REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 11-103(a).

The introductory language of this section, "[e]xcept as otherwise expressly provided by law", is substituted for the former references to express exemptions "under this subtitle" or "in accordance with a statutory provision that is not in this article", for brevity. This substitution allows the deletion of the former language that limited the express exemptions in statutory provisions outside this article to those enacted "as of June 30, 1986", which was misleading since the General Assembly could enact an express exemption after that date.

In item (3)(iv) of this section, which makes this Division II applicable to services for the benefit of the public at State transportation or higher education facilities, the words "as required by the Board" are substituted for the former words "to the extent required by the Board", for clarity.

Defined terms: "Board" § 11-101
"Procurement" § 11-101
"Procurement contract" § 11-101 "Services" § 11-101
"Unit" § 11-101

11-203. SAME -- EXCLUSIONS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THIS DIVISION II DOES NOT APPLY TO:

(1) PROCUREMENT BY:

(I) THE BLIND INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES OF MARYLAND;

(II) THE MARYLAND STATE ARTS COUNCIL, FOR THE PROMOTION-OR SUPPORT OF THE ARTS;

(III) THE MARYLAND HEALTH AND HIGHER EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AUTHORITY, TO-THE-EXTENT-THAT IF NO STATE MONEY IS TO BE SPENT ON A PROCUREMENT CONTRACT;

(IV) THE MARYLAND HIGHER EDUCATION SUPPLEMENTAL LOAN AUTHORITY, $\Phi\Phi$ -THE-EXTENT-THAT IF NO STATE MONEY IS TO BE SPENT ON A PROCUREMENT CONTRACT;