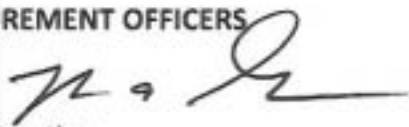




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MEMORANDUM FOR BUREAU CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICERS

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SUBJECT: **Approval of Sourcing Strategies**

Purpose: This APU makes clarifications to the language in DTAP 1007.7105 (c) to address the timing of the SPE approval of waivers.

Effective Date: This DTAP change is effective March 1, 2011.

Background: While updating the Treasury website to include the mandatory strategic sources and waiver process, it became clear that the language at DTAP 1007.7105(c) was potentially confusing. This APU is to clarify the language used in Section (c) of DTAP 1017.7105 on the SPE's approval for waivers to the use of any mandatory sources.

DTAP Change: Accordingly, the DTAP is amended as follows:

Strike out existing 1017.7105(c) and replace with:

"1017.7105 Approval of sourcing strategies.

(c) The SPE must approve waivers to the use of any mandatory sources ."

Cost/Benefit: There is no incremental cost resulting from this clarification to the existing procedure.