 13, strike “(3)”, “(4)”, and “(5)”, respectively, and substitute “(2)”, “(3)”, and “(4)”, respectively.

On page 11, in line 12, after “YEAR;” insert “AND”; and strike beginning with the semicolon in line 15 down through “ARTICLE” in line 20.

On pages 11 and 12, strike the lines beginning with line 29 on page 11 through line 2 on page 12, inclusive.

On page 12, in lines 3 and 8, strike “(E)” and “(F)”, respectively, and substitute “(D)” and “(E)”, respectively; in line 5, strike “INTEREST EARNINGS” and substitute

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“PRINCIPAL THAT IS REPAID FROM NEAR-EQUITY INVESTMENTS”; and strike lines 11 through 14 in their entirety.