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**SPO ALERT**

**Date:** June 20, 2011

**To:** State Agency Chief Procurement Officers

**From:** State Procurement Office

**Re:** Executive Order 2007-21 and Proposition 107

**Summary:** On November 2, 2010 Arizona voters approved Proposition 107, which amended the Arizona Constitution to prohibit preferential treatment or discrimination against any individual or group on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity or national origin. Agencies shall take all steps reasonably necessary to comply with the intent and requirements of Proposition 107 in the operation of public contracting.

Please read the attached document for details.

Thank you.

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**M E M O R A N D U M**

**TO:** All Agency Chief Procurement Officers  
**FROM:** Jean Clark, State Procurement Administrator  
**DATE:** June 17, 2011  
**SUBJECT:** Executive Order 2007-21 and Proposition 107

On November 2, 2010, Arizona voters approved Proposition 107, which amended the Arizona Constitution to prohibit preferential treatment or discrimination against any individual or group on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity or national origin in the operation of public employment, public education or public contracting. Accordingly, Proposition 107 supersedes Executive Order 2007-21, Contracting with Small, Woman- and Minority- Owned Businesses.

Therefore, Executive Branch agencies shall take all steps reasonably necessary to comply with the intent and requirements of Proposition 107 in the operation of public contracting. At a minimum, this includes eliminating the requirement that Executive Branch agencies request at least one quotation from a woman or minority owned business. Additionally, the monitoring and reporting on the effect of inclusion of small, woman, and minority owned businesses on market competition is also eliminated.

If you should have any questions, please contact me at [jean.clark@azdoa.gov](mailto:jean.clark@azdoa.gov) or 602-542-9136.

Thank you.