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SENATE RESOLUTION

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that there is created a Senate Task Force on the Illinois Procurement Code for the purpose of examining the bidding process on State of Illinois contracts, particularly on the preference given to Illinois businesses; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That the Senate Task Force on the Illinois Procurement Code shall consist of the following members:

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(1) A chairperson who is a member of the Senate, appointed by the President of the Senate;

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(2) 4 members of the Senate, 2 of whom are appointed by the President of the Senate and 2 of whom are appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;

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(3) 2 staff members of the Department of Central Management Services appointed by the Director of Central Management Services; and

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(4) 2 staff members of the Procurement Policy Board appointed by the Procurement Policy Board; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That the members shall serve on a voluntary basis and shall be responsible for any costs associated with their participation in the Senate Task Force; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That all members of the Senate Task Force shall
2 be considered to be members with voting rights, that a quorum
3 of the Senate Task Force shall consist of a simple majority of
4 the members of the Senate Task Force, and that all actions and
5 recommendations of the Senate Task Force be approved by a
6 simple majority of the members of the Senate Task Force; and be
7 it further

8 RESOLVED, That the Senate Task Force on the Illinois
9 Procurement Code shall meet at the call of the chairperson and
10 shall summarize its findings and recommendations in a report to
11 the Senate no later than January 1, 2008.