

PPD ALERT

Expiration of Federal Express Contract



The purpose of this ALERT is to notify you of the upcoming expiration of GSA's contract with Federal Express (FedEx) and plans to replace this contract **before** the expiration of FedEx takes place.

When will the FedEx contract expire?

August 15, 2001

What are the plans for replacing the FedEx contract?

GSA has awarded a new multiple award schedule that includes four companies to provide for both small package and heavyweight shipping services. The four companies are FedEx, Airborne Express, Emery Worldwide, and Cavalier Logistics Management. The Information Technology Division has taken the lead to obtain the shipping requirements from REE agencies to help determine the best contractor to provide this service. Once the requirements are determined, the appropriate contractual vehicle will be executed. Agencies will be notified when a company has been selected.

How will this impact me?

Purchase cardholders who have established accounts with FedEx to pay for delivery services must cancel their accounts with FedEx by August 15, 2001. Existing Blanket Purchase Agreements with FedEx will be canceled also. Additional instructions will be provided nearer the expiration date relative to the process to be used for placing orders for shipping services.

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