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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2724 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 2724 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following: 3 "Section 5. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by 4 5 adding Section 55-30 as follows: 6 (30 ILCS 500/55-30 new) 7 Sec. 55-30. Value-added resellers. (a) If a public institution of higher education or a State 8 agency uses a value-added reseller for the purchase of any 9 10 information technology hardware under this Code, then that public institution of higher education or State agency may 11 12 require the value-added reseller to include in its bid an attestation from the manufacturer of the goods stating that 13

the manufacturer offers the goods for sale to all value-added

resellers at substantially the same terms that apply to the

bidder's purchase of the goods from the manufacturer,

- 1 <u>including price</u>, discounts, commissions, rebates, and other
- 2 <u>incentives that impact the consideration paid for the goods.</u>
- 3 If the public institution of higher education or State agency
- 4 <u>imposes such a requirement, then the specifications for the</u>
- 5 bid must clearly include this requirement.
- 6 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the
- 7 Department of Innovation and Technology and the University of
- 8 Illinois must each include the requirements set forth in
- 9 subsection (a) when making at least one procurement of
- information technology hardware during State fiscal year 2025.
- 11 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the agency
- or public institution of higher education may decline to award
- the bid to the value-added reseller if the agency or public
- institution of higher education determines that the price is
- 15 not competitive.
- 16 (d) As used in this Section:
- "Information technology hardware" means laptops, desktops,
- 18 tablets, monitors, docking stations, telephones, headsets,
- 19 cable cords, computers, servers, and wires.
- 20 "Public institution of higher education" has the meaning
- 21 given to that term in Section 1-13.
- "Value-added reseller" means a company that resells
- 23 information technology hardware and provides value, such as
- 24 <u>installation services</u>, software, or service contracts, in
- 25 addition to the original order fulfillment.

- Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 1
- becoming law.".