

General Instructions and Information

State Administrative Manual (SAM) revisions include additions, deletions, or any changes to the SAM. Please attach this completed checklist to the front of the requested SAM revisions.

Mark all revisions clearly **on a copy of the SAM page(s) provided to you by the SAM Unit**. For lengthy revisions to text or images, mark the SAM pages where the revision is to occur and attach the revised text or image to the SAM pages.

After the revisions are approved by the authorized individuals, complete and scan this checklist and email (with the revisions attached) to SAMUnit@dgs.ca.gov.

For questions regarding the SAM revision process contact the [SAM Unit](#).

ITEM	YES (✓)	NO (✓)	N/A (✓)
1. Are the requested revisions clearly marked with RED for additions and strike-through lines for deletions?			
2. Are deletions and additions clearly noted as such? (Not necessary for chapter rewrites.)			
3. Has all the text been reviewed to determine if other revisions are required (e.g., spelling, grammar, rewording for clarification, etc.)?			
4. Have all cross-references been checked (e.g., other SAM sections, codes, regulations, statutes)? (Check the references in the impacted sections.)			
5. Have all impacted SAM authors and impacted state agencies approved the revisions? Provide the name and phone numbers of impacted authors in the "COMMENTS" section below so they may be contacted by SAM Unit staff. (SAM Section 0030 contains telephone numbers of contacts who can direct you to the appropriate author.)			
6. Are any forms affected (i.e., substituted, revised, discontinued)? If yes, attach copies of the new forms to the revision package.			
7. If any Standard (STD.) or General Services (GS) forms are affected, has the Department of General Services (DGS) Forms Management Center processed the form revision? (STD. and GS forms are not revised via the SAM revision process.)			
8. Does the Chapter Index reflect the revisions? If not, please clearly indicate necessary revisions on a copy of the Chapter Index and submit it with the package.			
9. Have you indicated after the section title whether the section is new, revised, or renumbered? (If renumbered, include the former numbers.)			
10. Has your agency's legal office reviewed and approved the revisions?			
11. Does this revision come from a particular Management Memo? If yes, give the memo number in the "COMMENTS" section below.			
12. Have you written and attached a brief summary of all your revisions? (Not necessary for chapter rewrites.)			
13. Is your new or revised SAM content provided in ADA accessible format in accordance with Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG)? Non-compliant content will be rejected.			
14. If you are a Department of General Services division or office:	a. Has the revision been processed for approval through the DGS Executive Office, DGS Office of Legal Services, your deputy director, and impacted DGS offices?		
	b. If this revision impacts the working conditions of employees, has the DGS Labor Relations Section reviewed this revision?		
15. LIST REVISED SAM SECTIONS			

COMMENTS:

Please complete the following to indicate that your revisions are approved for publication in a SAM revision package.

AUTHOR'S (or CONTACT'S) AGENCY (Print)		AUTHOR'S (or CONTACT'S) NAME and TITLE (Print)		TELEPHONE NUMBER	
_____ Author's Approval Signature		_____ Date		_____ Division or Office Chief's Approval Signature	
				_____ Date	