

~~this Act; providing for the effective date of certain provisions of this Act; and generally relating to the review and revision of the procurement process auction bids under the State procurement law.~~

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article – State Finance and Procurement  
Section 13–111(a)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article – State Government  
Section 15–508  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1999 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)~~

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(As enacted by Chapter 482 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2002)~~

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article – State Finance and Procurement**

13–111.

(a) (1) ~~[This]~~ EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THIS section applies to the procurement of SERVICES, EQUIPMENT, AND supplies[, with an estimated contract value of \$1,000,000 or more,] by a primary procurement unit.

(2) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS OR THE PROCUREMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES.

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:~~

**Article – State Government**

~~15–508.~~

~~(a) An individual or a person that employs an individual who assists an executive unit in the drafting of specifications, an invitation for bids, a request for proposals for a procurement, or the selection or award made in response to an invitation for bids or request for proposals may not:~~