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A bill to be entitled

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An act relating to transportation services procurement; creating s. 287.0836, F.S.; requiring agencies to consider certain criteria when issuing a request for proposal or invitation to negotiate for specified transportation services; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Section 287.0836, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

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287.0836 Sustainable transportation services

procurements.— An agency must consider the following criteria
when evaluating a proposal or reply received pursuant to a
request for proposal or an invitation to negotiate for services
related to cargo, freight, or package delivery:

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(1) Whether the vendor uses alternative fuels, including natural gas fuel as defined in s. 377.810(2).

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(2) The fuel efficiency of the vehicles used by the vendor.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014.

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