

Amend CSHB 1372 by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read as follows and by renumbering existing SECTIONS accordingly:

SECTION _____. Section 497.022, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 497.022. CONTRACTS. The department may contract with:

(1) another state, the federal government, a foreign government, or an agency of any of those governments to manufacture for or sell to those governments prison-made articles or products; ~~[or]~~

(2) a private primary or secondary school or a private or independent institution of higher education to manufacture for or sell to that school or institution prison-made articles or products; or

(3) a private school or a visually handicapped person in this state to manufacture Braille textbooks or other instructional aids for the education of visually handicapped persons.