

_____ moved to amend as follows:

1 In line 11813, strike through "manufacturer's"

2 In line 11818, after "state" insert "or a state bordering
3 Ohio"; after "of" insert "Buy"

4 In line 11820, strike through "non-Ohio"; after "materials"
5 insert "from outside of Ohio or a state bordering Ohio"

6 In line 11821, strike through "'Ohio" and insert "'Buy
7 Ohio"

8 In line 11822, strike through "by a person"; and insert "or
9 a state bordering Ohio";

10 In line 11823, after "of" insert "Buy"

11 In line 11826, after "state" insert "or a state bordering
12 Ohio"

13 In line 12089, strike through ", supplies,"

14 In line 12092, strike through "or supply"; strike through
15 "produced or"; after "mined" insert ", excavated, produced,
16 manufactured, raised, or grown"

17 In line 12093, strike through "an"; and insert "a Buy"

18 In line 12094, strike through ", supply,"

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19 In line 12095, strike through "Ohio"; after "presence"
20 insert "in the state or a state bordering Ohio,"

21 In line 12097, after "services" insert ", and whether the
22 bidder or offeror is a certified veteran-friendly business
23 enterprise under section 122.925 of the Revised Code"

24 In line 12107, strike through "produced or"

25 In line 12108, after "mined" insert ", excavated, produced,
26 manufactured, raised, or grown"

27 In line 12110, strike through "produced or"

28 In line 12111, strike through "mined in" and insert "a
29 Buy"; after "Ohio" insert "product"

30 In line 12113, strike through "produced or"

31 In line 12114, after "mined" insert ", excavated, produced,
32 manufactured, raised, or grown"

33 In line 12142, strike through "result in the state agency
34 paying an"

35 Strike through line 12143

36 In line 12144, strike through "inferior product"; and
37 insert "not be in the best interest of the state or is otherwise
38 prohibited"

39 In line 12145, after "(7)" insert "Criteria for applying a
40 preference to bids and offers received from a certified veteran-
41 friendly business enterprise;

42 (8)"

43 In line 12190, before the period insert ", and contracts
44 awarded pursuant to a competitive sealed proposal shall be
45 awarded to the offeror determined to be the most advantageous to
46 this state"

47 In line 12194, after "products" insert "or services"; after
48 "bids" insert "and offers"

49 In line 12195, strike through "divisions (C) (1) "

50 In line 12196, strike through "and (2) " and insert
51 "division (B)"

52 In line 12197, strike through "produced or"; after "mined"
53 insert ", excavated, produced, manufactured, raised, or grown";
54 strike through "and if a product"

55 In line 12198, strike through "is produced or mined" and
56 insert an underlined comma; after "state" insert ", or in a
57 state bordering Ohio, whether the bid or offer was received from
58 a Buy Ohio supplier, and whether the bid or offer was received
59 from a certified veteran-friendly business enterprise"; strike
60 through "The department or other state"

61 Strike through lines 12199 through 12204

62 In line 12205, strike through "state" and insert "These
63 requirements shall be applied"; strike through "within this"

64 In line 12206, strike through "state"; strike through "not"

65 Strike through line 12207

66 In line 12208, strike through "disproportionately inferior
67 product" and insert "be in the best interest of the state unless
68 otherwise prohibited"

69 In line 12210, strike through "bidding" and insert
70 "selection"

71 The motion was _____ agreed to.

72 SYNOPSIS

73 **DAS purchasing preferences**

74 **R.C. 125.01, 125.09, and 125.11**

75 Restores provisions from the Executive version, retained by
76 the House, that do all of the following:

77 - Require that DAS and state agency purchasers evaluate
78 bids according to criteria and procedures for determining if a
79 product is produced or mined in the U.S., is a Buy Ohio product,
80 and if the bid or offer was received from a Buy Ohio supplier or
81 a certified veteran-friendly business, rather than generally
82 requiring DAS and state agencies to select the lowest responsive
83 and responsible bid, from among the bids that offer products
84 that have been produced or mined in Ohio.

85 - Apply the requirements where sufficient competition can
86 be generated to ensure that the purchase will be in the best
87 interest of the state unless otherwise prohibited.

88 - Require the DAS Director to adopt rules to establish
89 criteria for applying a purchasing preference to bids received
90 from certified veteran-friendly business enterprises.

91 - Codify the classification of "Buy Ohio" products,
92 eligible for preference in state purchasing, to include products
93 from a state bordering Ohio.