

MANAGEMENT MEMO

NUMBER:
MM 14-06

SUBJECT:

DATE ISSUED:
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STRATEGICALLY SOURCED STATEWIDE CONTRACTS

EXPIRES:
WHEN SUPERSEDED

REFERENCES:

Supersedes Management Memo 05-11

ISSUING AGENCY:
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL
SERVICES

Background

Management Memo (MM) 05-11, "Requirements for the Use of Strategically Sourced Statewide Contracts," announced the California Strategic Sourcing Initiative (CSSI) and established policy for its use.

The Department of General Services (DGS) has now adopted a modified approach to creating statewide contracts that provides additional flexibility to departments and agencies through the use of multiple awards while also supporting the state's certified small business and disabled veteran business enterprise firms through the use of off-ramps. Accordingly, MM 05-11 no longer applies.

Purpose

This MM supersedes MM 05-11, including its reference to the CSSI. Departments will continue to use statewide contracts.

Policy

Policy regarding the use of DGS statewide contracts can be found in the *State Contracting Manual*.

DGS Contact

For additional information about this MM, please contact the DGS Procurement Division's Policy and Procedures Office at: ppo@dgs.ca.gov

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