

**Senator Sheldon L. Killpack** proposes the following substitute bill:

**GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT - PRIVATE**

**PROPOSALS**

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STATE OF UTAH

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill creates a program allowing a private entity to submit proposals to provide certain products or services to the Department of Technology Services or the Board of Education.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- ▶ creates a program allowing the submission of a proposal to provide a product or service to the Department of Technology Services or the Board of Education;
- ▶ requires the Board of Business and Economic Development to appoint a committee to evaluate a proposal under the program;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ addresses the requirements of an initial proposal submitted to the committee;
- ▶ provides for review of an initial proposal by the committee and the affected department;
- ▶ addresses the procurement process for detailed proposals if the initial proposal is accepted by the committee;
- ▶ provides requirements for a detailed proposal;



- 26           ▶ makes an initial proposal a protected record under Title 63, Chapter 2, Government
- 27 Records Access and Management Act;
- 28           ▶ allows the committee, by rule, to maintain certain portions of an initial proposal as a
- 29 protected record;
- 30           ▶ addresses cooperation between a private entity submitting a detailed proposal and
- 31 the affected department;
- 32           ▶ requires the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget to prepare an economic
- 33 feasibility report concerning a proposal;
- 34           ▶ provides for the acceptance of a detailed proposal and the preparation and execution
- 35 of a project agreement;
- 36           ▶ creates a restricted account, comprised of monies collected from fees for submitting
- 37 a proposal;
- 38           ▶ establishes uses for which monies may be expended from the restricted account;
- 39           ▶ requires the establishment of fees for proposals and project agreements;
- 40           ▶ allows for the appointment of an advisory committee to assist the committee in
- 41 evaluating proposals and preparing project agreements; and
- 42           ▶ makes technical changes.

43 **Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

44           None

45 **Other Special Clauses:**

46           None

47 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

48 AMENDS:

49           **63-2-304**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2008, Chapter 3

50           **63-38f-203**, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 148

51           **63-56-204**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 169 and renumbered and

52 amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 25

53           **63-56-205**, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 25

54           **63-56-302**, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 25

55           **63F-1-205**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 306

56 ENACTS:

- 57            **63G-6-408.5**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 58            **63M-1-2401**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 59            **63M-1-2402**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 60            **63M-1-2403**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 61            **63M-1-2404**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 62            **63M-1-2405**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 63            **63M-1-2406**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 64            **63M-1-2407**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 65            **63M-1-2408**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 66            **63M-1-2409**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 67            **63M-1-2410**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 68            **63M-1-2411**, Utah Code Annotated 1953
- 69            **63M-1-2412**, Utah Code Annotated 1953



71    *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

72            Section 1. Section **63-2-304** is amended to read:

73            **63-2-304. Protected records.**

74            The following records are protected if properly classified by a governmental entity:

75            (1) trade secrets as defined in Section 13-24-2 if the person submitting the trade secret  
76 has provided the governmental entity with the information specified in Section 63-2-308;

77            (2) commercial information or nonindividual financial information obtained from a  
78 person if:

79            (a) disclosure of the information could reasonably be expected to result in unfair  
80 competitive injury to the person submitting the information or would impair the ability of the  
81 governmental entity to obtain necessary information in the future;

82            (b) the person submitting the information has a greater interest in prohibiting access  
83 than the public in obtaining access; and

84            (c) the person submitting the information has provided the governmental entity with  
85 the information specified in Section 63-2-308;

86            (3) commercial or financial information acquired or prepared by a governmental entity  
87 to the extent that disclosure would lead to financial speculations in currencies, securities, or

88 commodities that will interfere with a planned transaction by the governmental entity or cause  
89 substantial financial injury to the governmental entity or state economy;

90 (4) records the disclosure of which could cause commercial injury to, or confer a  
91 competitive advantage upon a potential or actual competitor of, a commercial project entity as  
92 defined in Subsection 11-13-103(4);

93 (5) test questions and answers to be used in future license, certification, registration,  
94 employment, or academic examinations;

95 (6) records the disclosure of which would impair governmental procurement  
96 proceedings or give an unfair advantage to any person proposing to enter into a contract or  
97 agreement with a governmental entity, except that this Subsection (6) does not restrict the right  
98 of a person to see bids submitted to or by a governmental entity after bidding has closed;

99 (7) records that would identify real property or the appraisal or estimated value of real  
100 or personal property, including intellectual property, under consideration for public acquisition  
101 before any rights to the property are acquired unless:

102 (a) public interest in obtaining access to the information outweighs the governmental  
103 entity's need to acquire the property on the best terms possible;

104 (b) the information has already been disclosed to persons not employed by or under a  
105 duty of confidentiality to the entity;

106 (c) in the case of records that would identify property, potential sellers of the described  
107 property have already learned of the governmental entity's plans to acquire the property;

108 (d) in the case of records that would identify the appraisal or estimated value of  
109 property, the potential sellers have already learned of the governmental entity's estimated value  
110 of the property; or

111 (e) the property under consideration for public acquisition is a single family residence  
112 and the governmental entity seeking to acquire the property has initiated negotiations to acquire  
113 the property as required under Section 78B-6-505;

114 (8) records prepared in contemplation of sale, exchange, lease, rental, or other  
115 compensated transaction of real or personal property including intellectual property, which, if  
116 disclosed prior to completion of the transaction, would reveal the appraisal or estimated value  
117 of the subject property, unless:

118 (a) the public interest in access outweighs the interests in restricting access, including

119 the governmental entity's interest in maximizing the financial benefit of the transaction; or

120 (b) when prepared by or on behalf of a governmental entity, appraisals or estimates of  
121 the value of the subject property have already been disclosed to persons not employed by or  
122 under a duty of confidentiality to the entity;

123 (9) records created or maintained for civil, criminal, or administrative enforcement  
124 purposes or audit purposes, or for discipline, licensing, certification, or registration purposes, if  
125 release of the records:

126 (a) reasonably could be expected to interfere with investigations undertaken for  
127 enforcement, discipline, licensing, certification, or registration purposes;

128 (b) reasonably could be expected to interfere with audits, disciplinary, or enforcement  
129 proceedings;

130 (c) would create a danger of depriving a person of a right to a fair trial or impartial  
131 hearing;

132 (d) reasonably could be expected to disclose the identity of a source who is not  
133 generally known outside of government and, in the case of a record compiled in the course of  
134 an investigation, disclose information furnished by a source not generally known outside of  
135 government if disclosure would compromise the source; or

136 (e) reasonably could be expected to disclose investigative or audit techniques,  
137 procedures, policies, or orders not generally known outside of government if disclosure would  
138 interfere with enforcement or audit efforts;

139 (10) records the disclosure of which would jeopardize the life or safety of an  
140 individual;

141 (11) records the disclosure of which would jeopardize the security of governmental  
142 property, governmental programs, or governmental recordkeeping systems from damage, theft,  
143 or other appropriation or use contrary to law or public policy;

144 (12) records that, if disclosed, would jeopardize the security or safety of a correctional  
145 facility, or records relating to incarceration, treatment, probation, or parole, that would interfere  
146 with the control and supervision of an offender's incarceration, treatment, probation, or parole;

147 (13) records that, if disclosed, would reveal recommendations made to the Board of  
148 Pardons and Parole by an employee of or contractor for the Department of Corrections, the  
149 Board of Pardons and Parole, or the Department of Human Services that are based on the

150 employee's or contractor's supervision, diagnosis, or treatment of any person within the board's  
151 jurisdiction;

152 (14) records and audit workpapers that identify audit, collection, and operational  
153 procedures and methods used by the State Tax Commission, if disclosure would interfere with  
154 audits or collections;

155 (15) records of a governmental audit agency relating to an ongoing or planned audit  
156 until the final audit is released;

157 (16) records prepared by or on behalf of a governmental entity solely in anticipation of  
158 litigation that are not available under the rules of discovery;

159 (17) records disclosing an attorney's work product, including the mental impressions or  
160 legal theories of an attorney or other representative of a governmental entity concerning  
161 litigation;

162 (18) records of communications between a governmental entity and an attorney  
163 representing, retained, or employed by the governmental entity if the communications would be  
164 privileged as provided in Section 78B-1-137;

165 (19) (a) (i) personal files of a state legislator, including personal correspondence to or  
166 from a member of the Legislature; and

167 (ii) notwithstanding Subsection (19)(a)(i), correspondence that gives notice of  
168 legislative action or policy may not be classified as protected under this section; and

169 (b) (i) an internal communication that is part of the deliberative process in connection  
170 with the preparation of legislation between:

171 (A) members of a legislative body;

172 (B) a member of a legislative body and a member of the legislative body's staff; or

173 (C) members of a legislative body's staff; and

174 (ii) notwithstanding Subsection (19)(b)(i), a communication that gives notice of  
175 legislative action or policy may not be classified as protected under this section;

176 (20) (a) records in the custody or control of the Office of Legislative Research and  
177 General Counsel, that, if disclosed, would reveal a particular legislator's contemplated  
178 legislation or contemplated course of action before the legislator has elected to support the  
179 legislation or course of action, or made the legislation or course of action public; and

180 (b) notwithstanding Subsection (20)(a), the form to request legislation submitted to the

181 Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel is a public document unless a legislator  
182 asks that the records requesting the legislation be maintained as protected records until such  
183 time as the legislator elects to make the legislation or course of action public;

184 (21) research requests from legislators to the Office of Legislative Research and  
185 General Counsel or the Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst and research findings prepared  
186 in response to these requests;

187 (22) drafts, unless otherwise classified as public;

188 (23) records concerning a governmental entity's strategy about collective bargaining or  
189 pending litigation;

190 (24) records of investigations of loss occurrences and analyses of loss occurrences that  
191 may be covered by the Risk Management Fund, the Employers' Reinsurance Fund, the  
192 Uninsured Employers' Fund, or similar divisions in other governmental entities;

193 (25) records, other than personnel evaluations, that contain a personal recommendation  
194 concerning an individual if disclosure would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of  
195 personal privacy, or disclosure is not in the public interest;

196 (26) records that reveal the location of historic, prehistoric, paleontological, or  
197 biological resources that if known would jeopardize the security of those resources or of  
198 valuable historic, scientific, educational, or cultural information;

199 (27) records of independent state agencies if the disclosure of the records would  
200 conflict with the fiduciary obligations of the agency;

201 (28) records of an institution within the state system of higher education defined in  
202 Section 53B-1-102 regarding tenure evaluations, appointments, applications for admissions,  
203 retention decisions, and promotions, which could be properly discussed in a meeting closed in  
204 accordance with Title 52, Chapter 4, Open and Public Meetings Act, provided that records of  
205 the final decisions about tenure, appointments, retention, promotions, or those students  
206 admitted, may not be classified as protected under this section;

207 (29) records of the governor's office, including budget recommendations, legislative  
208 proposals, and policy statements, that if disclosed would reveal the governor's contemplated  
209 policies or contemplated courses of action before the governor has implemented or rejected  
210 those policies or courses of action or made them public;

211 (30) records of the Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst relating to budget analysis,

212 revenue estimates, and fiscal notes of proposed legislation before issuance of the final  
213 recommendations in these areas;

214 (31) records provided by the United States or by a government entity outside the state  
215 that are given to the governmental entity with a requirement that they be managed as protected  
216 records if the providing entity certifies that the record would not be subject to public disclosure  
217 if retained by it;

218 (32) transcripts, minutes, or reports of the closed portion of a meeting of a public body  
219 except as provided in Section 52-4-206;

220 (33) records that would reveal the contents of settlement negotiations but not including  
221 final settlements or empirical data to the extent that they are not otherwise exempt from  
222 disclosure;

223 (34) memoranda prepared by staff and used in the decision-making process by an  
224 administrative law judge, a member of the Board of Pardons and Parole, or a member of any  
225 other body charged by law with performing a quasi-judicial function;

226 (35) records that would reveal negotiations regarding assistance or incentives offered  
227 by or requested from a governmental entity for the purpose of encouraging a person to expand  
228 or locate a business in Utah, but only if disclosure would result in actual economic harm to the  
229 person or place the governmental entity at a competitive disadvantage, but this section may not  
230 be used to restrict access to a record evidencing a final contract;

231 (36) materials to which access must be limited for purposes of securing or maintaining  
232 the governmental entity's proprietary protection of intellectual property rights including patents,  
233 copyrights, and trade secrets;

234 (37) the name of a donor or a prospective donor to a governmental entity, including an  
235 institution within the state system of higher education defined in Section 53B-1-102, and other  
236 information concerning the donation that could reasonably be expected to reveal the identity of  
237 the donor, provided that:

238 (a) the donor requests anonymity in writing;

239 (b) any terms, conditions, restrictions, or privileges relating to the donation may not be  
240 classified protected by the governmental entity under this Subsection (37); and

241 (c) except for an institution within the state system of higher education defined in  
242 Section 53B-1-102, the governmental unit to which the donation is made is primarily engaged

243 in educational, charitable, or artistic endeavors, and has no regulatory or legislative authority  
244 over the donor, a member of the donor's immediate family, or any entity owned or controlled  
245 by the donor or the donor's immediate family;

246 (38) accident reports, except as provided in Sections 41-6a-404, 41-12a-202, and  
247 73-18-13;

248 (39) a notification of workers' compensation insurance coverage described in Section  
249 34A-2-205;

250 (40) (a) the following records of an institution within the state system of higher  
251 education defined in Section 53B-1-102, which have been developed, discovered, disclosed to,  
252 or received by or on behalf of faculty, staff, employees, or students of the institution:

253 (i) unpublished lecture notes;

254 (ii) unpublished notes, data, and information:

255 (A) relating to research; and

256 (B) of:

257 (I) the institution within the state system of higher education defined in Section  
258 53B-1-102; or

259 (II) a sponsor of sponsored research;

260 (iii) unpublished manuscripts;

261 (iv) creative works in process;

262 (v) scholarly correspondence; and

263 (vi) confidential information contained in research proposals;

264 (b) Subsection (40)(a) may not be construed to prohibit disclosure of public  
265 information required pursuant to Subsection 53B-16-302(2)(a) or (b); and

266 (c) Subsection (40)(a) may not be construed to affect the ownership of a record;

267 (41) (a) records in the custody or control of the Office of Legislative Auditor General  
268 that would reveal the name of a particular legislator who requests a legislative audit prior to the  
269 date that audit is completed and made public; and

270 (b) notwithstanding Subsection (41)(a), a request for a legislative audit submitted to the  
271 Office of the Legislative Auditor General is a public document unless the legislator asks that  
272 the records in the custody or control of the Office of Legislative Auditor General that would  
273 reveal the name of a particular legislator who requests a legislative audit be maintained as

274 protected records until the audit is completed and made public;

275 (42) records that provide detail as to the location of an explosive, including a map or  
276 other document that indicates the location of:

277 (a) a production facility; or  
278 (b) a magazine;

279 (43) information contained in the database described in Section 62A-3-311.1;

280 (44) information contained in the Management Information System and Licensing  
281 Information System described in Title 62A, Chapter 4a, Child and Family Services;

282 (45) information regarding National Guard operations or activities in support of the  
283 National Guard's federal mission;

284 (46) records provided by any pawn or secondhand business to a law enforcement  
285 agency or to the central database in compliance with Title 13, Chapter 32a, Pawnshop and  
286 Secondhand Merchandise Transaction Information Act;

287 (47) information regarding food security, risk, and vulnerability assessments performed  
288 by the Department of Agriculture and Food;

289 (48) except to the extent that the record is exempt from this chapter pursuant to Section  
290 63-2-106, records related to an emergency plan or program prepared or maintained by the  
291 Division of Homeland Security the disclosure of which would jeopardize:

292 (a) the safety of the general public; or  
293 (b) the security of:

294 (i) governmental property;  
295 (ii) governmental programs; or  
296 (iii) the property of a private person who provides the Division of Homeland Security  
297 information;

298 (49) records of the Department of Agriculture and Food relating to the National  
299 Animal Identification System or any other program that provides for the identification, tracing,  
300 or control of livestock diseases, including any program established under Title 4, Chapter 24,  
301 Utah Livestock Brand and Anti-theft Act or Title 4, Chapter 31, Livestock Inspection and  
302 Quarantine;

303 (50) as provided in Section 26-39-109:

304 (a) information or records held by the Department of Health related to a complaint

305 regarding a child care program or residential child care which the department is unable to  
306 substantiate; and

307 (b) information or records related to a complaint received by the Department of Health  
308 from an anonymous complainant regarding a child care program or residential child care; ~~and~~

309 (51) unless otherwise classified as public under Section 63-2-301 and except as  
310 provided under Section 41-1a-116, an individual's home address, home telephone number, or  
311 personal mobile phone number, if:

312 (a) the individual is required to provide the information in order to comply with a law,  
313 ordinance, rule, or order of a government entity; and

314 (b) the subject of the record has a reasonable expectation that this information will be  
315 kept confidential due to:

316 (i) the nature of the law, ordinance, rule, or order; and

317 (ii) the individual complying with the law, ordinance, rule, or order~~[-]; and~~

318 (52) an initial proposal under Title 63M, Chapter 1, Part 24, Government Procurement  
319 Private Proposal Program, to the extent not made public by rules made under that chapter.

320 Section 2. Section **63-38f-203** is amended to read:

321 **63-38f-203. Powers and duties of director.**

322 (1) The director, with the approval of the governor, may:

323 (a) by following the procedures and requirements of Title 63, Chapter 38e, Federal  
324 Funds Procedures, seek federal grants, loans, or participation in federal programs;

325 (b) enter into lawful contracts or agreements with other states, any chamber of  
326 commerce organization, ~~and~~ any service club~~[-and]~~, and a private entity pursuant to Section  
327 63M-1-2410; and

328 (c) annually prepare and submit to the governor a budget of the office's financial  
329 requirements.

330 (2) If any federal program requires the expenditure of state funds as a condition to  
331 participation by the state in any fund, property, or service, with the governor's approval, the  
332 director shall expend whatever funds are necessary out of the money provided by the  
333 Legislature for the use of the office.

334 Section 3. Section **63-56-204** is amended to read:

335 **63-56-204. Duties of chief procurement officer.**

336 Except as otherwise specifically provided in this chapter, the chief procurement officer  
337 serves as the central procurement officer of the state and shall:

338 (1) adopt office policies governing the internal functions of the Division of Purchasing  
339 and General Services;

340 (2) procure or supervise the procurement of all supplies, services, and construction  
341 needed by the state;

342 (3) exercise general supervision and control over all inventories or supplies belonging  
343 to the state;

344 (4) establish and maintain programs for the inspection, testing, and acceptance of  
345 supplies, services, and construction;

346 (5) prepare statistical data concerning the procurement and usage of all supplies,  
347 services, and construction;

348 (6) before June 1, 1990, notify all public procurement units of the requirements of  
349 Section 63-56-406 regarding purchases of recycled paper and recycled paper products,  
350 recycling requirements, and provide guidelines on the availability of recycled paper and paper  
351 products, including the sources of supply and the potential uses of various grades of recycled  
352 paper;

353 (7) before July 1, 1992:

354 (a) establish standards and specifications for determining which supplies are  
355 considered recycled, based upon his review of current definitions and standards employed by  
356 national procurement, product recycling, and other relevant organizations and the federal  
357 Environmental Protection Agency;

358 (b) compile and update as necessary the specifications, a list of recycled supplies  
359 available on state contract, and sources where the supplies may be obtained;

360 (c) make the compiled information under Subsection (7)(b) available to:

361 (i) all local government entities under Section 11-37-101;

362 (ii) all local health departments under Section 26A-1-108.7;

363 (iii) all procurement officers or other persons responsible for purchasing supplies  
364 within the public school system under Title 53A, State System of Public Education;

365 (iv) all procurement officers or other persons responsible for purchasing supplies  
366 within the state system of higher education under Title 53B, State System of Higher Education;

367 and

368 (v) all procurement officers or other persons responsible for purchasing supplies for all  
369 public procurement units as defined in Section 63-56-105; and

370 (d) present a written report to the Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Environment  
371 Interim Committee annually prior to November 30 regarding the purchases of recycled goods  
372 on state contracts during the prior fiscal year; and

373 (8) ensure that:

374 (a) before approving a purchase, lease, or rental not covered by an existing statewide  
375 contract for information technology or telecommunications supplies or services, the chief  
376 information officer and the agency have provided in writing to the division, that the needs  
377 analysis required in Section 63F-1-205 was completed, unless the purchase, lease, or rental is  
378 approved in accordance with Title 63M, Chapter 1, Part 24, Government Procurement Private  
379 Proposal Program; and

380 (b) the oversight authority required by Subsection (8)(a) is not delegated outside the  
381 Division of Purchasing and General Services.

382 Section 4. Section **63-56-205** is amended to read:

383 **63-56-205. Delegation of authority.**

384 Subject to rules and regulations, the chief procurement officer may delegate authority to  
385 designees or to any department, agency, or official. For a procurement process under Title  
386 63M, Chapter 1, Part 24, Government Procurement Private Proposal Program, any delegation  
387 by the chief procurement officer under this section shall be made to the Governor's Office of  
388 Economic Development.

389 Section 5. Section **63-56-302** is amended to read:

390 **63-56-302. Duty of chief procurement officer in maintaining specifications of**  
391 **supplies.**

392 The chief procurement officer shall prepare, issue, revise, maintain, and monitor the use  
393 of specifications for supplies, services, and construction required by the state. The chief  
394 procurement officer shall obtain expert advice and assistance from personnel of using agencies  
395 in the development of specifications and may delegate in writing to a using agency the  
396 authority to prepare and utilize its own specifications. For a procurement process under Title  
397 63M, Chapter 1, Part 24, Government Procurement Private Proposal Program, any delegation

398 by the chief procurement officer under this section shall be made to the Governor's Office of  
399 Economic Development.

400 Section 6. Section **63F-1-205** is amended to read:

401 **63F-1-205. Approval of acquisitions of information technology.**

402 (1) (a) [~~It~~] Except as provided in Title 63M, Chapter 1, Part 24, Government  
403 Procurement Private Proposal Program, in accordance with Subsection (2), the chief  
404 information officer shall approve the acquisition by an executive branch agency of:

405 (i) information technology equipment;

406 (ii) telecommunications equipment;

407 (iii) software;

408 (iv) services related to the items listed in Subsections (1)(a)(i) through (iii); and

409 (v) data acquisition.

410 (b) The chief information officer may negotiate the purchase, lease, or rental of private  
411 or public information technology or telecommunication services or facilities in accordance with  
412 this section.

413 (c) Where practical, efficient, and economically beneficial, the chief information  
414 officer shall use existing private and public information technology or telecommunication  
415 resources.

416 (2) Before negotiating a purchase, lease, or rental under Subsection (1) for an amount  
417 that exceeds the value established by the chief information officer by rule in accordance with  
418 Section 63F-1-206, the chief information officer shall:

419 (a) conduct an analysis of the needs of executive branch agencies and subscribers of  
420 services and the ability of the proposed information technology or telecommunications services  
421 or supplies to meet those needs; and

422 (b) for purchases, leases, or rentals not covered by an existing statewide contract,  
423 provide in writing to the chief procurement officer in the Division of Purchasing and General  
424 Services that:

425 (i) the analysis required in Subsection (2)(a) was completed; and

426 (ii) based on the analysis, the proposed purchase, lease, rental, or master contract of  
427 services, products, or supplies is practical, efficient, and economically beneficial to the state  
428 and the executive branch agency or subscriber of services.

429 (3) In approving an acquisition described in Subsections (1) and (2), the chief  
430 information officer shall:

431 (a) establish by administrative rule, in accordance with Section 63F-1-206, standards  
432 under which an agency must obtain approval from the chief information officer before  
433 acquiring the items listed in Subsections (1) and (2);

434 (b) for those acquisitions requiring approval, determine whether the acquisition is in  
435 compliance with:

436 (i) the executive branch strategic plan;

437 (ii) the applicable agency information technology plan;

438 (iii) the budget for the executive branch agency or department as adopted by the  
439 Legislature; and

440 (iv) Title 63, Chapter 56, Utah Procurement Code; and

441 (c) in accordance with Section 63F-1-207, require coordination of acquisitions between  
442 two or more executive branch agencies if it is in the best interests of the state.

443 (4) (a) Each executive branch agency shall provide the chief information officer with  
444 complete access to all information technology records, documents, and reports:

445 (i) at the request of the chief information officer; and

446 (ii) related to the executive branch agency's acquisition of any item listed in Subsection  
447 (1).

448 (b) Beginning July 1, 2006 and in accordance with administrative rules established by  
449 the department under Section 63F-1-206, no new technology projects may be initiated by an  
450 executive branch agency or the department unless the technology project is described in a  
451 formal project plan and the business case analysis has been approved by the chief information  
452 officer and agency head. The project plan and business case analysis required by this  
453 Subsection (4) shall be in the form required by the chief information officer, and shall include:

454 (i) a statement of work to be done and existing work to be modified or displaced;

455 (ii) total cost of system development and conversion effort, including system analysis  
456 and programming costs, establishment of master files, testing, documentation, special  
457 equipment cost and all other costs, including overhead;

458 (iii) savings or added operating costs that will result after conversion;

459 (iv) other advantages or reasons that justify the work;

460 (v) source of funding of the work, including ongoing costs;  
461 (vi) consistency with budget submissions and planning components of budgets; and  
462 (vii) whether the work is within the scope of projects or initiatives envisioned when the  
463 current fiscal year budget was approved.

464 (5) (a) The chief information officer and the Division of Purchasing and General  
465 Services shall work cooperatively to establish procedures under which the chief information  
466 officer shall monitor and approve acquisitions as provided in this section.

467 (b) The procedures established under this section shall include at least the written  
468 certification required by Subsection 63-56-204(8).

469 Section 7. Section **63G-6-408.5** is enacted to read:

470 **63G-6-408.5. Procurement for submitted proposal.**

471 (1) As used in this section:

472 (a) "Committee" is as defined in Section 63M-1-2402.

473 (b) "Initial proposal" is a proposal submitted by a private entity under Section  
474 63M-1-2405.

475 (2) Within 30 days following receipt by the chief procurement officer of a copy of an  
476 initial proposal from the committee in accordance with Subsection 63M-1-2406(5), including  
477 any comment, suggestion, or modification to the initial proposal, the chief procurement officer  
478 shall initiate a procurement process in compliance with Title 63, Chapter 56, Utah Procurement  
479 Code.

480 (3) The chief procurement officer or designee shall:

481 (a) review each detailed proposal received in accordance with Title 63M, Chapter 1,  
482 Part 24, Government Procurement Private Proposal Program; and

483 (b) submit all detailed proposals that meet the guidelines established under Subsection  
484 63M-1-2408(1) to the committee for review under Section 63M-1-2409.

485 (4) For purposes of this chapter, the Governor's Office of Economic Development is  
486 considered the purchasing agency for a procurement process under Title 63M, Chapter 1, Part  
487 24, Government Procurement Private Proposal Program.

488 Section 8. Section **63M-1-2401** is enacted to read:

489 **Part 24. Government Procurement Private Proposal Program**

490 **63M-1-2401. Title.**

- 491 This part is known as "Government Procurement Private Proposal Program."  
492 Section 9. Section **63M-1-2402** is enacted to read:  
493 **63M-1-2402. Definitions.**  
494 As used in this part:  
495 (1) "Affected department" means, as applicable, the Board of Education or the  
496 Department of Technology Services.  
497 (2) "Board" means the Board of Business and Economic Development created under  
498 Section 63-38f-301.  
499 (3) "Board of Education" means the Utah State Board of Education.  
500 (4) "Chief procurement officer" means the chief procurement officer appointed under  
501 Section 63-56-203.  
502 (5) "Committee" means the proposal review committee created under Section  
503 63M-1-2404.  
504 (6) "Day" means a calendar day.  
505 (7) "Director" is as defined in Section 63-38f-102.  
506 (8) "Executive Appropriations Committee" means the Legislature's Executive  
507 Appropriations Committee.  
508 (9) "Information technology" is as defined in Section 63F-1-102.  
509 (10) "Office" means the Governor's Office of Economic Development created under  
510 Section 63-38f-201.  
511 (11) "Private entity" means a person submitting a proposal under this part for the  
512 purpose of entering into a project.  
513 (12) "Project" means the subject of a proposal or an agreement for the procurement or  
514 disposal of:  
515 (a) information technology or telecommunications products or services; or  
516 (b) supplies or services for or on behalf of the Department of Technology Services or  
517 the Board of Education.  
518 (13) "Proposal" means an unsolicited offer by a private entity to undertake a project,  
519 including an initial proposal under Section 63M-1-2405 and a detailed proposal under Section  
520 63M-1-2408.  
521 (14) "Services" is as defined in Section 63-56-105.

522 (15) "Supplies" is as defined in Section 63-56-105.

523 (16) "Telecommunications" is as defined in Section 63F-1-102.

524 Section 10. Section **63M-1-2403** is enacted to read:

525 **63M-1-2403. Government Procurement Private Proposal Program -- Proposals --**  
526 **Rulemaking.**

527 (1) There is created within the office the Government Procurement Private Proposal  
528 Program.

529 (2) In accordance with this part, the board may:

530 (a) accept a proposal for a project;

531 (b) solicit comments, suggestions, and modifications to a project in accordance with  
532 Section 63G-6-408.5; and

533 (c) make rules in accordance with Title 63, Chapter 46a, Utah Administrative  
534 Rulemaking Act, establishing requirements for the procurement of a project to the extent not  
535 governed by Title 63, Chapter 56, Utah Procurement Code.

536 Section 11. Section **63M-1-2404** is enacted to read:

537 **63M-1-2404. Committee for reviewing proposals -- Appointment -- Accepting or**  
538 **rejecting proposal.**

539 (1) The director shall appoint a committee composed of members of the board to  
540 review and evaluate a proposal submitted in accordance with this part.

541 (2) The director shall determine the number of board members that constitute a  
542 committee.

543 (3) The committee shall, at all times, consist of less than a quorum of the members of  
544 the board, as established under Section 63-38f-301.

545 (4) A committee member shall serve on the committee until:

546 (a) replaced by the director; or

547 (b) the committee member ceases to be a member of the board.

548 (5) The director may fill a vacancy among voting members on the committee.

549 (6) The committee shall include the following nonvoting members in addition to the  
550 members appointed under Subsection (1):

551 (a) a member of the Senate, appointed by the president of the Senate; and

552 (b) a member of the House of Representatives, appointed by the speaker of the House

553 of Representatives, who may not be from the same political party as the member of the Senate  
554 appointed under Subsection (6)(a).

555 (7) (a) A vacancy among legislative members appointed under Subsection (6) shall be  
556 filled by the president of the Senate or the speaker of the House of Representatives,  
557 respectively.

558 (b) At the time of appointment or reappointment, the president of the Senate and the  
559 speaker of the House of Representatives shall consult to ensure that the legislative members  
560 appointed under Subsection (6) are not members of the same political party.

561 (8) A committee member is subject to Title 67, Chapter 16, Utah Public Officers' and  
562 Employees' Ethics Act, and any additional requirement established by the board in accordance  
563 with Title 63, Chapter 46a, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.

564 (9) The committee shall inform a private entity of the committee's decision to approve  
565 or reject a proposal in writing.

566 (10) If the committee, in its sole discretion, accepts a proposal, the proposal shall be  
567 evaluated under this part.

568 (11) If the committee, in its sole discretion, rejects a proposal, the committee shall  
569 notify the private entity of the reason for the rejection and shall return any remaining portion of  
570 the fee required under Section 63M-1-2412.

571 Section 12. Section **63M-1-2405** is enacted to read:

572 **63M-1-2405. Initial proposal -- Requirements.**

573 (1) In accordance with this part, a private entity may at any time submit to the  
574 committee an initial proposal for a project.

575 (2) An initial proposal shall include:

576 (a) a conceptual description of the project;

577 (b) a description of the economic benefit of the project to the state and the affected  
578 department;

579 (c) information concerning the products, services, and supplies currently being  
580 provided by the state, that are similar to the project;

581 (d) an estimate of the following costs associated with the project:

582 (i) design;

583 (ii) implementation;

584 (iii) operation and maintenance; and  
585 (iv) any other related project cost; and  
586 (e) the name and address of a person who may be contacted for further information  
587 concerning the initial proposal.

588 (3) A private entity submitting an initial proposal under this section shall pay the fee  
589 required by Section 63M-1-2412 when the initial proposal is submitted.

590 (4) An initial proposal submitted under this section is a protected record under Title 63,  
591 Chapter 2, Government Records Access and Management Act, until the chief procurement  
592 officer initiates a procurement process in accordance with Section 63G-6-408.5.

593 (5) The board shall make rules in accordance with Title 63, Chapter 46a, Utah  
594 Administrative Rulemaking Act, detailing the portions of an initial proposal that remain  
595 protected after the chief procurement officer initiates a procurement process.

596 Section 13. Section **63M-1-2406** is enacted to read:

597 **63M-1-2406. Review of initial proposal -- Affected department review.**

598 (1) The committee shall review and evaluate an initial proposal submitted in  
599 accordance with:

600 (a) this part; and

601 (b) any rule established by the board under Section 63M-1-2403.

602 (2) If, within 15 days after receipt of an initial proposal, the committee, in its sole  
603 discretion, determines to proceed with the project, the committee shall submit a copy of the  
604 initial proposal to:

605 (a) the affected department; and

606 (b) the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

607 (3) (a) An affected department receiving a copy of the initial proposal under Subsection  
608 (2) shall review the initial proposal and provide the committee with any comment, suggestion,  
609 or modification to the project no later than 30 days after the day on which the committee  
610 submits the initial proposal to the affected department.

611 (b) Within 30 days after the day on which it receives an initial proposal, the Governor's  
612 Office of Planning and Budget shall prepare an economic feasibility report containing:

613 (i) information concerning the economic feasibility and effectiveness of the project  
614 based upon competent evidence;

615 (ii) a dollar amount representing the total estimated fiscal impact of the project to the  
616 affected department and the state; and

617 (iii) any other matter the committee requests or is required by the board by rule.

618 (4) In reviewing an initial proposal, the affected department may share portions of the  
619 initial proposal with any other state entity or school district that will be directly affected if the  
620 proposal is ultimately adopted, if the confidentiality of the initial proposal is maintained.

621 (5) If, within 30 days after receipt of the affected department's review of the initial  
622 proposal under Subsection (3), the committee determines to proceed with the project, the  
623 committee shall submit a copy of the initial proposal, including any comment, suggestion, or  
624 modification to the initial proposal, to:

625 (a) the chief procurement officer in accordance with Section 63G-6-408.5; and

626 (b) the Executive Appropriations Committee, for informational purposes.

627 (6) Before taking any action under Subsection (5), the committee shall consider:

628 (a) any comment, suggestion, or modification to the initial proposal submitted by the  
629 affected department in accordance with Subsection (3);

630 (b) the extent to which the project is practical, efficient, and economically beneficial to  
631 the state and the affected department;

632 (c) the economic feasibility report prepared by the Governor's Office of Planning and  
633 Budget; and

634 (d) any other reasonable factor identified by the committee or required by the board by  
635 rule.

636 Section 14. Section **63M-1-2407** is enacted to read:

637 **63M-1-2407. Acceptance of initial proposal -- Obtaining detailed proposals.**

638 (1) If an initial proposal is accepted under Section 63M-1-2406, the chief procurement  
639 officer shall:

640 (a) take action under Section 63G-6-408.5 to initiate a procurement process to obtain  
641 one or more detailed proposals using information from portions of the initial proposal that are  
642 not protected records under Title 63, Chapter 2, Government Records and Access Management  
643 Act;

644 (b) consult with the committee during the procurement process; and

645 (c) submit all detailed proposals that meet the guidelines established under Subsection

646 63M-1-2408(1), including the detailed proposal submitted by the private entity that submitted  
647 the initial proposal for the project, to:

648 (i) the committee; and

649 (ii) the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

650 (2) The office is considered the purchasing agency for a procurement process initiated  
651 under this part.

652 Section 15. Section **63M-1-2408** is enacted to read:

653 **63M-1-2408. Detailed proposal -- Requirements -- Cooperation of affected**  
654 **department.**

655 (1) A detailed proposal submitted in response to a procurement process initiated under  
656 Section 63M-1-2407 shall include:

657 (a) a conceptual description of the project, including the scope of the work;

658 (b) a description of the economic benefit of the project to the state and the affected  
659 department;

660 (c) an estimate of the design, implementation, operation, maintenance, or other costs  
661 associated with the project;

662 (d) information concerning the information technology or telecommunication product  
663 and service or other supply or service currently provided by the state that is similar to the  
664 project being proposed, if applicable;

665 (e) a statement setting forth the private entity's general plan for financing the project,  
666 including any appropriation by the Legislature or other public monies and, if applicable, the  
667 sources of the private entity's funds and identification of any dedicated revenue source or  
668 proposed debt or equity investment on behalf of the private entity;

669 (f) the name and address of the person who may be contacted for further information  
670 concerning the detailed proposal;

671 (g) a statement describing the private entity's experience with other similar projects and  
672 a description of why the private entity is best qualified for the project; and

673 (h) any other information;

674 (i) reasonably requested by the affected department or the committee, or required by  
675 the board by rule; or

676 (ii) that the private entity considers necessary or appropriate to complete or describe

677 the detailed proposal.

678 (2) To assist each private entity in preparing a detailed proposal:

679 (a) the affected department shall provide each private entity with access to all  
680 information, records, documents, and reports related to the proposal and the project that are  
681 designated public records under Title 63, Chapter 2, Government Records Access and  
682 Management Act; and

683 (b) the affected department and the committee shall cooperate with each private entity  
684 to assist the private entity in the development of a detailed proposal that is:

685 (i) practical;

686 (ii) efficient; and

687 (iii) economically beneficial to the state and the affected department.

688 (3) The committee or any private entity may choose to terminate the development of  
689 the detailed proposal at any time before the submission of the detailed proposal to the chief  
690 procurement officer under Section 63G-6-408.5.

691 Section 16. Section **63M-1-2409** is enacted to read:

692 **63M-1-2409. Receipt of detailed proposals -- Economic feasibility report --**

693 **Acceptance of a detailed proposal.**

694 (1) If the committee, in its sole discretion, determines that a detailed proposal does not  
695 substantially meet the guidelines established under Subsection 63M-1-2408(1), the committee  
696 may elect not to review the detailed proposal.

697 (2) Within 30 days after the day on which it receives a detailed proposal, the  
698 Governor's Office of Planning and Budget shall update the economic feasibility report prepared  
699 under Section 63M-1-2406.

700 (3) In determining which, if any, of the detailed proposals to accept, in addition to the  
701 proposal evaluation criteria, the committee shall consider the following factors:

702 (a) any comment, suggestion, or modification offered by the affected department in  
703 accordance with Subsection 63M-1-2406(3);

704 (b) the economic feasibility report updated in accordance with Subsection (2)(a);

705 (c) the source of funding and any resulting constraint necessitated by the funding  
706 source;

707 (d) any alternative funding proposal;

708 (e) the extent to which the project is practical, efficient, and economically beneficial to  
709 the state and the affected department; and

710 (f) any other reasonable factor identified by the committee or required by the board by  
711 rule.

712 (4) If the committee accepts a detailed proposal, the accepted detailed proposal shall be  
713 submitted to the board for approval.

714 (5) A detailed proposal received from a private entity other than the private entity that  
715 submitted the initial proposal may not be accepted in place of the detailed proposal offered by  
716 the private entity that submitted the initial proposal solely because of a lower cost if the lower  
717 cost is within the amount of the fee paid by the private entity that submitted the initial proposal  
718 for review of the initial proposal.

719 Section 17. Section **63M-1-2410** is enacted to read:

720 **63M-1-2410. Project agreement.**

721 (1) If, within 30 days after the day on which the committee accepts a detailed proposal  
722 under Section 63M-1-2409, the board accepts the detailed proposal, the director shall:

723 (a) prepare a project agreement in consultation with the affected department and any  
724 other state entity directly impacted by the detailed proposal; and

725 (b) enter into the project agreement with the private entity.

726 (2) A project agreement shall be signed by the director, the affected department, and  
727 the private entity within 30 days after the day on which the board approves the detailed  
728 proposal under Subsection (1) or a longer time determined by the chief procurement officer.

729 (3) A project agreement shall include provisions concerning:

730 (a) the scope of the project;

731 (b) the pricing method of the project;

732 (c) the director's or the state's ability to terminate for convenience or for default, and  
733 any termination compensation to be paid to the private entity, if applicable;

734 (d) the ability to monitor performance under the project agreement;

735 (e) the appropriate limits of liability;

736 (f) the appropriate transition of services, if applicable;

737 (g) the exceptions from applicable rules and procedures for the implementation and  
738 administration of the project by the affected department, if any;

739 (h) the clauses and remedies applicable to state contracts under Title 63, Chapter 56,  
740 Part 6, Contract Clauses; and

741 (i) any other matter reasonably requested by the committee or required by the board by  
742 rule.

743 (4) A copy of the signed project agreement shall be submitted to:

744 (a) the affected department; and

745 (b) the Executive Appropriations Committee.

746 (5) A project agreement is considered a contract under Title 63, Chapter 56, Utah  
747 Procurement Code.

748 (6) The affected department shall implement and administer the project agreement in  
749 accordance with rules made under Title 63, Chapter 46a, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act,  
750 except as modified by the project agreement under Subsection (3)(g).

751 Section 18. Section **63M-1-2411** is enacted to read:

752 **63M-1-2411. Advisory committee.**

753 (1) The director may appoint an advisory committee comprised of:

754 (a) representatives of:

755 (i) the affected department for the proposal;

756 (ii) the Department of Human Resource Management; and

757 (iii) the Division of Risk Management;

758 (b) members of the public; and

759 (c) other members.

760 (2) Members of an advisory committee shall receive no compensation or benefits for  
761 their services, but may receive per diem and expenses incurred in the performance of the  
762 members' official duties at the rates established by the Division of Finance under Sections  
763 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107.

764 (3) Members of an advisory committee may decline to receive per diem and expenses  
765 for their service.

766 (4) An advisory committee appointed in accordance with Subsection (1) may not  
767 participate in the final decision-making of the committee or the board.

768 (5) The staff, any outside consultant, and any advisory subcommittee shall:

769 (a) provide the committee and the board with professional services, including

770 architectural, engineering, legal, and financial services, to develop rules and guidelines to  
771 implement the program described in this part; and

772 (b) assist the committee and the board in:

773 (i) reviewing and commenting on initial proposals;

774 (ii) reviewing and commenting on detailed proposals; and

775 (iii) preparing and negotiating the terms of any project agreement.

776 Section 19. Section **63M-1-2412** is enacted to read:

777 **63M-1-2412. Private Proposal Restricted Account -- Fees.**

778 (1) There is created a restricted account within the General Fund called the Private  
779 Proposal Restricted Account.

780 (2) Monies collected from the payment of a fee required by this part shall be deposited  
781 in the Private Proposal Restricted Account.

782 (3) Subject to appropriation by the Legislature, the board or the committee may use the  
783 monies in the Private Proposal Restricted Account to offset:

784 (a) the expense of hiring staff and engaging any outside consultant; and

785 (b) any expense incurred by the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget or the  
786 affected department in the fulfillment of its duties under this part.

787 (4) The board shall establish a fee in accordance with Section 63-38-3.2 for:

788 (a) reviewing an initial proposal;

789 (b) reviewing any detailed proposal; and

790 (c) preparing any project agreement.

791 (5) The board may waive the fee established under Subsection (4) if the board  
792 determines that it is:

793 (a) reasonable; and

794 (b) in the best interest of the state.