1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

- Section 5. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by changing Section 40-15 as follows:
- 6 (30 ILCS 500/40-15)

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- 7 Sec. 40-15. Method of source selection.
- 8 (a) Request for information. Except as provided in 9 subsections (b) and (c), all State contracts for leases of real 10 property or capital improvements shall be awarded by a request 11 for information process in accordance with Section 40-20.
- 12 (b) Other methods. A request for information process need 13 not be used in procuring any of the following leases:
 - (1) Property of less than 10,000 square feet.
- 15 (2) Rent of less than \$100,000 per year.
- 16 (3) Duration of less than one year that cannot be renewed.
 - (4) Specialized space available at only one location.
- (5) Renewal or extension of a lease in effect before

 July 1, 2002; provided that: (i) the chief procurement

 officer determines in writing that the renewal or extension

 is in the best interest of the State; (ii) the chief

 procurement officer submits his or her written

- determination and the renewal or extension to the Board;
- 2 (iii) the Board does not object in writing to the renewal
- 3 or extension within 30 days after its submission; and (iv)
- 4 the chief procurement officer publishes the renewal or
- 5 extension in the appropriate volume of the Procurement
- 6 Bulletin.
- 7 (c) Leases with governmental units. Leases with other
- 8 governmental units may be negotiated without using the request
- 9 for information process when deemed by the chief procurement
- officer to be in the best interest of the State.
- 11 (Source: P.A. 93-133, eff. 1-1-04; 93-839, eff. 7-30-04.)
- 12 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
- 13 2007.