

the reorganization of this revision. See revisor's note to § 11-101(a) of this article.

The reference to "this subtitle" is substituted for the former reference to "this section", which referred to former SF § 11-141. That former section appears only in §§ 14-101, 14-103, and 14-106 of this subtitle, but the former reference to "handicapped", which was defined to include "blindness", suggests that a unit must buy supplies and services in accordance with additional provisions that are included in this subtitle, i.e., former SF §§ 11-142, 11-143, and 11-144.

Defined terms: "Services" § 11-101  
"Supplies" § 11-101

#### 14-103. PRIORITY OF PREFERENCES.

THE STATE OR A STATE AIDED OR CONTROLLED ENTITY SHALL BUY SUPPLIES AND SERVICES FROM:

(1) STATE USE INDUSTRIES, AS PROVIDED IN ARTICLE 27, §§ 680 THROUGH 681M OF THE CODE IF STATE USE INDUSTRIES PROVIDES THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES;

(2) BLIND INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES OF MARYLAND, IF:

(I) BLIND INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES OF MARYLAND PROVIDES THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES; AND

(II) STATE USE INDUSTRIES DOES NOT PROVIDE THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES; ~~AND~~ OR

(3) SHELTERED WORKSHOPS IF:

(I) A SHELTERED WORKSHOP PROVIDES THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES;

(II) NEITHER STATE USE INDUSTRIES NOR BLIND INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES OF MARYLAND PROVIDES THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES; AND

(III) THE STATE OR A STATE AIDED OR CONTROLLED ENTITY IS NOT REQUIRED BY LAW TO BUY THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES FROM ~~A-~~ ANY OTHER UNIT OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Items (1), (2), and (3)(ii) and (iii) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from former SF §§ 11-141(d)(1), 11-142(a), and 11-144.