

SENATE BILL NO. 303

BY SENATOR CLOUD

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1702(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 39:1702(D), relative to the  
3 Louisiana Procurement Code; to provide for cooperative purchasing for information  
4 technology systems; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related  
5 matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 39:1702(A)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 39:1702(D)  
8 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §1702. Cooperative purchasing authorized; participation in federal General Services  
10 Administration vendor list

11 A.(1) Any public procurement unit may either participate in, sponsor,  
12 conduct, or administer a cooperative purchasing agreement for the acquisition of any  
13 supplies, services, personal, professional, consulting, and social services, major  
14 repairs, or construction with one or more public procurement units or external  
15 procurement activities or one or more private procurement units in accordance with  
16 an agreement entered into between the participants. ~~Such cooperative purchasing~~  
17 ~~may include but is not limited to joint or multi-party contracts between public~~  
18 ~~procurement units and open-ended state public procurement unit contracts which are~~



1 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If  
2 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become  
3 effective on the day following such approval.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_