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**TO: Purchasing Authority Contacts (PACs)
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RE: State Contracting and Procurement Data Dashboards

The purpose of this Broadcast Bulletin is to inform state departments and interested stakeholders of the launch of updated state contracting and procurement data dashboards replacing the two dashboards released in 2019.

The new dashboards are located here: <https://www.dgs.ca.gov/PD/Resources/Page-Content/Procurement-Division-Resources-List-Folder/Intake-and-Analysis-Unit> and are designed to continue to promote government transparency, provide key data points based on frequently asked questions in a user-friendly format making complex data easy to understand. The dashboards address the following:

- **Who buys what?**
 - Search state department spending by fiscal year, acquisition type, and UNSPSC (United Nations Standard Products and Services Code).
- **What is the state buying?**
 - Search spending by UNSPSC; view the state department and vendor details.
 - Search spending by Leveraged Procurement Agreement (LPA) type; view the acquisition type and UNSPSC description.
- **Who is selling to the state?**
 - Search and compare State of California's certified Small Business (SB) and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) firms vs. non-certified SB/DVBE firms spending using UNSPSC to assist state departments and the public in identifying potential contracting opportunities to improve state contracting participation with certified SB/DVBE firms.

Questions relating to the dashboard website including suggestions for future dashboard topics, please email:

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