

40:25-4.5

August 14, 1969

Legislative Notes on R.S. 40:25-4.5
(Open end contracts - school & munc.)

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Similar bills were:

1965 - S56

Introduced Jan. 13th by Waddington, Weber, Forsythe.
Died in Senate.
No statement.

1966 - S23

Introduced Jan. 13th by Waddington.
Passed in Senate.
Received in Assembly - Died.
No statement.

1967 - S50

Introduced Jan. 10th by Waddington.
Died in Senate.
No statement.

1969 - S674

Introduced April 2 by Lynch.
Presently in Senate.
No statement.

L. 1969, Chapter 104 - S730

Introduced April 21, 1969 by Knowlton & others.
No statement.
Not amended during passage.

We checked the following without success:

(H.J. - - Government contracts - 1968, 1969)

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974.905 New Jersey League of Municipalities Legislative
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INTRODUCED APRIL 21, 1969

By Senators KNOWLTON, WOODCOCK, DICKINSON, SCHIAFFO,
HAGEDORN, CRABIEL, TANZMANN, MUSTO and HAUSER

Referred to Committee on County and Municipal Government

AN ACT concerning the purchasing of materials, supplies or equipment by counties, municipalities and school districts, making an appropriation therefor and supplementing Title 52 of the Revised Statutes.

1 BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
2 *of New Jersey:*

1 1. Any county or municipality may, without advertising for bids,
2 or having rejected all bids obtained pursuant to advertising there-
3-4 for, purchase any materials, supplies or equipment pursuant to a
5 contract or contracts for such materials, supplies or equipment
6 entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and
7 Property.

1 2. Any school district may, without advertising for bids, or
2 having rejected all bids obtained pursuant to advertising therefor,
3 purchase any materials, supplies or equipment pursuant to a con-
4 tract or contracts for such materials, supplies or equipment entered
5 into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property.

1 3. The Director of the Division of Purchase and Property may
2 include, in any such contract or contracts on behalf of the State, a
3 provision for the purchase of such materials, supplies or equip-
4 ment by any county, municipality or school district from such con-
5 tractor or contractors. The county, municipality or school district
6 shall have sole responsibility for any payment due the vendor for
7 any such purchase. All purchases shall be subject to audit and in-
8 spection by the county, municipality or school district for which
9 made.

1 4. The director may, on the written request of any political sub-
2 division of this State, singly or jointly develop specifications or
3 establish approved brand name lists of commonly used commodities
4 or services, even though such commodities or services may not be

5 purchased or used by the State. In these cases, the resulting speci-
6 fications or approved brand name lists shall be submitted to the
7 political subdivision initiating the request for approval. After
8 approval by the parties concerned, the director may, at the request
9 of the applicant political subdivision, solicit bids pursuant to chap-
10 ter 48, P. L. 1964. After determining the lowest responsible bidder
11 meeting all of the specifications and conditions, the director shall
12 notify the applicant political subdivision of the results.

1 5. The Director of the Division of Purchase and Property shall
2 distribute annually to each county, municipality and school district
3 a list of all current contracts entered into on behalf of the State,
4 setting forth the materials, supplies or equipment included therein
5 and the prices, terms and conditions thereof.

1 6. The Director of the Division of Purchase and Property may
2 make such rules and regulations as he may deem necessary to im-
3 plement and facilitate the making of purchases by counties, munici-
4 palities and school districts through contracts entered into by the
5 director.

1 7. There is hereby appropriated for the purpose of this act the
2 sum of \$35,000.00 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

1 8. This act shall take effect July 1, 1969.