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TO: Purchasing Authority Contacts (PACs)
Procurement and Contracting Officers (PCOs)

RE: Non-Information Technology Purchasing Authority for Competitive Goods Dollar Threshold Increase to \$50,000.00 Effective September 1, 2005

In accordance with the Public Contract Code, the Director of the Department of General Services has increased the informal non-information technology goods competitive dollar threshold from \$25,000.00 to \$50,000.00. Every State entity that currently has approved non-IT purchasing authority for competitive goods at a dollar threshold of \$25,000.00 (Standard) is hereby granted an increase to \$50,000.00. State entities that currently have approved non-IT purchasing authority for competitive goods at a dollar threshold other than \$25,000.00, whether higher or lower, will retain the dollar threshold as previously approved (no change). Procurements up to the new dollar threshold of \$50,000.00 are considered informal and are to be conducted in accordance with the Purchasing Authority Manual requirements for informal competitive non-IT goods procurements.

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