

**01 NCAC 05A .0102 SCOPE**

The program administered by the Division of Purchase and Contract shall be based on sound competitive purchasing procedures, sound management of personal property, and the economical disposal of State property; and shall include the following where public funds are involved:

- (1) acquisition of equipment, materials, and supplies, for all agencies;
- (2) acquisition of all printing, rentals, leases and services for all agencies, except for community colleges and local school administrative units;
- (3) making purchasing services available to non-state agencies identified in G.S. 143-49 and 143-49.1;
- (4) establishment and enforcement of purchase specifications;
- (5) inspection and testing of products;
- (6) review of agency purchasing and warehousing practices to ensure compliance with operating rules and procedures established by the SPO.

*History Note: Authority G.S. 143-49; 143-49.1; 143-53; 143-56; 143-60;  
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