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Per Office of State Procurement R9:19-11-229(1) - "The State Procurement Director or agency procurement official may waive technicalities (small details) or minor irregularities (something irregular in form or nature) in bids which do not affect the material substance of the bids when it is in the state's best interest to do so."

In this instance, a complete paper bid was submitted, but the electronic version was not. This is a technicality that does not affect the material substance of the bid. In an attempt to promote transparency and competition, in furtherance of the purpose of Arkansas Procurement Law, I find that it is in the state's best interest to waive this technicality

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