and

- (5) meets a need of or is otherwise advantageous to the unit.
- [(c) (1) There is an interagency panel consisting of representatives appointed by the Governor from the following:
  - (i) the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene;
  - (ii) the Department of Human Resources;
  - (iii) the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation;
  - (iv) the Department of Juvenile Services;
  - (v) the Department of Disabilities:
  - (vi) the Department of Aging:
  - (vii) the Department of Business and Economic Development;
  - (viii) the Council on Management and Productivity.
- (2) (i) A procurement officer shall forward an unsolicited proposal submitted under this section to the interagency panel described under paragraph (1) of this subsection for review and a determination as to whether the unsolicited proposal meets the requirements of subsection (a) of this section.
- (ii) (C) (1) The [interagency panel] PROCUREMENT OFFICER shall make a determination as to whether the unsolicited proposal meets the requirements of subsection [(a)] (B) of this section [by a majority vote of the panel:
  - 1. at a meeting of panel members or their designees;
  - 2. by a telephone poll of panel members; or
  - 3. in writing].
- [(iii)] (2) If the [interagency panel] PROCUREMENT OFFICER determines that the unsolicited proposal does not meet the requirements of subsection [(a)] (B) of this section, the procurement officer may not award a procurement contract based on the unsolicited proposal.
- [(iv) 1.] (3)(I) The [interagency panel] PROCUREMENT OFFICER shall make a determination under [subparagraph (i) of this paragraph]