

CSSA Process Under Review

The entire CSSA process is currently on hold and under review. No date has been defined for re-bidding at this time.

Here is some additional information that you might find helpful. Vendors who participate in CSSA typically pursue these options in order to participate in solicitations outside the scope of CSSA.

In general, there are **two** procurement authorities in the State:

1. The [Office of State Purchasing](#) handles commodity procurements, such as hardware and software and the related, short-term installation services.
2. The [Office of Contractual Review](#) handles consulting services contracts, such as staff augmentation, project management, application development, etc.

You are welcome to register on both of these web sites to become a vendor who will receive notices about potential work.

In addition, you may want to take a look at the [Secretary of State](#) web site for certain legal documents that are required to do business in Louisiana.

Another group which may be of interest is the [Council of Information Services Directors](#). This is an independent organization comprised of IT Directors across the State. They sometimes sponsor "Tech Days" where vendors conduct technical presentations on technology topics of interest to the group. These guys are techies, though, and they frown on sales pitches. They also sponsor an annual conference, which includes vendor presentations and vendor booths. The conference is usually conducted in October and more information about the conference can be found on their web site.

For additional information, contact the Office of Information Technology at 225.219.9470.