

State of Georgia **Department of Administrative Services** State Purchasing

Official Announcement #04-11

Tim Gibney, Assistant Commissioner FROM:

DATE: March 21, 2011

ATTENTION: APOs, CUPOs, Purchasing Card Coordinators, Facility

Managers and other Purchasing Officials

TOPIC: Georgia Security and Immigration Affidavit Clarification

DESCRIPTION: Memorandum was received from the Attorney General's

> Office in response to our request, which provided a final determination that the requirement to obtain an affidavit

only applies to contracts related to public works

contracts.

RESOURCES: DOAS website; Georgia Procurement Manual (GPM) section

3.5.1.3. Immigration and Security Compliance

QUESTIONS: Process Improvement

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DOAS Helpdesk

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I am pleased to announce that on March 10, 2011, a memorandum was received from the Attorney General's Office in response to our request which provided a final determination that the requirement to obtain an affidavit only applies to contracts related to public works contracts as referenced in § 50-5-72. Please begin applying this change immediately. Based on this official announcement, the GPM will be revised in July 2011 to be consistent with this finding.

The SPD Official Form, SPD-SP054 Immigration and Security Form (found on the State Purchasing Division website at

http://doas.ga.gov/StateLocal/SPD/Seven/Pages/Home.aspx) will be retained for your use.

Please accept our apologies for the extra work effort that this may have caused you.