

KANSAS PROCUREMENT CODE

Fiscal Year End: June 30

1. **Pre-qualifications:** None.
2. **Auto-drop:** None.
3. **Life Cycle Costing (LCC):** Evaluations based on LCC are allowed if stated in the bid specifications.
 - a. **19.1.3 KSA 75-3739 (f)** → Subject to the provisions of subsection (e), contracts and purchases shall be based on specifications approved by the director of purchases. When deemed applicable and feasible by the director of purchases, such specifications shall include either energy efficiency standards or appropriate life cycle cost formulas, or both, for all supplies, materials, equipment and contractual services to be purchased by the state. The director of purchases may reject a contract or purchase on the basis that a product is manufactured or assembled outside the United States. No such specifications shall be fixed in a manner to effectively exclude any responsible bidder offering comparable supplies, materials, equipment or contractual services.
4. **Piggybacking:** Allowed.
 - a. **19.1.3 KSA 75-3739.i** → The director of purchases may participate in, sponsor, conduct, or administer a cooperative purchasing agreement or consortium for purchases of supplies, materials, equipment, and contractual services with federal agencies or agencies of other states or local units of government. Cooperative purchasing agreements entered into under this subsection shall not be subject to K.S.A. 75-3739 through 75-3740a, and amendments thereto. Nothing in this subsection shall allow federal grant moneys to be handled differently from any other moneys of the state unless the requirements of the applicable federal grant specifically require such federal moneys to be handled differently
5. **Recycle Preferences:** Preference for recycled paper products in case of tie bid
6. **Minority/Small/Disadvantaged Business Enterprise preferences:** None.
7. **Cooperative Purchasing**

National IPA

The City of Tucson, AZ has awarded a national cooperative purchasing agreement available to agencies through National Intergovernmental Purchasing Alliance (National IPA). Visit the National IPA website for state specific information <http://www.nationalipa.org/statutes.html>

National Joint Powers Alliance (NJPA)

NJPA currently supports over 100 national contracts for products and services that are available to local governmental agencies and other not for profit entities. Additional information can be found by visiting NJPA's State Procurement Resources web site.

<http://www.njpacoop.org/national-cooperative-contract-solutions/legal-authority/>

*****Kansas Statutes (State Division of Purchasing Policy and Procedures):**

<http://www.da.ks.gov/purch/default.htm>