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**APPLICATION PACKAGES**  
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It is the state policy that all feasibility studies will address the availability, usability, maintainability and cost effectiveness of prewritten and tested application programs in lieu of developing major programs in-house. The objective is to minimize the development time and costs of major application programs when such programs are available from other sources.