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TO: Procurement Directors

- **FROM:** Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy, MA-61 Office of Procurement and Assistance Management
- SUBJECT: Federal Acquisition Circular 2005-43

SUMMARY: Attached for your information is a summary of Federal Acquisition Circular (FAC) 2005-43 which makes changes to the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR). The FAC has five rules (three final and two interim). Attached is a short overview of the rules to include its effective date and applicability date. Note in particular items I (Government Property), III (Recovery Act Subcontract Reporting Procedures), and IV (Clarification of Criteria for Sole Source Awards to Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Concerns).

To view FAC 2005-43 go to the Federal Register Browse web link at <u>http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/browse.html</u> and search for the Federal Register Volume 75, Number 127 for Friday, July 2, 2010.

This Flash and its attachment will be available online within a day, at the following website: <u>http://www.management.energy.gov/policy_guidance/policy_flashes.htm</u>.

Questions concerning this policy flash should be directed to Barbara Binney at (202) 287-1340 or <u>Barbara.binney@hq.doe.gov</u>.

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