



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1076

HOUSE BILL NO. 2676

By Representatives Zachary, Hazlewood, Moody, Todd

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1977

By Senators Gardenhire, Yager, Yarbrow, Bowling

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 12 and Title 49, relative to procurement.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 56, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

4-56-110.

(a) For each emergency purchase the central procurement office approves, the office shall report the following to the fiscal review committee within thirty (30) days of the approval:

- (1) Any delegated emergency purchase authority granted by the central procurement office;
- (2) The reasons for granting the authority;
- (3) The name of the state agency receiving the authority;
- (4) The circumstances that require the emergency purchase;
- (5) The procurement-related actions taken in response to the emergency, including the procurement methods used;
- (6) A complete list of goods and services procured, including prices paid and the total purchase amount;
- (7) If applicable, additional purchases expected, including expected price and total purchase amount, as of the time of the report;
- (8) The Edison record identification and Edison vendor identification;
- (9) Total funding for the emergency purchase agreement and funding source; and
- (10) Any additional information requested by the fiscal review committee.

(b) As used in this section, "emergency purchase" means a state agency purchase made during an actual emergency arising from unforeseen causes without the issuance of a competitive solicitation.

(c) This section does not apply to purchases procured pursuant to rules, regulations, policies, or procedures established under § 12-3-503.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-7-102, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(d) Upon agreement of the chair and vice chair, the committee may hold hearings on an emergency purchase reported to the committee pursuant to § 4-56-110.

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SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 27, 2022



CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RANDY MCNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 25th day of May 2022



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR