

with respect to contracts and orders involving the expenditure of more than \$10,000 for award by resolution of the Authority after either competitive bidding or public design competition, and which rules and regulations need not be approved by any other board, agency or department of the State. THE AUTHORITY'S RULES AND REGULATIONS PROVIDING FOR COMPETITIVE BIDDING OR PUBLIC DESIGN COMPETITION MAY INCLUDE COMPETITIVE SEALED BIDDING, COMPETITIVE NEGOTIATION, AND REVISED BIDS AFTER COMPETITIVE SEALED BIDDING WHERE ALL BIDS ARE REJECTED, ~~AND NONCOMPETITIVE NEGOTIATION~~ AS METHODS FOR SOURCE SELECTION AND CONTRACT FORMATION. THESE METHODS ARE ENUMERATED IN § 3-201 OF ARTICLE 21 OF THE CODE, WHICH ARTICLE DOES NOT APPLY TO THE AUTHORITY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act applies to all procurements of the Authority made after December 26, 1980 in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Authority; provided however that no presently existing obligation or contractual right may be impaired by this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1982.

Approved May 4, 1982.

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CHAPTER 149

(Senate Bill 946)

AN ACT concerning

Public Service Commission - Launch Services

FOR the purpose of excluding launch services from the definition of a common carrier.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 78 - Public Service Commission Law  
Section 2(d)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 78 - Public Service Commission Law  
Section 2(nn)  
Annotated Code of Maryland