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**TO: Purchasing Authority Contacts (PACs)
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RE: FI\$Cal Statewide Procurement Implementation Timeline

The purpose of this Broadcast Bulletin is to provide an update on the timeline for implementation of the statewide procurement functions of the Financial Information System of California (FI\$Cal). FI\$Cal announced earlier this month that the go-live date for statewide procurement functionality has been shifted from summer 2015 to December 2015. Statewide procurement functionality includes the existing BidSync eProcurement functionality; California State Contracts Register (CSCR), the State Contracting and Procurement Registration System (SCPRS), Small Business/Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (SB/DVBE) certification, searching for certified SB/DVBEs and searching for Leveraged Procurement Agreements (LPAs). Users should continue to use the BidSync eProcurement system until implementation of the same functionality is available in FI\$Cal. This extended timeline will result in a new enhanced procurement portal for state customers, vendors and the public that will include a responsive design for ease of use on smart phones and tablets. In the upcoming months the Department of General Services and FI\$Cal will continue to work together on the development of the policies and procedures needed to support reengineered business processes, enhancements to end-user training, and additional outreach to users.

For questions regarding this notification, please contact:

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