

Chapter 726

(Senate Bill 795)

AN ACT concerning

**State Procurement Preferences – Blind Industries and Services of Maryland –
Packaging and Repackaging**

FOR the purpose of requiring a State or State aided or controlled entity to require a prime contractor to procure certain janitorial products packaged or repackaged by Blind Industries and Services of Maryland; and generally relating to procurement preferences and Blind Industries and Services of Maryland.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article – State Finance and Procurement
Section 14–103(c)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2021 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – State Finance and Procurement

14–103.

(c) To the extent practicable, a State or State aided or controlled entity shall include in a maintenance contract that has a component for housekeeping or janitorial services, a requirement that a prime contractor procure janitorial products from Blind Industries and Services of Maryland if the specified products are made, manufactured, remanufactured, **PACKAGED, REPACKAGED**, or assembled by Blind Industries and Services of Maryland and are available.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

Approved by the Governor, May 20, 2025.