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- a. The Management Agreements negotiated by the institutions contained in Chapters 675 and 685 of the 2009 Acts of Assembly shall continue in effect unless the Governor, the General Assembly, or the institutions determine that the Management Agreements need to be renegotiated or revised.
- b. Notwithstanding the small purchase thresholds set forth in the Rules Governing Procurement the small purchases thresholds for Level III institutions shall be the small purchase thresholds set forth in the Virginia Public Procurement Act (§ [2.2-4300](#) et seq). Where small purchase thresholds under Rules Governing Procurement for Level III institutions exceed those in [2.2-4300](#) et seq, the Rules Governing Procurement shall be the authorized procurement threshold.
- c. Consistent with the 2019 updates to the Virginia Public Procurement Act, institutions of higher education that have Management Agreements are permitted to conform their Request for Proposal advertising rules to that of § [2.2-4302.2.A.2](#)
- d. References in this act to public institutions of higher education that have a Management Agreement with the Commonwealth of Virginia pursuant to the Restructured Higher Education Financial and Administrative Operations Act shall include those governed by Chapters 933 and 943 of the 2006 Acts of Assembly, Chapters 594 and 616 of the 2008 Acts of Assembly, Chapters 675 and 685 of the 2009 Acts of Assembly, Chapters 124 and 125 of the 2019 Acts of Assembly, and Chapters 76 and 77 of the 2021 Acts of Assembly, Special Session I.