

- (10) PARTIAL, PROGRESSIVE, AND MULTIPLE AWARDS;
- (11) DEFINITIONS AND CLASSES OF CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AND PROCEDURES FOR ACQUIRING THEM;
- (12) REPORTS;
- (13) PROCEDURES FOR ADVERTISEMENT AND PUBLIC NOTICE OF SOLICITATIONS; AND
- (14) REVIEW OF CONTRACTS INTO WHICH THE DEPARTMENT HAS ENTERED, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING ~~WHETHER--SUPPLIES,--SERVICES,--CONSTRUCTION,--OR--OTHER--ITEMS WERE--PROCURED--AT--REASONABLE--PRICES.~~ EVALUATING THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE PROCESS RESULTS IN OBTAINING SUPPLIES, SERVICES, OR CONSTRUCTION OF THE QUALITY DESIRED, AND WHETHER THEY WERE PROCURED AT REASONABLE PRICES ON THE MOST FAVORABLE TERMS.

(D) THE BOARD OR A DEPARTMENT MAY ADOPT ANY OTHER REGULATIONS, CONSISTENT WITH THIS ARTICLE, IT MAY CONSIDER ADVISABLE TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSES OF THIS ARTICLE.

~~(E)--REGULATIONS--PROVIDED--FOR--IN--THIS--SECTION--SHALL--BE PROMULGATED--NO--LATER--THAN--DECEMBER--31--1980.~~

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THE BOARD MAY ESTABLISH AND TERMINATE PROCUREMENT ADVISORY COUNCILS WHICH, IF CREATED, AND UPON ADEQUATE PUBLIC NOTICE, SHALL MEET AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR FOR THE DISCUSSION OF PROBLEMS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS. A COUNCIL MAY CONDUCT STUDIES, RESEARCH, AND ANALYSES ON SUBJECTS OR MATTERS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF AND AS DIRECTED BY THE BOARD.

SUBTITLE 2. COMPLIANCE WITH STATE PROCUREMENT LAWS AND REGULATIONS

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(A) NO STATE AGENCY MAY ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR SUPPLIES, SERVICES, OR CONSTRUCTION EXCEPT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE AND THE REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE.

(B) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS ARTICLE A CONTRACT WHICH IS ENTERED INTO IN VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE OR THE REGULATIONS PROMULGATED UNDER IT IS VOID, UNLESS IT IS DETERMINED IN A PROCEEDING UNDER THIS ARTICLE OR SUBSEQUENT JUDICIAL REVIEW THAT GOOD FAITH HAS BEEN SHOWN BY ALL PARTIES, AND THERE HAS BEEN SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE ARTICLE AND REGULATIONS. HOWEVER, IF A CONTRACT IS VOID, A CONTRACTOR WHO HAS ENTERED INTO THE CONTRACT IN GOOD FAITH, WITHOUT DIRECTLY CONTRIBUTING TO A VIOLATION, AND WITHOUT KNOWLEDGE OF ANY VIOLATION OF THE