

**RESCISSION OF MULTIPLE VA DIRECTIVES AND HANDBOOKS REGARDING
ACQUISITION AND PROCUREMENT POLICY**

1. Policy changes in the Federal Acquisition Regulation and the Veterans Affairs Acquisition Regulation (VAAR) warrant the rescission of the following directives and handbooks as they are outdated or obsolete:
 - a. VA Directive and Handbook 7126.2, Procurement Sources & Programs, dated May 10, 1995;
 - b. VA Directive and Handbook 7401.3, Selling Authority Certification, dated December 3, 1998;
 - c. VA Directive and Handbook 7401.6, Limited Authority to Pay by Purchase Card, dated November 19, 2003;
 - d. VA Directive and Handbook 7401.7, Unauthorized Commitments and Ratification, dated October 7, 2004;
 - e. VA Directive and Handbook 7408.1, Requesting Waivers from the Requirement to Use VA Federal Supply Schedules, dated June 9, 2005;
 - f. VA Directive 7433.2, Bid Protest Decision Letter, dated March 18, 1997; and
 - g. VA Directive and Handbook 7433.3, Alternative Means of Dispute Resolution Program for Acquisitions, dated November 24, 1998.
2. Inquiries regarding this notice should be addressed to va.procurement.policy@va.gov.

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