



*State of Louisiana*  
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION

OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES

KATHLEEN BABINEAUX BLANCO  
GOVERNOR

JERRY LUKE LEBLANC  
COMMISSIONER OF ADMINISTRATION

May 27, 2005

**ISIS Memorandum 05-046**

To: Business Objects Users  
Subject: New Contracts Data Mart

In an effort to provide Business Objects users quick, easy access to Contract Financial Management System (CFMS) data, OIS has developed a Contracts data mart. The data mart is now available to all users and will be updated from CFMS nightly, Monday through Friday.

The Contracts data mart was designed to include helpful features that should make creating contract reports in Business Objects easier than ever.

- Contract text and amendment text is stored in the correct order and formatted specifically for easy reporting.
- Contract begin and end dates are automatically calculated based on actual vs. revised dates and can be used to easily identify active contracts.
- Several pre-calculated fields have been included, such as: Available Balance, Overall Amounts (sum of all fiscal years for the contract), and Amount Available to Encumber (for end of the year reports).
- Pre-defined query filters were created to help you create simple reports more easily. Just choose the pre-defined query filter along with a prompt to select a specific agency, and create the report.

If you have questions, please contact the ISIS Help Desk at 225-342-2677, options 2, 5, 3.

PG