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261—112.9 (15,83GA,SF142) Application selection criteria. In reviewing applications for technical assistance, the committee shall consider the following criteria:

- **112.9(1)** Experience in identifying and successfully recruiting management talent for Iowa targeted industries.
- 112.9(2) Formal linkages to associations and individual members of international organizations providing management talent recruitment.
 - 112.9(3) Number of Iowa targeted industries involved in the application.
- **112.9(4)** Established information, and methods for the identification, due diligence, profiling, and connectivity ability of management talent recruitment.

112.9(5) Strength of the business plan in the following areas:

- a. Description of the company and the overall industry;
- b. Product and production plan;
- c. Market, competition, and the marketing strategy;
- d. Executive or operations management; and
- e. Financial information and business capitalization plan.
- 112.9(6) Management team, management expertise, and background (including education, training, work experience, and other factors) which will be provided to the business.
 - 112.9(7) Budget, financial matching, and total leverage.
 - 112.9(8) Return on state investment.

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