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SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 197

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 1-1-15 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW CHAPTER** TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]:

Chapter 15. Prohibited Technology Purchases

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "political subdivision" has the meaning set forth in IC 36-1-2-13.

Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "prohibited person" refers to a person that has been designated as posing a national security threat to the integrity of communications networks or the communications supply chain under 47 CFR 54.9.

Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "state agency" means an authority, board, branch, commission, committee, department, division, or other instrumentality of any of the following:

- (1) The executive, including the administrative department of state government.
- (2) The legislative department of state government.
- (3) The judicial department of state government.
- (4) A state educational institution.
- (5) A body corporate and politic created by statute.

Sec. 4. Money appropriated by the general assembly or a political subdivision may not be granted to or used to purchase or

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obtain any equipment or services produced or provided by a prohibited person.

Sec. 5. A prohibited person is not considered responsible or best for purposes of determining whether a bidder or offeror is responsible or best under any of the following:

- (1) IC 4-13.6.
- (2) IC 5-16.
- (3) IC 5-22.
- (4) IC 8-23-9.
- (5) IC 36-1-12.
- (6) Any other statute under which a state agency or political subdivision awards a contract.

SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.



President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Governor of the State of Indiana

Date: _____ Time: _____

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