

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Department of Administration
Division of Purchases

Concise Summary of Proposed Non-technical Amendments
To
State of Rhode Island Procurement Regulations

In accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, Section 42-35-3(a)(1) of the General Laws of Rhode Island, following is a concise summary of proposed non-technical amendments:

1. R.I.G.L. section 37-2-18 was enacted on June 25, 2010 to provide for redacted public copies of the bid proposals submitted by vendors to Division of Purchases for proposals exceeding one million dollars effective January 1, 2011; on January 1, 2012 all proposals exceeding five hundred thousand dollars; and on January 1, 2013 all other proposals submitted. These regulations (contained primarily in Sections 5.11 and 5.4) comport with the requirements of the statutory change.
2. Additionally, Section 5.10 was amended to reflect the delegation authority found in R.I.G.L. section 37-2-22.