

ENGROSSED SENATE  
BILL NO. 5

By: Corn, Gumm and Leftwich of  
the Senate

and

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[ state government - Oklahoma Central Purchasing Act  
- telephone call centers -

effective date ]

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2001, Section 85.7a, is  
amended to read as follows:

Section 85.7a A. The Department of Central Services may  
require each bidder for an open market contract or a statewide  
contract for supplies, equipment or materials to provide information  
as to the manufacturer and country of origin of any such supplies,  
equipment or materials as specified by labels attached to the  
supplies, equipment or materials where such identification is  
required by federal or state law. If an item has more than one  
component part or accessory which may have been manufactured in more  
than one country, the bidder may specify the countries of origin for  
only the major component parts or accessories as determined by the  
Department where such identification is required by federal or state  
law.

B. Any open market contract or statewide contract may require  
the contractor to obtain from all ~~of his~~ subcontractors information  
as to the manufacturer and country or countries of origin of any  
supplies, equipment or materials provided to the state where such  
identification is required by federal or state law.

C. The Department shall require each contract for a telephone  
call center or similar services to include a provision that the

persons who will be providing such services to members of the public  
be physically located in the United States. As used in this  
subsection, "telephone call center" means an establishment engaged  
in answering telephone calls and relaying messages to the public or  
providing information to the public by telephone on a contract or  
fee basis.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2005.

Passed the Senate the 14th day of March, 2005.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
2005.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives