HB 1127 -- PURCHASING AUTHORITY

SPONSOR: Hudson

This bill modifies the authority of the Office of Administration as it pertains to purchasing products and services relating to information technology. In its main provisions, the bill:

(1) Authorizes the Commissioner of the Office of Administration to purchase products and services related to information technology instead of departments. It also requires the Commissioner of the Office of Administration to post notices of such proposed purchases on the online bidding/vendor registration system maintained by the Office of Administration instead of departments (Section 34.047, RSMo.); and

(2) Changes the required amount of a single feasible source purchasing authority, that the Commissioner of the Office of Administration must specifically delegate, to being in excess of \$10,000 instead of \$500,000 (Section 34.100).