**Section 1400.4526 Environmentally Preferable Procurement**

*Notwithstanding any rule, regulation, statute, order, or policy of any kind,* the Treasurer's office *shall contract for supplies and services that are environmentally preferable. If, however, contracting for an environmentally preferable supply or service would impose an undue economic or practical hardship on the* Treasurer's office*, or if an environmentally preferable supply or service cannot be used to meet the requirements of the* Treasurer's office*, then the* Treasurer's office *need not contract for an environmentally preferable supply or service. Specifications for contracts, at the discretion of the* Treasurer's office*, may include a price preference of up to 10% for environmentally preferable supplies or services.* [30 ILCS 500/45-26]

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