

SENATE BILL No. 197

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 1-1-15.

Synopsis: Prohibited technology purchases. Defines "prohibited person" as a person that has been designated as posing a national security threat to the integrity of communications networks or the communications supply chain under a Federal Communications Commission rule. Prohibits money appropriated by the general assembly or a political subdivision from being granted to or used to purchase or obtain any equipment or services produced or provided by a prohibited person.

Effective: Upon passage.

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January 6, 2020, read first time and referred to Committee on Homeland Security and Transportation.



Second Regular Session of the 121st General Assembly (2020)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2019 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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

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

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

4 **Chapter 15. Prohibited Technology Purchases**
5 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "political subdivision" has the**
6 **meaning set forth in IC 36-1-2-13.**

7 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "prohibited person" refers to a**
8 **person that has been designated as posing a national security**
9 **threat to the integrity of communications networks or the**
10 **communications supply chain under 47 CFR 54.9 (as in effect on**
11 **January 1, 2020).**

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

- 15 (1) **The executive, including the administrative department of**
16 **state government.**
17 (2) **The legislative department of state government.**



- 1 **(3) The judicial department of state government.**
- 2 **(4) A state educational institution.**
- 3 **(5) A body corporate and politic created by statute.**
- 4 **Sec. 4. Money appropriated by the general assembly or a**
- 5 **political subdivision may not be granted to or used to purchase or**
- 6 **obtain any equipment or services produced or provided by a**
- 7 **prohibited person.**
- 8 **Sec. 5. A prohibited person is not considered responsible or best**
- 9 **for purposes of determining whether a bidder or offeror is**
- 10 **responsible or best under any of the following:**
- 11 **(1) IC 4-13.6.**
- 12 **(2) IC 5-16.**
- 13 **(3) IC 5-22.**
- 14 **(4) IC 8-23-9.**
- 15 **(5) IC 36-1-12.**
- 16 **(6) Any other statute under which a state agency or political**
- 17 **subdivision awards a contract.**
- 18 **SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.**

