



## ATTACHMENT A

### COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES CONTRACT COMPLIANCE REGULATIONS NOTIFICATION TO BIDDERS

The contract to be awarded is subject to contract compliance requirements mandated by Sections 4a-60 and 4a-60a of the Connecticut General Statutes; and, when the awarding agency is the State, Sections 46a-71(d) and 46a-81i(d) of the Connecticut General Statutes. There are Contract Compliance Regulations codified at Section 46a-68j-21 through 43 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, which establish a procedure for awarding all contracts covered by Sections 4a-60 and 46a-71(d) of the Connecticut General Statutes.

According to Section 46a-68j-30(9) of the Contract Compliance Regulations, every agency awarding a contract subject to the contract compliance requirements has an obligation to “aggressively solicit the participation of legitimate minority business enterprises as bidders, contractors, subcontractors and suppliers of materials.” “Minority business enterprise” is defined in Section 4a-60 of the Connecticut General Statutes as a business wherein fifty-one percent or more of the capital stock, or assets belong to a person or persons: “(1) Who are active in daily affairs of the enterprise; (2) who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise; and (3) who are members of a minority, as such term is defined in subsection (a) of Section 32-9n.” “Minority” groups are defined in Section 32-9n of the Connecticut General Statutes as “(1) Black Americans . . . (2) Hispanic Americans . . . (3) persons who have origins in the Iberian Peninsula . . . (4) Women . . . (5) Asian Pacific Americans and Pacific Islanders; (6) American Indians . . .” An individual with a disability is also a minority business enterprise as provided by Section 4a-60g of the Connecticut General Statutes. The above definitions apply to the contract compliance requirements by virtue of Section 46a-68j-21(11) of the Contract Compliance Regulations.

The awarding agency will consider the following factors when reviewing the bidder’s qualifications under the contract compliance requirements:

- (a) the bidder’s success in implementing an affirmative action plan;
- (b) the bidder’s success in developing an apprenticeship program complying with Sections 46a-68-1 to 46a-68-17 of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, inclusive;
- (c) the bidder’s promise to develop and implement a successful affirmative action plan;
- (d) the bidder’s submission of employment statistics contained in the “Employment Information Form”, indicating that the composition of its workforce is at or near parity when compared to the racial and sexual composition of the workforce in the relevant labor market area; and
- (e) the bidder’s promise to set aside a portion of the contract for legitimate minority business enterprises. See Section 46a-68j-30(10)(E) of the Contract Compliance Regulations.

The undersigned acknowledges receiving and reading a copy of the "Notification to Respondent's" form.

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Signature

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Date



## ATTACHMENT B

# **BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT**

### INSTRUCTIONS AND OTHER INFORMATION

The following BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT must be completed in full, signed, and submitted with the bid for this contract. The contract awarding agency and the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities will use the information contained thereon to determine the bidders compliance to Sections 4a-60 and 4a-60a CONN. GEN. STAT., and Sections 46a-68j-23 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies regarding equal employment opportunity, and the bidders \_\_\_good faith efforts to include minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers for the work of the contract.

#### 1) Definition of Small Contractor

Section 4a-60g CONN. GEN. STAT. defines a small contractor as a company that has been doing business under the same management and control and has maintained its principal place of business in Connecticut for a one year period immediately prior to its application for certification under this section, had gross revenues not exceeding ten million dollars in the most recently completed fiscal year, and at least fifty-one percent of the ownership of which is held by a person or persons who are active in the daily affairs of the company, and have the power to direct the management and policies of the company, except that a nonprofit corporation shall be construed to be a small contractor if such nonprofit corporation meets the requirements of subparagraphs (A) and (B) of subdivision 4a-60g CONN. GEN. STAT.

#### 2) Description of Job Categories (as used in Part IV Bidder Employment Information)

**MANAGEMENT:** Managers plan, organize, direct, and control the major functions of an organization through subordinates who are at the managerial or supervisory level. They make policy decisions and set objectives for the company or departments. They are not usually directly involved in production or providing services. Examples include top executives, public relations managers, managers of operations specialties (such as financial, human resources, or purchasing managers), and construction and engineering managers.

**BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS:** These occupations include managers and professionals who work with the financial aspects of the business. These occupations include accountants and auditors, purchasing agents, management analysts, labor relations specialists, and budget, credit, and financial analysts.

**COMPUTER SPECIALISTS:** Professionals responsible for the computer operations within a company are grouped in this category. Examples of job titles in this category include computer programmers, software engineers, database administrators, computer scientists, systems analysts, and computer support specialists.

**ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING:** Occupations related to architecture, surveying, engineering, and drafting are included in this category. Some of the job titles in this category include electrical and electronic engineers, surveyors, architects, drafters, mechanical engineers, materials engineers, mapping technicians, and civil engineers.

**BUILDING AND GROUNDS CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE:** This category includes occupations involving landscaping, housekeeping, and janitorial services. Job titles found in this category include supervisors of landscaping or housekeeping, janitors, maids, grounds maintenance workers, and pest control workers.

**CONSTRUCTION AND EXTRACTION:** This category includes construction trades and related occupations. Job titles found in this category include boilermakers, masons (all types), carpenters, construction laborers, electricians, plumbers (and related trades), roofers, sheet metal workers, elevator installers, hazardous materials removal workers, paperhangers, and painters. Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators; drywall and ceiling tile installers; and carpet, floor and tile installers and finishers are also included in this category. First line supervisors, foremen, and helpers in these trades are also grouped in this category..

**INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR:** Occupations involving the installation, maintenance, and repair of equipment are included in this group. Examples of job titles found here are heating, ac, and refrigeration mechanics and installers; telecommunication line installers and repairers; heavy vehicle and mobile equipment service technicians and mechanics; small engine mechanics; security and fire alarm systems installers; electric/electronic repair, industrial, utility and transportation equipment; millwrights; riggers; and manufactured building and



**OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT:** All clerical-type work is included in this category. These jobs involve the preparing, transcribing, and preserving of written communications and records; collecting accounts; gathering and distributing information; operating office machines and electronic data processing equipment; and distributing mail. Job titles listed in this category include telephone operators, payroll clerks, bill and account collectors, customer service representatives, files clerks, dispatchers, shipping clerks, secretaries and administrative assistants, computer operators, mail clerks, and stock clerks.

mobile home installers. First line supervisors, foremen, and helpers for these jobs are also included in the category.

**MATERIAL MOVING WORKERS:** The job titles included in this group are Crane and tower operators; dredge, excavating, and lading machine operators; hoist and winch operators; industrial truck and tractor operators; cleaners of vehicles and equipment; laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand; machine feeders and offbearers, packers and packagers, hand; pumping station operations; refuse and recyclable material collectors; and miscellaneous material moving workers.

### 3) Definition of Racial and Ethnic Terms (as used in Part IV Bidder Employment Information)

White (not of Hispanic Origin)- All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.  
Black (not of Hispanic Origin)- All persons having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.  
Hispanic- All persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Asian or Pacific Islander- All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands. This area includes China, India, Japan, Korea, the Philippine Islands, and Samoa.  
American Indian or Alaskan Native- All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America, and who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.



## BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT

### PART I - Bidder Information

Company Name Street Address City & State Chief Executive	Bidder Federal Employer Identification Number _____ Or Social Security Number _____
Major Business Activity (brief description)	Bidder Identification (response optional/definitions on page 1)  -Bidder is a small contractor. Yes ___ No ___ -Bidder is a minority business enterprise Yes ___ No ___ (If yes, check ownership category)  Black ___ Hispanic ___ Asian American ___ American Indian/Alaskan Native ___ Iberian Peninsula ___ Individual(s) with a Physical Disability ___ Female ___
Bidder Parent Company (If any)	- Bidder is certified as above by State of CT Yes ___ No ___
Other Locations in Ct. (If any)	- DAS Certification Number _____

### PART II - Bidder Nondiscrimination Policies and Procedures

1. Does your company have a written Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity statement posted on company bulletin boards? Yes ___ No ___	7. Do all of your company contracts and purchase orders contain non-discrimination statements as required by Sections 4a-60 & 4a-60a Conn. Gen. Stat.? Yes ___ No ___
2. Does your company have the state-mandated sexual harassment prevention in the workplace policy posted on company bulletin boards? Yes ___ No ___	8. Do you, upon request, provide reasonable accommodation to employees, or applicants for employment, who have physical or mental disability? Yes ___ No ___
3. Do you notify all recruitment sources in writing of your company's Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity employment policy? Yes ___ No ___	9. Does your company have a mandatory retirement age for all employees? Yes ___ No ___
4. Do your company advertisements contain a written statement that you are an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer? Yes ___ No ___	10. If your company has 50 or more employees, have you provided at least two (2) hours of sexual harassment training to all of your supervisors? Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
5. Do you notify the Ct. State Employment Service of all employment openings with your company? Yes ___ No ___	11. If your company has apprenticeship programs, do they meet the Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity requirements of the apprenticeship standards of the Ct. Dept. of Labor? Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
6. Does your company have a collective bargaining agreement with workers? Yes ___ No ___	12. Does your company have a written affirmative action Plan? Yes ___ No ___ If no, please explain.
6a. If yes, do the collective bargaining agreements contain non-discrimination clauses covering all workers? Yes ___ No ___	13. Is there a person in your company who is responsible for equal employment opportunity? Yes ___ No ___
6b. Have you notified each union in writing of your commitments under the nondiscrimination requirements of contracts with the state of Ct? Yes ___ No ___	If yes, give name and phone number. _____ _____

### Part III - Bidder Subcontracting Practices

1. Will the work of this contract include subcontractors or suppliers? Yes ___ No ___  1a. If yes, please list all subcontractors and suppliers and report if they are a small contractor and/or a minority business enterprise. (defined on page 1 / use additional sheet if necessary)	
1b. Will the work of this contract require additional subcontractors or suppliers other than those identified in 1a. above?	Yes ___ No ___



**PART IV - Bidder Employment Information**

Date:

JOB CATEGORY	OVERALL TOTALS	WHITE (not of Hispanic origin)		BLACK (not of Hispanic origin)		HISPANIC		ASIAN or PACIFIC ISLANDER		AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKAN NATIVE	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Management											
Business & Financial Ops											
Computer Specialists											
Architecture/Engineering											
Office & Admin Support											
Bldg Grounds/ Cleaning/ Maintenance											
Construction & Extraction											
Installation , Maintenance & Repair											
Material Moving Workers											
TOTALS ABOVE											
Total One Year Ago											
FORMAL ON THE JOB TRAINEES (ENTER FIGURES FOR THE SAME CATEGORIES AS ARE SHOWN ABOVE)											
Apprentices											
Trainees											



## PART V - Bidder Hiring and Recruitment Practices

1. Which of the following recruitment sources are used by you? (Check yes or no, and report percent used)				2. Check (X) any of the below listed requirements that you use as a hiring qualification  (X)		3. Describe below any other practices or actions that you take which show that you hire, train, and promote employees without discrimination.
SOURCE	YES	NO	% of applicants provided by source			
State Employment Service					Work Expenses	
Private Employment Agencies					Ability to Speak or Write English	
Schools and Colleges					Written Tests	
Newspaper Advertisement					High School Diploma	
Walk Ins					College Degree	
Present Employees					Union Membership	
Labor Organizations					Personal Recommendation	
Minority/Community Organizations					Height or Weight	
Others (please identify)					Car Ownership	
					Arrest Record	
					Wage Garnishments	

Certification (Read this form and check your statements on it CAREFULLY before signing). I certify that the statements made by me on this BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT are complete and true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I understand that if I knowingly make any misstatements of facts, I am subject to be declared in non-compliance with Section 4a-60, 4a-60a, and related sections of the CONN. GEN. STAT.

(Signature)	(Title)	(Date Signed)	(Telephone)
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ATTACHMENT C

*STATE OF CONNECTICUT*  
*OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER*

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EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES INFORMATION

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COMPANY Name \_\_\_\_\_ (“Respondent”)

**Please provide the following information:**

- a. A current list of the titles and years of employment of women and minority key managers and/or senior officers.
- b. Documentation of any promotions in the past three (3) years among
  - i. minority professionals or managers
  - ii. women professionals and managers
- c. A copy of your firm’s equal opportunity and affirmative action policy.
- d. Any other information that would demonstrate the firm’s commitment to expanding diversity in the workplace, including recruiting initiatives, retention and promotion efforts, and ongoing assessment of the firm’s progress.

The undersigned, on behalf of the company identified above, hereby certifies that the information provided in response to this Attachment C is true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief under penalty of false statement.

Certifying Official:

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(type name and title)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public/Commissioner of the Superior Court



## ATTACHMENT D

FORM A3: FOR COMPLETION BY ALL VENDORS BEFORE CONTRACTING

### STATE OF CONNECTICUT - OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER

#### AFFIDAVIT OF THIRD PARTY FEES AND DISCLOSURE OF CONSULTING AGREEMENTS

I, \_\_\_\_\_, a duly authorized officer and/or representative of \_\_\_\_\_, being duly sworn, hereby depose and say that:

1. I am over eighteen (18) years of age and believe in the obligations of an oath.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ (firm name) intends to enter into a contract to furnish services to the Office of the State Treasurer (the "Contract").
3. All third party fees, agreements to pay third party fees, and consulting agreements attributable to the Contract are as follows:

NAME OF PAYEE	DOLLAR AMOUNT PAID OR VALUE OF NON-CASH COMPENSATION <u>AND</u> DATE	FEE ARRANGEMENT	SPECIFIC SERVICES PERFORMED OR TO BE PERFORMED BY PAYEE <sup>1</sup>

(Attach additional copies of this page as necessary.)

**NOTE: For each third party fee or consulting arrangement described above, complete the attached Form A3a.**

4. The information set forth herein is true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief under penalty of perjury.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public/Commissioner of the Superior Court

<sup>1</sup> Please attach documents evidencing the terms of the fee arrangement and services.



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**STATE OF CONNECTICUT - OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER**

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**ADDENDUM TO AFFIDAVIT OF THIRD PARTY FEES**

For each fee arrangement disclosed in the attached Affidavit, please explain whether and how each such payment falls within one or more of the following categories of compensation:

- (1) Compensation earned for the rendering of legal services when provided by an attorney while engaged in the ongoing practice of law;
- (2) Compensation earned for the rendering of investment services, other than legal services, when provided by an investment professional while engaged in the ongoing business of providing investment services;
- (3) Compensation for placement agent, due diligence or comparable tangible marketing services when paid to a person who is an investment professional (i) engaged in the ongoing business of representing providers of investment services, or (ii) in connection with the issuance of bonds, notes or other evidence of indebtedness by a public agency;
- (4) Compensation earned by a licensed real estate broker or real estate salesperson while engaging in the real estate business on an ongoing basis; or
- (5) Payments for client solicitation activities meeting the requirements of Rule 206(4)-3 under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.

For each fee arrangement disclosed in the affidavit, please respond to the following:

- (1) Is the fee paid to a former state employee or public official? If so, please identify such person's former agency, position and the date such employment was terminated.

"Consulting agreement" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 51(b)(1) of P.A. 05-287.

"Third party fees" includes those activities enumerated in Section 3-13j of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Attach additional pages as necessary.



## ATTACHMENT E

### ***STATE OF CONNECTICUT OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER***

#### **Gift Affidavit**

**COMPANY NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ (“Respondent”)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am authorized  
(name and title)

to submit a proposal on behalf of the Respondent. I hereby certify that between April 2, 2007 and the date of the attached proposal that neither I, the Respondent, nor any of its principals or key personnel who participated directly, extensively and substantially in the preparation of the bid or proposal, nor any agent of the above, gave a gift, as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-79(e), including a life event gift as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-79(e)(12), to (1) any public official or state employee of the Office of the State Treasurer who participated directly, extensively, and substantially in the preparation of the bid solicitation or request for proposals for the contract; or (2) any public official or state employee of any other state agency who has supervisory or appointing authority over the Office of the State Treasurer.

Further, neither I nor any principals or key personnel of the Respondent, nor any agent of the above, knows of any action by Respondent to circumvent such prohibition on gifts by providing for any other principals, key personnel, officials, employees of Respondent, nor any agent of the above, to provide a gift to any such public official or state employee.

Further, the Respondent made its bid or proposal without fraud or collusion with any person.

Sworn as true to the best of my knowledge and belief, subject to the penalties of false statement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Sworn and subscribed before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public/Commissioner of the Superior Court



## ATTACHMENT F

### *STATE OF CONNECTICUT - OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER*

#### **CORPORATE CITIZENSHIP**

**COMPANY Name** \_\_\_\_\_ (**“Respondent”**)

For the past three years, please provide the Office of the Treasurer with the following information regarding any of the respondent’s policies/practices that demonstrate respondent’s positive commitment to the communities in which it does business. The following is a representative list of the types of activities that would satisfy this request:

1. A summary of respondent’s charitable giving activities including matching charitable contributions of employees and an outline of respondent’s strategy for charitable giving activities.
2. A representative list of organizations that respondent supports or events that respondent has sponsored; indicate any Connecticut-based groups.
3. A list of names and addresses of women-owned, minority-owned, and emerging businesses with which respondent does business.
4. A brief description of any internship programs respondent offers and the applicable percentage of minority and women recipients.
5. A brief description of any scholarships respondent provides to students and the applicable percentage of minority and women recipients.
6. A description of any written policies maintained by respondent that foster good corporate citizenship, and those that encourage respondent’s employees to volunteer time or make charitable contributions. Particular focus should be given to efforts to promote good corporate citizenship in Connecticut.
7. A description of any written procurement policies or programs used by respondent to foster business relationships with women-owned, minority-owned and/or emerging businesses.
8. Any other information not covered above that would help give the Treasurer a better understanding of respondent’s views on corporate citizenship.



**ATTACHMENT G**

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT - OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER**

**NOTICE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS**

**COMPANY ("Respondent")** \_\_\_\_\_

I \_\_\_\_\_ (name and title) hereby represent that:

1. I have the requisite knowledge and authority, and have made any inquiry necessary, to fully, completely and accurately provide the information requested in this affidavit;

2. I have disclosed in the Supplemental Information attached to this affidavit:

- a. any and all material lawsuits, legal or administrative proceedings or governmental investigations, criminal actions or law enforcement activities (including those by federal, state or local authorities, or self-regulatory organizations) or non-routine Securities and Exchange Commission inquiries or investigations relating to Respondent or any of Respondent's affiliates, including any proceedings to which Respondent, its affiliates, or any of their respective officers, directors or employees is a named party or of which any of such has been the focus, that have occurred in the last five (5) years or that are currently threatened, including whether Respondent or any of its affiliates, or their respective officers, directors or employees has been censured by any regulatory body;
- b. any claim for errors & omissions, fiduciary liability and/or fidelity bond insurance coverage submitted by Respondent, its principals or any of Respondent's affiliates in the past five (5) years;
- c. any and all ongoing internal investigations of any of Respondent's officers, directors or employees, giving specific attention to those persons who would be closely responsible for the products or services sought by the Office of the Treasurer.

3. Except as disclosed in the Supplemental Information attached hereto, I am not aware of any activities of the Respondent, its affiliates, or any officers, directors or employees of the Respondent or its affiliates, that are likely to result in any of the above investigations or proceedings.

4. Respondent has adequate procedures in place to undertake internal investigations of its employees, officers and directors, which procedures are described in the Supplemental Information attached hereto.

The undersigned, on behalf of the Respondent identified above, hereby certifies that the information set forth in response to this Attachment G, including any and all Supplemental Information, is sworn to as true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief, under penalty of false statement.

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn and subscribed before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_\_\_,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public/Commissioner of the Superior Court



**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION to Attachment G**

**Respondent's Name**\_\_\_\_\_

**2a.**

**2b.**

**2c.**

**4.**



**ATTACHMENT H**

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER**

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**CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

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**COMPANY (“Respondent”)** \_\_\_\_\_

In accordance with the State of Connecticut laws and regulations, for the years 2003 to the present, the Respondent must provide the Office of the Treasurer with information regarding any agreements, relationships, retainers or other arrangements that your firm or any employee of your firm has with any other investment banking firm, financial advisory firm, law firm, or other person or entity that may create a conflict of interest or the appearance of a conflict of interest.

Please list any possible, known or potential conflicts of interests with the Office of the Treasurer that the Respondent may have. Please also describe the arrangement and the parties involved. If necessary, the Respondent should attach additional sheets labeled as Supplemental Information to Attachment J.

The undersigned, on behalf of the Respondent identified above, hereby certifies that the information set forth in this Attachment J and any Supplemental Information to Attachment J is true, complete and accurate.

Sworn as true to the best of my knowledge and belief, false statement punishable under law:

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn and subscribed before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_,

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Notary Public/Commissioner of the Superior Court



**NOTICE TO EXECUTIVE BRANCH STATE CONTRACTORS AND PROSPECTIVE  
STATE CONTRACTORS OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND SOLICITATION BAN**

This notice is provided under the authority of Connecticut General Statutes 9-612(g)(2), as amended by P.A. 07-1, and is for the purpose of informing state contractors and prospective state contractors of the following law (italicized words are defined below):

**Campaign Contribution and Solicitation Ban**

No *state contractor, prospective state contractor, principal of a state contractor or principal of a prospective state contractor*, with regard to a *state contract or state contract solicitation* with or from a state agency in the executive branch or a quasi-public agency or a holder, or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to, or *solicit* contributions on behalf of (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee;

In addition, no holder or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to, or solicit contributions on behalf of (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of State senator or State representative, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee.

**Duty to Inform**

State contractors and prospective state contractors are required to inform their principals of the above prohibitions, as applicable, and the possible penalties and other consequences of any violation thereof.

**Penalties for Violations**

Contributions or solicitations of contributions made in violation of the above prohibitions may result in the following civil and criminal penalties:

Civil penalties--\$2000 or twice the amount of the prohibited contribution, whichever is greater, against a principal or a contractor. Any state contractor or prospective state contractor which fails to make reasonable efforts to comply with the provisions requiring notice to its principals of these prohibitions and the possible consequences of their violations may also be subject to civil penalties of \$2000 or twice the amount of the prohibited contributions made by their principals.

Criminal penalties—Any knowing and willful violation of the prohibition is a Class D felony, which may subject the violator to imprisonment of not more than 5 years, or \$5000 in fines, or both.

**Contract Consequences**

Contributions made or solicited in violation of the above prohibitions may result, in the case of a state contractor, in the contract being voided.



Contributions made or solicited in violation of the above prohibitions, in the case of a prospective state contractor, shall result in the contract described in the state contract solicitation not being awarded to the prospective state contractor, unless the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that mitigating circumstances exist concerning such violation.

The State will not award any other state contract to anyone found in violation of the above prohibitions for a period of one year after the election for which such contribution is made or solicited, unless the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that mitigating circumstances exist concerning such violation.

Additional information and the entire text of P.A 07-1 may be found on the website of the State Elections Enforcement Commission, [www.ct.gov/seec](http://www.ct.gov/seec). Click on the link to "State Contractor Contribution Ban."

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## Definitions:

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"State contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that enters into a state contract. Such person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be a state contractor until December thirty-first of the year in which such contract terminates. "State contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Prospective state contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that (i) submits a response to a state contract solicitation by the state, a state agency or a quasi-public agency, or a proposal in response to a request for proposals by the state, a state agency or a quasi-public agency, until the contract has been entered into, or (ii) holds a valid prequalification certificate issued by the Commissioner of Administrative Services under section 4a-100. "Prospective state contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Principal of a state contractor or prospective state contractor" means (i) any individual who is a member of the board of directors of, or has an ownership interest of five per cent or more in, a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is a business entity, except for an individual who is a member of the board of directors of a nonprofit organization, (ii) an individual who is employed by a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is a business entity, as president, treasurer or executive vice president, (iii) an individual who is the chief executive officer of a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is not a business entity, or if a state contractor or prospective state contractor has no such officer, then the officer who duly possesses comparable powers and duties, (iv) an officer or an employee of any state contractor or prospective state contractor who has *managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a state contract*, (v) the spouse or a *dependent child* who is eighteen years of age or older of an individual described in this subparagraph, or (vi) a political committee established or controlled by an individual described in this subparagraph or the business entity or nonprofit organization that is the state contractor or prospective state contractor.

"State contract" means an agreement or contract with the state or any state agency or any quasi-public agency, let through a procurement process or otherwise, having a value of fifty thousand dollars or more, or a combination or series of such agreements or contracts having a value of one hundred thousand dollars or more in a calendar year, for (i) the rendition of services, (ii) the furnishing of any goods, material, supplies, equipment or any items of any kind, (iii) the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work, (iv) the acquisition, sale or lease of any land or building, (v) a licensing arrangement, or (vi) a grant, loan or loan guarantee. "State contract" does not include any agreement or contract with the state, any state agency or any quasi-public agency that is exclusively federally funded, an education loan or a loan to an individual for other than commercial purposes.

"State contract solicitation" means a request by a state agency or quasi-public agency, in whatever form issued, including, but not limited to, an invitation to bid, request for proposals, request for information or request for quotes, inviting bids, quotes or other types of submittals, through a competitive procurement process or another process authorized by law waiving competitive procurement.

"Managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a state contract" means having direct, extensive and substantive responsibilities with respect to the negotiation of the state contract and not peripheral, clerical or ministerial responsibilities.

"Dependent child" means a child residing in an individual's household who may legally be claimed as a dependent on the federal income tax of such individual.

"Solicit" means (A) requesting that a contribution be made, (B) participating in any fund-raising activities for a candidate committee, exploratory committee, political committee or party committee, including, but not limited to, forwarding tickets to potential contributors, receiving contributions for transmission to any such committee or bundling contributions, (C) serving as chairperson, treasurer or deputy treasurer of any such committee, or (D) establishing a political committee for the sole purpose of soliciting or receiving contributions for any committee. Solicit does not include: (i) making a contribution that is otherwise permitted by Chapter 155 of the Connecticut General Statutes; (ii) informing any person of a position taken by a candidate for public office or a public official, (iii) notifying the person of any activities of, or contact information for, any candidate for public office; or (iv) serving as a member in any party committee or as an officer of such committee that is not otherwise prohibited in this section.

End



**Office of the Connecticut State Treasurer  
Legal and Policy Attachments  
Non-investment Services Contracts**

**Directions for completion of Legal and Policy Attachments**

**A link to each of the statutes cited is provided at the end of each section of this document**

A. Attachment A CHRO CONTRACT COMPLIANCE REGULATIONS NOTIFICATION TO RESPONDENTS: This document informs you of the Treasurer's obligation to consider certain factors relating to equal opportunity and affirmative action in her review of all respondents' qualifications, as required under Regulations of the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities, Conn. Agency Regs. §§46a-68j-21 through 43. You may review those regulations by clicking on the following link: <http://www.state.ct.us/chro/metapages/regulations/CCRegs.htm> To complete Attachment A, please read, then sign and date the acknowledgement.

B. Attachment B BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT: Please complete the form, and notarize where indicated. **In addition, we request that you complete Part IV of the form for each of the 2 prior reporting periods (for a total of 3 years of data).**

C. Attachment C EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES INFORMATION: The information requested expands on the information provided in Attachment B, by asking for information on the demographics of Respondents' upper level management, recent promotion statistics, and your equal opportunity and affirmative action policy. Please provide all requested information, being sure to identify it by the subsection to which it responds, and notarize where indicated.

D. Attachment D AFFIDAVIT OF THIRD PARTY FEES PAID OR RECEIVED: Conn. Gen. Stat. § 3-13j requires any person or entity, prior to entering an investment services contract with the State Treasurer, to disclose in writing any payment or receipt of third party fees, or agreement to pay or receive third party fees attributable to the contract. This disclosure requirement for investment services contracts has been extended by the Treasurer, as a matter of public policy, to **all Treasury contracts having a cost to the state of \$50,000 or more**. The following links will provide useful guidance on the types of payments that must be reported and those fees that are impermissible under Conn. Gen. Stat. §3-13j: <http://www.state.ct.us/ott/reform/reforminterincriteria.pdf>, <http://www.state.ct.us/ott/pensiondocs/amendedregulations.pdf>

In addition, you must report on this affidavit any "consulting agreement" entered into in connection with this contract, pursuant to the requirements of Conn. Gen. Stat. §4a-81 (Conn. Public Act 05-287, sec. 51). "Consulting agreement" means "any written or oral agreement to retain the services, for a fee, of a consultant for the purposes of (A) providing counsel to a contractor, vendor, consultant or other entity seeking to conduct, or conducting, business with the state, (B) contacting, whether in writing or orally, any executive, judicial, or administrative office of the state, including any department, institution, bureau, board, commission, authority, official or employee for the purpose of solicitation, dispute resolution, introduction, requests for information or (C) any other similar activity related to such contract. Consulting agreement does not include any agreements entered into with a consultant who is



registered under the provisions of chapter 10 of the general statutes as of the date such affidavit is submitted.” If the consultant identified is a former Connecticut public official or state employee, you must also report the former agency of such consultant and his/her employment termination date. This affidavit must be signed by the chief official of the Respondent. Please provide the requested information, and notarize where indicated. If you have no fees or agreements to report, please insert “none” on the affidavit.

E. Attachment E TREASURY GIFT AFFIDAVIT: State law prohibits state agencies from executing a contract with a person or firm, having a total cost to the state of more than \$500,000 in a calendar or fiscal year, unless the agency receives an affidavit from the person or firm attesting that no gifts as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-79 were given by the firm or by any principals or key personnel of the firm since the date that planning began for the contract. See Conn. Gen. Stat. §4-250 et seq. The Treasurer requires **all** selected vendors to complete a Gift Certification when the contract is executed, regardless of the value of the proposed contract. Please complete the affidavit, and notarize where indicated. You are required to perform the necessary inquiry to enable you to complete this affidavit.

F. Attachment F CORPORATE CITIZENSHIP: All Respondents are asked to demonstrate their commitment to being a good corporate citizen by providing information on charitable and civic activities they sponsor or participate in which improve the communities in which they are located and do business. Attachment F includes a list of representative activities that would satisfy this request. However, if your company engages in other activities that are not listed there, you are encouraged to report them. Please provide information on your corporate citizenship activities.

G. Attachment G NOTICE OF CERTAIN LEGAL PROCEEDINGS: The purpose of this disclosure is to inform the Treasurer of any legal proceedings or investigations in the recent past or that are ongoing that could have a material effect on your ability to perform services for the Treasury or affect your business relationship with this office. Please provide the requested information, and notarize where indicated. Please do not respond by referring the State Treasurer to online filings with public agencies, such as the SEC. It is your obligation to provide the information with your response. If you have no information to report in response to any of the disclosure requests, you may indicate “none” on the Supplemental Information attachment.

#### **Links to Statutes**

Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-79 <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/pub/Chap010.htm#Sec1-79.htm>

Conn. Gen. Stat. § 3-13j <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/pub/Chap032.htm#Sec3-13j.htm>

Conn. Gen. Stat. § 3-13l <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/pub/Chap032.htm#Sec3-13l.htm>

Conn. Gen. Stat. § 4-250 et seq. <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/pub/Chap055c.htm>

Public Act 05-287 sec. 51 <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/ACT/PA/2005PA-00287-R00SB-00096-PA.htm>

H. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST: Please disclose any material conflicts of interest and sign where indicated. If you have no conflicts to report, state “None”.

#### **Links to Statutes**

Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-84 <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/pub/Chap010.htm#Sec1-84.htm>

Conn. Gen. Stat. § 3-13d <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2005/pub/Chap032.htm#Sec3-13d.htm>



I. Attachment I NOTICE TO STATE CONTRACTORS AND PROSPECTIVE STATE CONTRACTORS OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND SOLICITATION BAN (SEEC Form 11): Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 9-612(g) and (h), as amended by Public Act 07-1, for contracts valued at \$50,000 or more in a calendar year, all state agencies are required to provide a Notice to their Prospective State Contractors, informing them of (1) the ban on campaign contributions to and solicitation of contributions on behalf of candidates for statewide elective office, (2) their duty to inform their principals of the law, and (3) the possible consequences of violation of the law. The Notice is Attachment I, hereto. By submitting a proposal, the authorized signatory acknowledges receipt of the State Elections Enforcement Commission's Notice (Attachment I) and will inform its principals of the contents of the Notice. **Links to Statutes**  
Public Act 07-1 <http://www.cga.ct.gov/2007/ACT/PA/2007PA-00001-R00SB-01112-PA.htm>