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Proposed Committee Substitute by the Committee on Fiscal Policy (Appropriations Subcommittee on Education)

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to school district purchasing; amending s. 1010.04, F.S.; requiring each district school board and Florida College System institution board of trustees to review certain agreements and contracts before purchasing nonacademic commodities and contractual services under certain circumstances to determine whether their use is economically advantageous; requiring that bid specifications include a specified statement; authorizing each district school board to also use specified cooperative state purchasing programs; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 1010.04, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1010.04 Purchasing.-

- (1) (a) Purchases and leases by school districts and Florida College System institutions shall comply with the requirements of law and rules of the State Board of Education.
- (b) Before purchasing nonacademic commodities and contractual services, each district school board and Florida College System institution board of trustees shall review the purchasing agreements and state term contracts available under s. 287.056 to determine whether it is in the board's or the



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board of trustees' economic advantage to use the agreements and contracts. Each bid specification for nonacademic commodities and contractual services must include a statement indicating that the purchasing agreements and state term contracts available under s. 287.056 have been reviewed. Each district school board may also use the cooperative state purchasing programs managed through the regional consortiums service organizations pursuant to their authority under s. 1001.451(3).

(c) (b) Purchases and leases by state universities shall comply with the requirements of law and regulations of the Board of Governors.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016.