



Joint Communiqué

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TO: Purchasing Authority Contacts (PACs)

Procurement and Contracting Officers (PCOs)

RE: SCPRS¹ Transition from BidSync to FI\$Cal – Additional Information

Background:

On Jan. 4, 2016, the transition from BidSync to FI\$Cal for the State Contract and Procurement Registration System (SCPRS) functionality was completed. Future release, exempt and deferred departments now enter transactions into FI\$Cal SCPRS.

Additional Transition Information:

- 1. Amendments to transactions entered into BidSync SCPRS (prior to January 4, 2016) will need to be made in BidSync SCPRS until March 30, 2016.
- 2. DGS will work with BidSync and the FI\$Cal project to ensure BidSync SCPRS data from July 1, 2015 through January 4, 2016 is converted to FI\$Cal SCPRS by March 30, 2016.
- 3. FI\$Cal SCPRS does not generate a registration number. Therefore, state agencies are no longer required to enter a SCPRS registration number on purchase documents. State Contracting Manual (SCM) Volumes 2 and 3 will be updated to reflect this change.
- 4. A purchase order number is a required field in FI\$Cal SCPRS. Non-FI\$Cal departments entering transactions must retain that purchase order number as a unique identifier for each transaction in the procurement file.

Any state users who have questions about their FI\$Cal system credentials or access should contact their department liaison who can assist with the role mapping process.

• A department liaison list is available on the FI\$Cal Resources page here

Questions related to the FI\$Cal system and its implementation should be addressed to the FI\$Cal Service Center at (855) 347-2250 or fiscalservicecenter@fiscal.ca.gov.

¹ State Contract and Procurement Registration System (SCPRS)

Questions regarding procurement policies should be addressed to the DGS/Procurement Division Purchasing Authority Team at PAMS@dgs.ca.gov.