



GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS BILL

SB2700

<u>Committee</u> STW	<u>Amendment</u> 21
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Senator(s) **Garcia** moved the following amendment:

Section: On Page: 397 Spec App:	<u>EXPLANATION:</u> Requires agencies to give preference to Florida based businesses when contracting for goods and services.
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<u>NET IMPACT ON:</u>	<u>Total Funds</u>	<u>General Revenue</u>	<u>Trust Funds</u>
Recurring -	0	0	0
Non-Recurring -	0	0	0

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In Section On Page 397

INSERT A NEW SECTION 98:

Section 98. (1) Consistent with the principles of promoting employment of state residents, ensuring that the expenditure of state funds benefits state residents, and encouraging economic development within the state, the funds provided in this act for any purchase of goods and services in excess of \$5 million are appropriated to each entity expending such funds to give preference, to the maximum extent possible under or consistent with applicable state and federal laws, to vendors or businesses with a principal place of business in the State of Florida that commit contractually to maximize the use of Florida residents, products and other Florida-based businesses in the fulfillment of their contractual duties.

(2) This section does not apply to any contract that was funded prior to June 1, 2010.

(3) Each state agency shall identify contracts subject to this section and shall report by March 1, 2011, each contractor's compliance with this section to the Agency for Workforce Innovation.

Line item amendments are accepted as part of the amendatory process. However, due to the necessity of using computerized systems this may entail a different placement within a budget entity or the renumbering of the specific appropriation items.
