

# SB1742



## 100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 500/1-15.76 new  
30 ILCS 500/55-25 new

Amends the Illinois Procurement Code. Allows the Department of Innovation and Technology to initiate a proof of concept request to inform the Department for future procurements. Allows the Department to adopt rules to implement the provisions. Defines "proof of concept request".

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by  
5 adding Sections 1-15.76 and 55-25 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 500/1-15.76 new)

7 Sec. 1-15.76. Proof of concept request. "Proof of concept  
8 request" means the process by which a potential purchasing  
9 agency requests a tailored solution from the vendor community  
10 prior to initiating a procurement under provisions of this  
11 Code. A potential purchasing agency may require a small-scale  
12 demonstration of the item or technology that the potential  
13 purchasing agency is seeking.

14 (30 ILCS 500/55-25 new)

15 Sec. 55-25. Proof of concept.

16 (a) The Department of Innovation and Technology may  
17 initiate a proof of concept request. The information gathered  
18 from the proof of concept request may be used to inform the  
19 Department for a future request for proposal, invitation for  
20 bid, sole source procurement request, or other procurement  
21 under this Code.

22 (b) The Department of Innovation and Technology may adopt

1 rules to implement this Section.