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To: Chancellors, Vice Chancellors, Vice Presidents, Deans, Executive Directors, Directors, Department Heads, Chairs and Delegated Procurement Authorities

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Purpose: FY2018 Deadlines – Fiscal Year End

Applicability: All purchases to be paid with FY18 funds

This memorandum outlines FY18 deadlines for the submittal of requisitions in Workday. These deadlines are established to promote the timely processing and receipt of goods and services. Based on both state of Louisiana and LSU Procurement Services requirements – the deadlines apply to all purchases that are to be paid with FY18 state funds, as well as any sponsored program, restricted auxiliary, or other accounts/funds expiring June 30, 2018.

Goods and services must be received and/or rendered by Saturday, June 30th. Departments must aggressively track their FY18 purchasing transactions and perform timely follow-up and expediting activities with suppliers as may be required. Departments must take into consideration the supplier’s quoted delivery times when submitting orders for processing.

All remaining FY18 requisitions, complete in all respects and ready for processing, are to be released to the Procurement Services office as soon as possible and no later than the deadlines below. Procurement Services does not assume responsibility for or guarantee the timely processing of late or incomplete FY18 requisitions.

- May 2 (Wed) Requisitions for Title 38 (construction/renovation projects) ≥ $150,000
- May 2 (Wed) Requisitions for goods and services contracts ≥ $50,000
- May 9 (Wed) Requisitions for goods and services contracts < $50,000 requiring a competitive quotation process be done by Procurement Services
- May 18 (Wed) Requisitions where Department Solicitations (DSOLs) have been obtained
- June 1 (Fri) Requisitions for state contract items (excluding vehicles), university contract items, and items that do not require a competitive bid/quotation process
- June 1 (Fri) Requisitions and Change Orders for Professional, Specialty & Consulting Services > $2,000 but < $50,000
- June 1 (Fri) Requisitions for Title 38 (construction/renovation projects) ≥ $5,000 but < $150,000
- June 15 (Fri) Requisitions for Title 38 (construction/renovation projects) < $5,000
- June 15 (Fri) Requisitions and Change Orders for Professional, Specialty & Consulting Services ≤ $2,000
- June 25 (Mon) Department’s submission of PO change orders.
- June 25 (Mon) Department’s request to cancel supplier website (punch-out) POs that will not be delivered by June 30th. Request must be made via email to purchase@lsu.edu and include written documentation from the supplier confirming cancellation of the goods ordered in their system.
- June 28 (Thurs) PO Change Orders “In Progress” will be denied. Any PO change order not processed by June 29th that are still needed, will need to be recreated by the department starting in July.
- June 30 (Sat) Receipts for goods and services purchased that have been physically received or rendered by June 30th to be paid with 2017-2018 funds must be submitted.

Note: Direct charge/noncompetitive invoices, LaCarte, etc. are subject to Accounting Services’ published FY close-out deadlines and procedures.

This important memorandum should be immediately distributed internally to your appropriate staff. For your convenience, this memo is accessible on our website at www.procurement.lsu.edu (A-Z / Memos). If you have questions, please contact this office.