



POLICY FLASH 2013-53

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TO: Procurement Directors



FROM: Director
Contract and Financial Assistance Policy Division
Office of Policy
Office of Acquisition and Project Management

SUBJECT: Implementation of Division F, Title I, Title II, and Title III and Division G, Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2013, Pub. L. No.113-6

SUMMARY: Acquisition Letter (AL) 2013-06 and Financial Assistance Letter (FAL) 2013-04 provides implementing instructions and guidance for Division F, Title I, Title II, and Title III and Division G, Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2013, Pub. L. No.113-6.

The AL addresses the following:

Appropriations Act

- Section 301(a) Unfunded Requests for Proposals
- Section 301(b) Congressional Notification of Multi-year Contract Award
- Section 308 Construction of High-hazard Nuclear Facilities
- Section 310 Independent Cost Estimate (ICE) for Critical Decision (CD)-2 and CD-3 DOE O 413.3B Construction Projects
- Section 501 Lobbying Restrictions
- Section 504 Felony Criminal Violations
- Section 505 Unpaid Federal Tax Liability
- Section 738 Prohibition on Contracting with Inverted Domestic Corporations
- Section 743 Any Payment for the Election for a Federal Office or to a Political Committee
- Section 3003 Reporting on Conference Spending

The FAL addresses the following:

Appropriations Act

- Section 301(a) Unfunded Requests for Proposals
- Section 301(b) Congressional Notification of Multi-Year Awards
- Section 316 Lighting Efficiency Standards
- Section 501 Lobbying Restrictions
- Section 504 Felony Criminal Violations
- Section 505 Unpaid Federal Tax Liability
- Section 725 Federal Funds Source Information
- Section 3003 Reporting on Conference Spending

This flash and its attachments will be available online at the following website: <http://energy.gov/management/office-management/operational-management/procurement-and-acquisition/policy-flashes>.

Implementing instructions and guidance pertaining to Section 311, which requires advance notification to Congress for certain acquisitions and financial assistance actions, is addressed in Acquisition Letter/Financial Assistance Letter 2013-05 and 2013-03.

Questions concerning conference spending, should be directed to Jason Taylor at (202) 287-1560 or Jason.Taylor@hq.doe.gov.

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Attachments