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EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2015 MICRO-PURCHASE THRESHOLD WILL INCREASE

Federal Acquisition Circular (FAC) 2005-83 implemented Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Case 2014-22, *Inflation Adjustment of Acquisition-Related Thresholds*. One of the increased thresholds referenced is the micro-purchase threshold.

THE MICRO-PURCHASE BASE THRESHOLD OF \$3,000 (FAR 2.101) IS INCREASED TO \$3,500 EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2015.

The increase in the micro-purchase threshold will allow purchase cardholders with delegations of purchase card authority to use their purchase cards for acquisitions of supplies or services up to \$3,500 if their single purchase limit is increased.

The Procurement Policy Review Group will provide additional information on all increased thresholds in a future Procurement Guidance Document to be published in the immediate near future.

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