



Procurement Matters For Buyers

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Welcome to the August edition of Procurement Matters for Buyers.

It's a busy time for Government Procurement (GP) developing contracts, giving procurement advice and delivering workshops to agencies around the State.

We continue to promote the Australian Disability Enterprise (ADE) initiative with a number of agencies engaging them for their goods and services needs.

In procurement news, we talk you through the now live Master Media Services (Advertising) Common Use Arrangement (CUA) and a number of new ICT CUAs on the horizon.

Lastly, we give you an update of the amended *Buy Local* policy, and a heads up of upcoming procurement training opportunities.

Buy Local Policy Amendments

An addendum to the *Buy Local* policy has been issued. The primary change to the *Policy* is that the Regional Price Preferences and Regional Content Preferences can now be claimed up to a maximum of \$250,000 each.

As per the current policy goods and services tenders can only claim one of the Preferences. For more information on the *Policy* and the addendum, go to the State Supply Commission [website](#).

NEW GROUND PROVIDES NEW OPPORTUNITY FOR ADE

After more than 15 years with the same warehousing supplier, the Department of Education (DoE) has taken a new path and engaged an ADE. [Read more...](#)

NEW ICT CUAS PROVIDING SOLUTIONS

The ever evolving ICT world means that GP has been busy developing new CUAs to provide required goods and services to government. [Read more...](#)

GOVERNMENT LAUNCHES NEW MEDIA CUA

Government agencies now have access to more flexible arrangements when buying their media requirements due to the new Master Media Services CUA. [Read more...](#)



Procurement Training

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