

Legislation Text

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Proposing an amendment to Section 8-200(2) and 8-201 of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter, relating to contracts and concessions for which competitive bidding is required, and providing for the submission of the amendment to the electors of Philadelphia.

WHEREAS, Under Section 6 of the First Class City Home Rule Act (53 P.S. §13106), an amendment to the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter may be proposed by a resolution of the Council of the City of Philadelphia adopted with the concurrence of two-thirds of its elected members; now therefore

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, That the following amendment to the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter is hereby proposed and shall be submitted to the electors of the City on an election date designated by ordinance:

ARTICLE VII PROVISIONS OF GENERAL APPLICATION

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Section 8-200. Contracts.

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(2) If any purchase or contract for which competitive bidding is required involves an expenditure of more than ~~ten~~ *twenty-five* thousand (~~\$10,000~~ *25,000*) dollars which amount shall be adjusted every five (5) fiscal years as rounded to the nearest one thousand (\$1,000) dollars to reflect the percentage change in the most recently published Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) All Items Index, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, the following procedure shall be applicable:

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Section 8-201. Concessions. All concessions granted by any officer, department, board or commission of the City for the sale of products or the rendition of services for a consideration on City property shall be awarded by the Procurement Department only pursuant to the specifications of such officer, department, board or commission after competitive bidding and to the highest responsible bidder in a manner similar to that required by the preceding section relating to contracts for procurement involving an expenditure of more than *twenty-five thousand dollars* (~~\$2,000.00~~ *25,000*).

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Explanation:

~~Strikethrough~~ indicates matter to be deleted.

Italics indicate new matter added.