

**DATE**: December 22, 2010

**TO**: Procurement Directors

FROM: Director, Policy Division

Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy

Office of Procurement and Assistance Management

**SUBJECT:** Acquisition Guide Chapter 19 Update

**SUMMARY:** Acquisition Guide Chapter 19, concerning small business considerations for DOE contracts, has been updated. The update includes changes in federal procurement policy made by P.L. 111-240, Small Business Jobs Act of 2010, and changes in reporting thresholds for awards issued on or after October 1, 2010.

This Flash will be available online at the following website: <a href="http://www.management.energy.gov/policy">http://www.management.energy.gov/policy</a> guidance/policy flashes.htm.

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