

Article 77A - Higher Education
 Section 83
 Annotated Code of Maryland
 (1975 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Section 83 be and it is hereby added to Article 77A - Higher Education, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1975 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 77A - Higher Education

83.

[[(A) AN INSTITUTION WHICH MEETS THE REQUIREMENT OF THIS SECTION MAY MAKE PURCHASES THROUGH THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES. PURCHASES MUST BE IN AMOUNTS GREATER THAN \$500.

(B) THE INSTITUTION:

(1) MUST BE A NONPROFIT, PRIVATE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY ACCREDITED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION;

(2) MUST MAINTAIN ONE OR MORE EARNED DEGREE PROGRAMS, CULMINATING IN AN ASSOCIATE OF ARTS OR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE; AND

(3) MAY NOT BE ONE AWARDDING ONLY SEMINARIAN OR THEOLOGICAL DEGREES.]]

(A) AN INSTITUTION WHICH MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 66 OF THIS ARTICLE MAY MAKE PURCHASES IN AMOUNTS GREATER THAN \$500 THROUGH THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES SUBJECT TO THE INITIAL APPROVAL OF THE SECRETARY OF GENERAL SERVICES AND PURSUANT TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE PURCHASING BUREAU.

(B) NONE OF THE MATERIALS PURCHASED SHALL BE USED FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1976.

Approved May 17, 1976.

 CHAPTER 876

(House Bill 2170)