

## Instructions for Use of Green Lease Solicitation Paragraph Reference Chart

The chart is a resource tool and quick reference guide to help GSA realty professionals and support contractors understand the latest environmental and sustainable text revisions. The chart can be found at [gsa.gov/leasing](http://gsa.gov/leasing) and PBS InSite. The chart is separated by sections consistent with the format of the SFO. Amended sections include Sections 1: Summary, 4: General Architecture, 5: Architectural Finishes, and 6: Mechanical, Electrical, and Plumbing; with the majority of paragraph additions and modifications/updates occurring in Sections 5 and 6 of the SFO. The chart contains:

1. New and modified solicitation text for all lease acquisitions, new solicitation text to be placed in any SFO for lease construction projects, and SFO text for agencies requesting use of LEED<sup>®</sup> for Commercial Interiors (LEED<sup>®</sup>-CI). (All changes are identified in green text on the Reference Chart.)
2. Text intent and required submittal protocol.
3. Resource references and links to applicable regulations and Executive orders such as:
  - a. Executive Order 13423, *Strengthening Federal Environmental, Energy and Transportation Management*.
  - b. The Energy Policy Act (EPACT 2005).
  - c. The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)