CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u> <u>House</u>

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Representative(s) Kottkamp offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 659 through 755, and insert:

Executive Office of the Governor for approval and notifying the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees of such submission if the effect of the amendment would be to:

- (a) Increase the value of the contract by \$1 million or more for those contracts with a total value of at least \$1 million but less than \$10 million; or
- (b) Increase the value of the contract by 10 percent or more for those contracts with a total value of \$10 million or more.

- An agency shall not divide a contract amendment so as to avoid the requirements of this section.
- (5) In addition to the requirements of subsections
 287.057(13) and (14), prior to the renewal or extension of a
 contract, an agency shall document whether all specific direct
 and indirect costs, savings, performance standards, and
 qualitative and quantitative benefits identified in the contract
 have been met by the contractor and the agency. If the actual
 performance of the contractor does not meet the required
 performance as identified in the contract, the agency shall
 explain the reasons why and provide justification for the
 extensions or renewal of the contract. This documentation shall
 be included in the official contract file.
- Section 8. Section 287.0578, Florida Statutes, is created to read:
- 287.0578 Subsequent inconsistent laws.--Subsequent inconsistent laws shall supersede this act only to the extent they do so by express reference to this section.
- Section 9. Paragraph (b) of subsection (17) of section 287.057, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 287.057 Procurement of commodities or contractual services.--
- (17) For a contract in excess of the threshold amount provided in s. 287.017 for CATEGORY FOUR, the agency head shall appoint:
- (b) At least three persons to conduct negotiations during a competitive sealed reply procurement who collectively have

experience and knowledge in negotiating contracts, contract procurement, and the program areas and service requirements for which commodities or contractual services are sought. When the annual value of a contract is in excess of \$1 million, at least one of the persons conducting negotiations must be certified as a contract negotiator based upon rules adopted by the Department of Management Services.

Section 10. Section 215.4211, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

215.4211 Review of contracts for state agencies.--The Chief Financial Officer may request, as he or she deems necessary, the option to review and provide comments prior to the execution of any contract that is required to be in compliance with the provisions of s. 287.0577(3).

Section 11. Section 216.1817, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

- 216.1817 Limitation on budgetary changes for contractual services procurement; placement of positions in reserve; reestablishment of positions.--Notwithstanding s. 216.351:
- (1) Any budgetary changes for a contractual services procurement that are inconsistent with the agency's approved budget may not be made to existing programs unless such changes are recommended to the Legislative Budget Commission by the Governor, and the Legislative Budget Commission expressly approves such program changes.
- (2) If a procurement of contractual services involves the performance of functions or responsibilities that are being

- 70 shifted from state employees to a contractor, the agency shall 71 identify within the business case prepared pursuant to s. 287.0577 all resources which are affected, including full-time 72 73 equivalent positions. All full-time equivalent positions identified in the business case shall be placed in reserve by 74 the Executive Office of the Governor until the end of the second 75 76 year of the contract. However, in the business case, the agency 77 may account for any savings from the full-time equivalent 78 positions identified and held in reserve. Notwithstanding the 79 provisions of s. 216.262, the Executive Office of the Governor 80 shall request authority from the Legislative Budget Commission to reestablish full-time equivalent positions above the number 81 fixed by the Legislature if a contract is terminated and the 82 performance of the functions or responsibilities must be 83 84 returned to the agency.
 - Section 12. Section 287.074, Florida Statutes, is created to read:
 - 287.074 Actions reserved to public officers or employees.--
 - (1) Only a public officer or a public employee upon whom the public officer has delegated authority shall, consistent with law, take actions including, but not limited to:
 - (a) Selecting state officers or employees;
 - (b) Approving position descriptions, performance standards, or salary adjustments for state employees; and
 - (c) Hiring, promoting, disciplining, demoting, and dismissing a state employee.

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(2) Only a public officer shall, consistent with law, commission and appoint state officers.

Section 13. A contractor, as defined in chapter 287,
Florida Statutes, or its employees, agents, or subcontractors,
may not knowingly participate, through decision, approval,
disapproval, preparation of any part of a purchase request,
investigation, or auditing, in the procurement of contractual
services by an agency from an entity in which the contractor, or
its employees, agents, or subcontractors has a material
interest.

Remove lines 63 through 79, and insert:

for approval; requiring notification of such submission to the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees; prohibiting the division of a contract amendment to avoid specified requirements; requiring documentation of contractor performance prior to renewal or extension of a contract; creating s. 287.0578, F.S.; providing for conditional supersession of the act; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; providing a requirement with respect to the composition of persons chosen to conduct negotiations during a specified competitive sealed reply procurement; creating s. 215.4211, F.S.; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to review contracts for state agencies; creating s. 216.1817, F.S.; permitting budgetary changes

HOUSE AMENDMENT

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124	for a contractual services procurement only under
125	specified conditions; requiring the placement of full-time
126	equivalent positions in reserve under certain conditions;
127	providing for the reestablishment of full-time equivalent
128	positions upon termination of a contract and reversion of
129	functions and responsibilities to the agency; creating s.
130	287.074, F.S.; providing