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SUBMITTING ACQUISITION PACKAGE DOCUMENTS

Purpose:

The purpose is to create an interim procedure for submitting all documents in support of a Requisition using email instead of uploading documents to the Requisition in C.Request.

Objective:

The primary objective is to provide a consistent means for submission of attachments to the servicing Acquisition Divisions. A secondary objective is to provide quality assurance of the Acquisition Package being submitted.

Procedure:

Once all documents are complete in support of the Acquisition Package, the Requisitioner submits the complete Acquisition Package in accordance with the following steps:

- 1. Requisitioner submits the Requisition via C.Request to their servicing Acquisition Division's C.Buy InBox.
- 2. Requisitioner submits all supporting documentation, including the Acquisition Package Checklist (refer to Procedure AGO-07-P16), via email to the corresponding Acquisition Division mailbox as follows:
 - AD.NES@noaa.gov for NESDIS Acquisition Division
 - AD.NWS@noaa.gov for NWS Acquisition Division
 - AD.SEC@noaa.gov for Staff Office and External Clients Acquisition Division
 - AD.CFR@noaa.gov for NOS, NMFS, and OAR Acquisition Division
 - AD.HPC@noaa.gov for High Performance Computing Acquisition Division
 - For <u>Regional Acquisition Divisions</u>, continue to use the existing process until further notice.
- 3. Requisitioner types the Requisition number issued from C.Request into the Subject Line of the email. Example: "Subject Line: NAAJA000-7-12345".
- 4. The Acquisition Support Team will review the Acquisition Packages received in the email boxes for completeness, not content, per the Acquisition Package Checklist.
- 5. The Acquisition Support Team will contact the Requisitioner if any of the documents are missing.
- 6. The Requisitioner will send the missing documents to the original email address with the same Subject Line (see Step 3).
- 7. The Acquisition Support Team will place the completed set of documents in a shared directory for the servicing Acquisition Division.
- 8. The Contract Specialist will retrieve the Acquisition Package documentation from the share directory.

Effective:

Immediately

Expiration:

Process will end September 30th, 2007.

Definition:

<u>Acquisition Package</u> – a complete set of documents needed to acquire supplies or services to satisfy approved requirements in a timely, efficient manner and at the most reasonable cost to the

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Government. Acquisition packages contain documents which are used internally by the government and other documents which are included in the official solicitation made available to the public.

<u>Acquisition Package Checklist</u> – a one-page form, listing required and discretionary documents for a new Acquisition.

References:

Procedure AGO-07-P16: Completing the Acquisition Checklist NOAA Acquisition Package Checklist (www.ago.noaa.gov/ad/fy07/acqpackagechecklist.shtml)