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**TO: Small Businesses and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises (DVBEs)  
Procurement and Contracting Officers (PCOs)  
Purchasing Authority Contacts (PACs)  
Small Business and DVBE Advocates  
State Contracting Advisory Network (SCAN)**

**CC: Small Business Advisory Council Members DVBE Advisory Council**

**RE: Regulatory Action Approved – Increases the Ceiling Amount for Small  
Business Certification**

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The Department of General Services (DGS) is pleased to announce the new small business (SB) and microbusiness (MB) certification limits for average annual gross receipts. The new limits are \$14 million for SB and \$3.5 million for MB. The Office of Administrative Law approved these new limits as regulations effective January 20, 2010. The SB regulation changes are in the California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Division 2, Chapter 3, Subchapter 8, section 1896.4(q) and 1896.12(a), (b) and (d). You may view the text [here](#). This action compensates for inflation as required by Government Code section 14837(d)(3).

The DGS thanks the public for its comments.

If you have any questions regarding this notification, please contact:

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