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Introduced by M. of A. TEDISCO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Employees

AN ACT to amend the New York state printing and public documents law, in relation to the letting of contracts for printing

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivision 5 of section 3 of the New York state printing and public documents law, as amended by chapter 346 of the laws of 1991, is amended to read as follows:

5. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing provisions of this section, or of any general or special act, the commissioner AND OTHER STATE AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS may contract for printing to an amount not exceeding [ten thousand dollars] THE LIMIT SET FOR THE COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL SERVICES AND STATE AGENCIES, RESPECTIVELY, PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION SIX OF SECTION ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE OF THE STATE FINANCE LAW without competitive bidding[, and may by rule prescribing the amount, not exceeding five thousand dollars, authorize other state departments and agencies to let contracts, without competitive bidding, for printing required by them. Such rule]. THE COMMISSIONER shall prescribe the form, manner and content of the notice to be given to prospective vendors, the form of specifications and proposals for such printing, and the method used in making an award WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BIDDING PURSUANT TO THIS SUBDIVISION, except that as such specifications relate to the paper required for printing they shall be in accordance with those established pursuant to section one hundred [sixty-four] SIXTY-FIVE of the state finance law.

Multiple purchases of identical items of printing and printing supplies, made by such other department or agency without competitive bidding within a period of sixty days, shall not exceed the [sum of five thousand dollars] LIMIT SET FOR STATE AGENCIES PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION SIX OF SECTION ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE OF THE STATE FINANCE LAW.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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