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KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

July 28, 2009

Ordinance 16609

AN ORDINANCE relating to public works bid

Proposed No. 2009-0424.2

Sponsors Dunn, Ferguson and Phillips

2	requirements; and amending Ordinance 12138, Section 9,
3	as amended, and K.C.C. 4.16.040.
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5	PREAMBLE:
6	State law does not contain an exemption from county public works bid
7	requirements for special market conditions, special facilities, or sole
8	sources of supply. This ordinance makes the King County Code
9	consistent with state law.
10	BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:
11	SECTION 1. Ordinance 12138, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 4.16.040 are
12	each hereby amended to read as follows:
13	A. The competitive procurement provisions of this chapter shall not apply to the
14	lease or purchase of tangible personal property or to services of any kind ((which)) that
15	are clearly and legitimately limited to a single source of supply or ((which)) that involve
16	special facilities or special market conditions, in which instances the lease or purchase
17	price shall be established by direct negotiations by the manager. ((The executive shall

18	approve)) Executive approval is required for such leases or purchases in excess of
19	twenty-five thousand dollars.
20	B. Notwithstanding subsection A. of this section, the competitive bidding
21	requirements for public works may not be waived on the basis of single source of supply,
22	special facilities or special market conditions.
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	Ordinance 16609 was introduced on 7/13/2009 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 7/27/2009, by the following vote:
	Yes: 7 - Mr. Constantine, Mr. Ferguson, Ms. Hague, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Mr. Phillips and Mr. Dunn No: 0 Excused: 2 - Ms. Lambert and Ms. Patterson
	KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON
	ATTEST: Dow Constantine, Chair RECEIV CLERK OCUNTY OCUN
	Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council
	APPROVED this The day of August, 2009. Kurt Triplett, County Executive

Attachments

None