## SYSTEM OFFICES THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY – SAN ANTONIO President's Delegation of Authority for Contract Administration Fiscal Year 2025

## **General Delegations:**

The Chancellor is delegated the authority to sign and approve contracts not specifically reserved by the Board of Regents in System Policy 25.07, *Contract Administration*. In accordance with System Policy 25.07, *§*6, the Chancellor may delegate authority to deputy chancellors, vice chancellors, **CEOs** or others to sign and approve these contracts. Furthermore, in accordance with System Policy 25.07, *§*6, the Chancellor has delegated to CEOs the authority to sign and approve contracts described in System Policy 25.07, *§*3, regardless of dollar value, with the exception of contracts described in System Policy 25.07, *§*3(b), and CEOs may delegate such authority to designees.

In accordance with System Policy 25.07.01, Contract Administration, Delegations and Reporting, the Delegation of Authority for Contract Administration for all contracts is shown on the following pages. In case of unavailability of the person who has the delegated authority, the President is delegated the authority to execute the contract.

\*Please be aware that the monetary categories noted in the below delegation of authority are subject to Board of Regents approval for certain contracts in accordance with System policies and regulations. In accordance with System Policy 25.07, §2, certain contracts that involve or exceed an annual consideration of \$500,000 or more or are longer than 5 years must be approved by the Board of Regents. Such dollar threshold does not apply to contracts described in System Policy 25.07, §3.

## Legend:

		PD	Executive Director, Procurement
AVC	Associate Vice Chancellor	PI	Principal Investigator/Research
AD	Athletic Director	P/VPAA	Provost/Vice President of Academic Affairs
AVP/CHRO	Assoc. VP - Chief Human Resources Officer	SERO	System Energy Resource Office
AVPF/C	Associate Vice President for Finance/Controller	SOBA	System Office of Budgets & Accounting
BOR	Board of Regents	SP	System Policy
CA	Contract Administrator	SR	System Regulation
CEO/P	Chief Executive Officer/President	SREO	System Real Estate Office
CFO/VPBA	Chief Financial Officer/VP Business Affairs	SRS	Sponsored Research Services-Director,
CIO DSP	Chief Information Officer Director of Sponsored Programs		Assoc. Executive Director & Exec. Director
DITB-UCP	Director, IT Business, University Contracts/Procurement	System	The Texas A&M University System

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ED-BA	Executive Director, Business Affairs	TI	Texas A&M Innovation
ED-OP	Executive Director of Operations	TIC	Texas A&M Technology Commercialization
FD	Facilities Director	VCBA	Vice Chancellor for Business Affairs
FPC	Facilities, Planning & Construction	VCR	Vice Chancellor for Research
HUB	Historically Underutilized Businesses	VPEM	Vice President-Enrollment Management
IT1S	IT-Security	VP-MARCOM	Vice President-Marketing & Communication
OGC	Office of General Counsel	VPSSE	Vice President-Student Success & Engagement

## Notes:

- 1 REQUIRED GENERAL COUNSEL REVIEW (System Policy 25.07, §4): Unless otherwise stated in System Policies or System Regulations, all contracts that have a stated or implied consideration of \$200,000 or more must be submitted to OGC for review and approval as to form and legal sufficiency, unless exempted under the OGC contract review procedures and checklist that have been approved by the chancellor.
- 2 All contracts for goods or services must comply with System Regulation 25.07.03, Acquisition of Goods and/or Services. All purchases shall comply with state statutes relating to contracting with historically underutilized businesses and procurement of goods and services from persons with disabilities.
- 3 It is the responsibility of the person noted in the "Typical Routing for Departmental Review" section to signify in writing (via email or memorandum) that they have reviewed the contract before sending it to the next person on the list. It is the responsibility of the person noted in the "Authorization to Execute Contracts" sections to so note the complete routing and review certifications before signing the contract.
- 4 Government Code 2261.253 requires state agencies to post contracts for the purchase of goods or services from a private vendor that are valued at \$15,000 or greater if using institutional funds and all contracts using appropriated funds. Please forward copies of all agreements to Texas A&M University Contract Management to ensure proper reporting is completed.
- 5 Questions regarding contract administration should be directed to the Texas A&M-SA's Office of Contracts Administration Rule 25.07.99.S1, Contract Administration.
- 6 University does not recognize contracts signed by Texas A&M University-San Antonio (TAMUSA) employees or agents as binding on the Texas A&M University-San Antonio (TAMUSA) unless the employee who signed the contract has duly delegated signature authority.
- 7 Employees who sign contracts purporting to bind the Texas A&M University-San Antonio (TAMUSA) without authority may be personally liable to the contractor and the University, and may be subject to Texas A&M University-San Antonio (TAMUSA) disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal or discharge for cause.

- 8 Contracts, including electronic agreements, signed without proper authority shall not be binding on the Texas A&M University-San Antonio (TAMUSA).
- 9 All previous delegations of authority are superseded and rendered void as of the effective date of this regulation.
- 10 Deputy Director and Director of RELLIS Campus are only authorized to sign contracts/agreements involving the RELLIS Campus.

	TYPE OF CONTRACT	TYPICAL ROUTING FOR DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW	AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS (Less than \$100,000)	AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS (\$100,000 or greater)*
1.	ADVERTISING AGREEMENTS			
1.1	Advertising Agreements	<ul><li>VP-MARCOM</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
2.	AFFILIATION AGREEMENTS/AFFILIA	TION SERVICE AGREEMENTS		
2.1	Agreement with Foreign Governmental Bodies and Federal, State, or Local Governmental Entities	CFO/VPBA	• CEO/President	• CEO/President
2.2	Private Companies & Foundations	<ul><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	CEO/President	CEO/President
3.	ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS			
3.1	Agreements with other institutions of higher education regarding transfer of courses	<ul><li>VPEM</li><li>P/VPAA</li></ul>	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>CEO/President</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
4.	ATHLETIC AGREEMENTS		-	
4.1	Athletic Events Scheduled NCAA sanctioned sporting events.	<ul> <li>AD</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	4.1.1 Athletic Game Guarantees	<ul><li>AD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul><li>CA</li><li>DITB-UCP</li></ul>	• CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)

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		• CEO/President	<ul><li>AVPF/C</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
4.2	Athletic Event Sponsorship	<ul><li>AD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
4.3	Transportation Purchase Order Contracts	<ul><li>AD</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
4.4	Hotel Purchase Order Contracts	<ul><li>AD</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
4.5	Athletic Facility Rental Agreements Limited use of System property by outside entities.	See Section 23.8.1 herein.	See Section 23.8.1 herein.	See Section 23.8.1 herein.
4.6	Recreational Sports Event Sponsorship	<ul><li>AD</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
5. 5.1	COLLECTION AGENCY AGREEMENTS Collection of Accounts (See 5.1.1 below). written approval of the State Attorney Gene	All collection agency contracts, e		to and conditioned upon express

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	5.1.1 Collection Agency Agreements General Counsel acts as liaison to the Attorney General and shall retain executed copies (not originals) and approve all collection agency contracts for the System and its members.	<ul><li>Department Head</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	State Attorney General ap execution	
6.	CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS (SP 51.0			
6.1	Minor Projects (Less than \$4,000,000)	<ul><li>FD</li><li>ED-OP</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,00</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,0)</li> </ul>	
6.2	Major Projects (\$4,000,000 or more, but less than \$10,000,000)	<ul> <li>FD</li> <li>ED-OP</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>	
6.3	Architect/Engineer Employment of Architect/Engineer for Consultant/Engineering Professional Services.	<ul><li>FD</li><li>ED-OP</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>	
7.	CONSULTING AGREEMENTS			
7.1	Statutory Consulting Agreements <u>Acquisition</u> of consulting services as defined by Texas Government Code § 2254.021.	See Section 27.7 herein.	See Section 27.7 herein.	See Section 27.7 herein.
7.2	Statutory Consulting Agreements <u>Providing</u> consulting services to 3 <sup>rd</sup> parties	See Section 26.1 herein.	See Section 26.1 herein.	See Section 26.1 herein.
8.	DONOR AGREEMENTS (including consent	to those with Affiliated Organiza	tions) (SP 21.05, SR 21.05.01)	
8.1	Personal Property ( <i>including cash or cash equivalents</i> ) with Restrictions ( <i>including indemnification</i> ) on Acceptance	<ul><li>AVPF/C</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>SREO</li></ul>	CEO/President	CEO/President

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	(including cash or cash equivalents) See SP 21.05.	<ul><li>SOBA</li><li>OGC Review</li></ul>		
8.2	Personal Property ( <i>including cash or cash equivalents</i> ) without Restrictions on Acceptance ( <i>including naming rights/recognition</i> ) See SP 21.05.	<ul> <li>SRS</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>SREO</li> <li>SOBA</li> <li>OGC Review</li> </ul>	• CEO/President	CEO/President
8.3	Real Property (including all bequests) All decisions involving accepting donations of real property should be coordinated through the SREO pursuant to SP 41.01.	See Section 23.3 herein.	See Section 23.3 herein.	See Section 23.3 herein.
8.4	Intellectual Property Gifts	See Section 16.7 herein	See Section 16.7 herein.	See Section 16.7 herein.
9.	EMPLOYMENT APPOINTMENTS			
9.1	Faculty Offer Letters (Conditional letters of	f appointment to faculty)		
	9.1.1 Approval of Appointment Offers – Tenure with Appointment (Rank of Professor, Associate Professor)	• P/VPAA	<ul><li>Board of Regents</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>	<ul><li>Board of Regents</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>
	9.1.2 Approval of Appointment Offers – Tenure-Track Faculty Appointments ( <i>Rank of Associate</i> <i>Professor, Assistant Professor,</i> <i>Instructor</i> )	• P/VPAA	<ul><li>Board of Regents</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>	<ul><li>Board of Regents</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>
	9.1.3 Approval of Appointment Offers – Non-Tenure Track Appointments (e.g. Visiting Faculty Titles & Lecturer Titles)	• P/VPAA	CEO/President	CEO/President
	9.1.4 Approval of Appointment Offers – Appointment and accompanying salary changes as Dean, Interim Dean, Acting Dean	• P/VPAA	CEO/President	CEO/President

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9.1.5 Approval of Appointment Offers – Appointment and accompanying salary changes as Academic Department Head, Interim Head, Acting Head	• P/VPAA	CEO/President	CEO/President
9.1.6 Approval of Appointment Offers – Appointment and accompanying salary changes for faculty members appointed as Director of an Academic Administrative Services Center or Institute	• P/VPAA	CEO/President	CEO/President
9.1.7 Approval of Appointment Offers – Appointment and accompanying salary changes as Associate or Assistant Dean	• P/VPAA	CEO/President	CEO/President
9.1.8 Approval of Appointment Offers – Appointment and accompanying salary changes as Associate or Assistant Department Head, Departmental Division Head	• P/VPAA	CEO/President	CEO/President
9.1.9 Approval of Appointment Offers – Faculty Appointments in Excess of Budgeted 100% Assignment	• P/VPAA	CFO/VPBA	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
9.1.10 Continuing and Extension Education	• P/VPAA	CFO/VPBA	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
9.1.11 Other Instructional Agreements – Temporary Hires (part-time faculty, adjunct faculty)	• P/VPAA	• CFO/VPBA	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	9.1.12 Off-Campus Instruction	• P/VPAA	• CFO/VPBA	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	9.1.13 Graduate Assistants (initial employment agreement for graduate student assistants)	• P/VPAA	• CFO/VPBA	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (Up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
9.2	Non-Faculty Employment Appointments	•	· ·	
	9.2.1 Approval of Appointment Offers – Non-Classified Administrative Staff	• CFO/VPBA	CEO/President	CEO/President
	9.2.2 Approval of Appointment Offers – Classified Support Staff	• CFO/VPBA	CEO/President	CEO/President
	9.2.3 Approval of Appointment Offers – Staff in Excess of Budgeted 100% Assignment	CFO/VPBA	CEO/President	• CEO/President
10.	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS CONTRACTS – Benefi	ts Administration		
10.1	Group Insurance Contracts/Policies and Administrative Agreements	<ul> <li>AVP/Chief Human Resources Officer</li> <li>PD</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
11.	EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENTS			
		TAMUSA as Lesso	r	
11.1	Equipment Lease with Purchase Option Non-employee (former faculty, research sponsor, etc.) rental for a specific period with fixed purchase option of TAMUSA- owned equipment.	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>ED/OP</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
11.2	Equipment Lease for TAMUSA -Related Activities Non-employee (student, conference, etc.)	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>ED/OP</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	rental for a specified period of TAMUSA - owned equipment.		<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>CEO/President</li></ul>	• CEO/President (Over \$300,000)
	11.2.1 Rental Vehicles (Non- TAMUSA Lessee)	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> <li>ED-OP</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	11.2.2 Equipment	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> <li>ED-OP</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
		TAMUSA as Lesse	e	
11.3	Equipment Lease with Purchase Option Rental of equipment for TAMUSA use with fixed option to purchase within a specified period (five years or less).	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> <li>ED-OP</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President DITB-UCP</li> </ul>	<ul><li>AVPF/C</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>P/CEO P/CEO</li></ul>
11.4	Equipment Lease (Rental) Rental of equipment for TAMUSA use for a specified period (five years or less).	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> <li>ED-OP</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>P/CEO P/CEO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>P/CEO P/CEO</li> </ul>
12.	FEDERAL & STATE REGULATORY AGREEM	ENTS		
12.1	Permits, Licenses, Declarations, Applications Filed with Regulatory Agencies	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>CEO/President</li></ul>	<ul><li>CEO/President</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	CEO/President
13.	FINANCIAL CONTRACTS – Treasury Service	s		
13.1	System Depositories (SP 22.02)	<ul> <li>Treasury Services</li> <li>PD &gt; \$10,000</li> <li>OGC <u>&gt;</u> \$200,000</li> </ul>	Treasurer     DCIO	<ul><li>Treasurer</li><li>DCIO</li></ul>

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13.2	Investment Management (SP 22.02)			
	13.2.1 Investment Consultants and	Treasury Services	Treasurer	Treasurer
	Advisors (subject to provisions of	• PD > \$10,000	DCIO	DCIO
	Section 27 Consultant Agreements)	● OGC <u>&gt;</u> \$200,000		
	13.2.2 Investment Management (SP	Treasury Services	Treasurer	Treasurer
	22.02)	• PD > \$10,000	DCIO	DCIO
		<ul> <li>OGC ≥ \$200,000</li> </ul>		
13.3	Debt Management (SP 23.02, RFS, HEF and	PUF)	<u>.</u>	
	13.3.1 Financial Advisors (subject to	Treasury Services	Treasurer	Treasurer
	provisions of Section 27	• PD > \$10,000	DCIO	DCIO
	Consultant Agreements)	<ul> <li>OGC <u>&gt;</u> \$200,000</li> </ul>		
	13.3.2 Bond Counsel (See Section 19.2	Treasury Services	General Counsel	General Counsel
	Legal)	• PD > \$10,000		
		<ul> <li>OGC <u>&gt;</u> \$200,000</li> </ul>		
13.4	Other Banking Functions (Custodial	Treasury Services	Treasurer	Treasurer
	agreements, securities lending	• PD > \$10,000	DCIO	DCIO
	agreements, payment card contracts)	<ul> <li>OGC <u>&gt;</u> \$200,000</li> </ul>		
14.	<b>GRANT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENTS (FE</b>	DERAL/STATE/LOCAL/PRIVATE) (	NON-RESEARCH RELATED)	
14.1	Grants (for sponsored research project	• SRS	CEO/President	CEO/President
	related grants see Section 24.1)	Division Head		
		• P/VPAA		
		• AVPF/C		
14.2	Student Financial Aid	Division Head	• VP/SSE	• CFO/VPBA (Up to
		• P/VPAA	• CFO/VPBA	\$300,000)
		• AVPF/C		• CEO/President (Over
				\$300,000)
14.3	Funding Agreements	• SRS	• CFO/VPBA	CFO/VPBA (Up to
	(Academic)	• P/VPAA		\$300,000)
				• CEO/President (Over
				\$300,000)

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14.4	Funding Agreements (Non-Academic; Non-Sponsored Research)	• CFO/VPBA	CEO/President	CEO/President
15.	INSURANCE-PARTIAL RISK TRANSFER CON (Retention of Predetermined Limited Risk w	-	-	
15.1	Fleet Automobile and Motor Driven Liability Contract (Motorized autos and machinery driven by System employees.) Contract reviewed by the State Board of Insurance, Attorney General's Office and the Texas Building and Procurement Commission.	<ul> <li>Risk Management</li> <li>PD &gt; \$1,000,000</li> <li>OGC ≥ \$200,000</li> </ul>	Director, Risk     Management	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management (after OGC review)</li> <li>S-CFO</li> </ul>
15.2	Directors and Officers Liability Contract (Covers BOR, System Administrators, Faculty and Staff)	<ul> <li>Risk Management</li> <li>PD &gt; \$1,000,000</li> <li>OGC ≥ \$200,000</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management (after OGC review)</li> <li>S-CFO</li> </ul>
15.3	Healthcare Purchasers Professional Liability Contract (Professional /Fiduciary coverage for System Self-Insured Group Benefit Programs)	<ul> <li>Risk Management</li> <li>PD &gt; \$1,000,000</li> <li>OGC ≥ \$200,000</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management (after OGC review)</li> <li>S-CFO</li> </ul>
15.4 NOTE:	Various Insurance – Partial Risk Transfer Contracts (Funding from Member/User) <u>The Office of Risk Management is</u> <u>responsible for all System-based Partial</u> <u>Risk Transfer Contracts. Risk</u> <u>Management must be contacted before</u> <u>any insurance is purchased.</u>	<ul> <li>Risk Management</li> <li>PD &gt; \$1,000,000</li> <li>OGC <u>&gt;</u> \$200,000</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management (after OGC review)</li> <li>S-CFO</li> </ul>
15.5	Workers' Compensation Insurance Claims processing or settlement	<ul> <li>Risk Management</li> <li>PD &gt; \$1,000,000</li> <li>OGC ≥ \$200,000</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management (after OGC review)</li> <li>S-CFO</li> <li>General Counsel</li> </ul>

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15.6	Administrative Contracts	<ul> <li>Risk Management</li> <li>PD &gt; \$1,000,000</li> <li>OGC ≥ \$200,000</li> </ul>	Director, Risk     Management	<ul> <li>Director, Risk Management (after OGC review)</li> <li>S-CFO</li> </ul>
16.	INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (SP 17.01) - Mo	netary categories above do not a	oply to this section	
16.1	Technology Transfer			
	16.1.1 Patent License Agreement (Technology Transfer)	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	VCR approves and executes	
	16.1.2.1 Non-Patent License Agreement ( <i>Technology Transfer</i> ) (System controlled or owned) trade secrets; non-patentable inventions/know-how; Plant Variety Protection Act; copyrights; etc.	<ul> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	VCR approves and executes	
	16.1.2.2 Non-Patent License Agreement ( <i>Technology Transfer</i> ) (Member controlled or owned) copyrights that are not assigned to System for commercialization	CEO/President OGC	CEO/President executes	
	16.1.3.1 Trademark and Service Mark License (System controlled or owned)	<ul> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	VCR approves and executes	
	16.1.3.2 Trademark and Service Mark License (Member owned trademark licensed along with System IP)	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	CEO approves for member a	nd VCR approves and executes
	16.1.3.3 Trademark and Service Mark License (Member owned and	CEO/President OGC	CEO/President executes	

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System owned trademark of Member's name)			
16.1.4.1 Software License (In-Bound)	See Section 22.3 herein.	See Section 22.3 herein.	
16.1.4.2 Software License (Out-Bound) System Owned	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	VCR approves and executes	
16.1.4.3 Software License (Out-Bound) Member Owned	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	CEO executes	
16.1.5 Option Agreement for future License of Intellectual Property	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	VCR approves and executes	
16.1.6 Inter-Institutional Agreement (educational institutions)	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	VCR approves and executes	
16.1.7.1 Assignment of Intellectual Property to Third Party ( <i>IP does</i> not exist at time of Sponsored Research Agreement)	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	<ul> <li>VCR approves waiver of ownership of IP created under Sponsored Research Agreement</li> <li>Upon creation of IP, assignment executed by VCR</li> </ul>	
16.1.7.2 Assignment of Intellectual Property to Third Party ( <i>Existing</i> <i>IP</i> )	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Approval of Chancellor via C</li> <li>Assignment executed by VC</li> </ul>	-
16.1.8 Intellectual Property Release to IP Creator	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	VCR approves and executes     VCR approves and executes	
16.1.9.1 Material Transfer or Evaluation Agreement covering System Intellectual Property** (Commercial and Non- Commercial)	<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>		

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** IP that is covered by an IP disclosure or is a declared				
variety, and TI is managing				
16.1.9.2 Other Material Transfer or Evaluation Agreements	• See Section 24.6	• See Section 24.6		
16.2 Disclosure and Protection of Intellectual Protection	operty			
16.2.1 Invention/Software Copyright Disclosure	<ul><li>IP Creator</li><li>TI</li><li>ECO</li></ul>	• N/A		
16.2.2.1 IP Creators Sharing Agreement (usually included in IP Disclosure)	<ul><li>IP Creators</li><li>TI</li></ul>	If IP Creators cannot agree     then VCR decides sharing for	cannot agree within 3 months of disclosure, ides sharing for IP Creators	
16.2.2.2 IP Creators Multiple IP Relative Weight Agreement	<ul> <li>IP Creators</li> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>If IP Creators still employed at System cannot agree within months of execution of a license, then VCR decides relative weighting of IP in license agreement</li> </ul>		
16.2.3 Intellectual Property Application and Prosecution (patents; copyright registrations; trademark applications; plant variety protection act certificates)	<ul> <li>IP Creator</li> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC for trademarks</li> </ul>	TI controls prosecution and	registrations	
16.2.4 Intellectual Property Application and Prosecution for Member Owned Copyrights and Trademarks (copyright registrations and trademark applications)	<ul> <li>IP Creator</li> <li>CEO</li> <li>TI (copyright only)</li> <li>OGC for trademarks</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>TI controls prosecution and</li> <li>CEO approves expenses for</li> </ul>	registrations (copyright only) member	
16.3 Collegiate Licensing	• CEO/President	CEO/President		
16.4 Nondisclosure/Confidentiality Agreements				

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	<ul> <li>16.4.1 Nondisclosure/Confidentiality Agreements Relating to Commercialization of System Intellectual Property**</li> <li>** IP that is covered by IP disclosure or is a declared variety</li> </ul>		<ul><li>TI</li><li>OGC</li><li>VCR</li></ul>	VCR approves and executes	
	16.4.2	,	See Section 24.5	See Section 24.5	
16.5	Non-act which c commit System collabo System compar investm country student	andum of Agreement ademic (letter style) agreements locument programmatic ments between TI and Non- entities (includes promotion of ration for: commercializing IP; obtaining investors for nies licensing System IP; research ment by entities in a foreign r; and promoting history of System rs and foreign country)	<ul> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	VCR approves and executes	
16.6		S Entity to Commercialize System I Creation of System Business Entity to Commercialize System Intellectual Property	<ul> <li>ntellectual Property</li> <li>CEO (If Member sponsored creation of Entity)</li> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval of Chancellor via C</li> <li>VCR executes</li> </ul>	GC process

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	16.6.2 Investing in a Business Entity Having a License to System Intellectual Property	<ul> <li>CEO (if Member sponsored investment)</li> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval of Chancellor via OGC process</li> <li>VCR executes</li> </ul>
16.7	Intellectual Property Gifts		
	16.7.1 IP Offer to System in Exchange for Royalty Sharing	<ul> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>VCR</li> <li>Chancellor</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval of Chancellor via OGC process</li> <li>VCR executes</li> </ul>
	16.7.2 IP Offer to Member in Exchange for Royalty Sharing	<ul><li>OGC</li><li>TI (if patent)</li><li>VCR (if patent)</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Member CEO via OGC process</li> <li>VCR (if patent)</li> </ul>
	16.7.3 IP Offer to System of Charitable Gift	<ul> <li>TI</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>SOBA</li> <li>VCR</li> <li>Chancellor</li> </ul>	Chancellor or VCR
	16.7.4 IP Offer to Member of Charitable Gift	<ul> <li>CEO/President OGC</li> <li>TI (if patent)</li> <li>VCR (if patent)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Member CEO</li> <li>VCR (if patent)</li> </ul>
16.8	Misc. Intellectual Property Agreements and agreements ancillary to intellectual property agreements	<ul> <li>OGC</li> <li>TI</li> <li>VCR</li> </ul>	• VCR
17.	INTER-AGENCY and INTER-LOCAL AGREE		
17.1	Inter-Agency Agreements Commitment for the use/acquisition (provision) of resources from (to) another	<ul><li>PD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>ED-OP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	STATE AGENCY governed by Texas Government Code Chapter 771		<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>P/CEO P/CEO</li> </ul>	CEO/President (Over \$300,000)
17.2	Inter-Local Agreements Commitment for the use/acquisition (provision) of resources from (to) a LOCAL GOVERNMENT governed by Texas Government Code Chapter 791	<ul><li>PD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
18.	INTRA-SYSTEM AGREEMENT			
18.1	Intra-System Agreement Commitment for the use/acquisition (provision) of resources from (to) other System members.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>CEO/President</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
19.	LEGAL (SP 09.04, SR 09.04.01)			
19 ap	Litigation (See 19.1.1 below) All set proval of the State Attorney General.	tlements shall have concurrence	of the TAMUS CEO and General Co	unsel and where required, the
	19.1.1 Approval to Settle: \$100,000 or less General Counsel \$100,000 to \$300,000 Chancellor More than \$300,000 BOR	<ul><li>OGC</li><li>Chancellor</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul><li>General Counsel</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>	<ul> <li>General Counsel</li> <li>Chancellor (more than \$300K BOR)</li> </ul>
19.2	Outside Legal Counsel General Counsel acts as liaison to the Attorney General and shall retain, manage and approve all outside counsel for the System and its members.	<ul><li>Department Head</li><li>OGC</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>	<ul><li>General Counsel</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>	<ul><li>General Counsel</li><li>Chancellor</li></ul>
20.	MEMORANDA OF AGREEMENT/UNDERST	ANDING – ACADEMIC		·
20.1	General Memorandum of Agreement or Understanding (Letter Agreement) Documents programmatic commitments between TAMUSA and non-TAMUSA entities; contracts to perform educational	<ul><li>VP/SSE</li><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	and service activities consistent with the TAMUSA mission.			
20.2	Cooperative Agreements Student co-op affiliation agreements with sponsoring entities.	<ul><li>VP/SSE</li><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
20.3	International Affairs Documents mutual obligations for international joint programs.	<ul><li>VP/SSE</li><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
20.4	International Study Abroad Program	<ul><li>VP/SSE</li><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
20.5	Training Affiliation (internships) Documents mutual obligations to establish training [internship opportunities] for TAMUSA's students.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>VP/SSE</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	<ul><li>P/VPAA</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
20.6	Work Study Program Agreements	•	•	•
21.	MEMORANDA OF AGREEMENT/UNDERST	ANDING – NON-ACADEMIC		
21.1	General Memorandum of Agreement or Understanding (Letter Agreement) Documents commitments between TAMUSA and non-TAMUSA entities that are non-academic in nature.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul><li>PD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.	PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (TAMUSA acquir	ing goods and services not addre	ssed in Section 27)	
22.1	TAMUSA Purchase Orders Purchase of goods or services from outside vendor using standard forms promulgated by TAMUSA, which are processed through the appropriate bid	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul><li>PD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	process in accordance with TAMUSA policies and State requirements.			
22.2	Vendor Purchase Orders Purchase of goods or services from outside vendor using vendor supplied document or negotiated agreement.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul><li>PD</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.3 Ca	Software License Agreements ontract for use of computer software using ve	endor supplied document/agreem	ent or System standard forms.	
	22.3.1 Department Contract limiting application to specific Department.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>ITS</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	22.3.2 System Offices Contract providing System Office or System-wide computing application.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>ITS</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	22.3.3 Intellectual Property (not through TI) Contract containing IP Provisions	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>VP/SSE</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	CEO/President	• CEO/President
22.4	Memberships Purchase of Organizational Affiliations for individuals, groups, or the institution.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	22.4.1 Professional/Service Associations Purchase by TAMUS on behalf of an individual, group or the institution of a membership in a	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	professional or service organization.			
	22.4.2 Social/Individual Purchase by TAMUSA on behalf of an individual of a membership in a social organization.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.5	Library Acquisitions Books, subscriptions, reference materials, memberships purchased for the express purpose of obtaining publications. Database services and lease agreements for electronic library materials.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.6	Library Subcontracts TAMUSA library subcontracts to provide off-campus library services.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.7	Commercial Licenses (Chick-Fil-A, etc.)	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.8	Maintenance Agreements acquired with equipment purchase or as stand-alone purchase	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.9	Partial Sale, Partial Gift Purchases (See SP 22.05, §3)	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>P/CEO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	• See SP 21.05, §3	• See SP 21.05, §3

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22.10	Financing Service Agreements related to the acquisition of good or services.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President</li> <li>CEO/President</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
22.11	Purchasing Agreements not classified elsewhere	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
23.	<b>REAL PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS</b> (SP 41.01	, SR 41.01.01) <sup>1</sup> - Monetary catego	ories above fo not apply to this section
23.1	<ul> <li>Purchase of Real Property</li> <li>Per SP 41.01, §2 and SR 41.01.01, §3:</li> <li>SREO oversees all acquisitions of real property.</li> </ul>	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO and/or SLMO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul> <li>BOR approval required if consideration is over \$1,000,000</li> <li>Chancellor or S-CFO approves and executes purchases of \$1,000,000 or less</li> </ul>
23.2	<ul> <li>Condemnation of Real Property</li> <li>Per SP 41.01, §2 and SR 41.01.01, §3:</li> <li>SREO oversees all acquisitions of real property.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>SREO</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>Chancellor or S-CFO</li> </ul>	Chancellor, S-CFO or General Counsel executes all documents (after BOR approval)
23.3	<ul> <li>Gifts/Bequests of Real Property</li> <li>Per SR 41.01.01, §3:</li> <li>SREO oversees all acquisitions of real property.</li> <li>SOBA and OGC must approve prior to CEO accepting gift.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>SREO and/or SLMO</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>SOBA</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CEO can accept after approval of OGC and SOBA</li> <li>S-CFO can accept after approval of OGC and SOBA if property is gifted/bequested to System Offices</li> </ul>
23.4	Sale or Exchange of Real Property Per SP 41.01, §3 and SR 41.01.01, §4:	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO and/or SLMO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	Chancellor or S-CFO executes after BOR approval, if necessary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Per SP 41.01.01, §1.5, for each real property transaction, legal forms and documents must be reviewed and approved for legal form and sufficiency by OGC.

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<ul> <li>SREO oversees all activities required to dispose of or exchange real property.</li> <li>Member CEOs may recommend disposal or exchange of System real property.</li> </ul>				
23.5 Lease of Real Property 23.5.1 TO 3 <sup>rd</sup> Parties • Lease of SYSTEM-owned facilities and/or land for a period. SREO shall review leases as required by SR 41.01.01, §5. • Leases to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Parties with a term >5 years, including renewals, must be approved by the BOR as required by SP 41.01, §4.1	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>SREO</li> <li>OGC</li> <li>Chancellor or S-CFO (if property assigned to System Offices)</li> </ul>	CEO if term of 5 years or les property assigned to System BOR	s; Chancellor or S-CFO if n Offices or if Lease approved by	
23.5.2 FROM 3 <sup>rd</sup> Parties Lease of facilities (office, laboratory, classroom, storage, residence, etc.) and/or land from a 3 <sup>rd</sup> party for TAMUSA use for a specified period. See SP 41.01, §4 and SR 41.01.01, §6	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>SREO</li> <li>OGC</li> </ul>	property assignment. SP 41.01 and SR 41.01.01 approv 5 yrs. or less/\$500,000 or less 10 yrs. or less/over \$500,000 S-CFO	ess – CEO or S-CFO 10 to \$1,000,000–Chancellor or 1r than \$1,000,000 – Chancellor	
<ul> <li>23.5.3 Student Retreat Facility         <ul> <li>Lease of facilities (camp grounds, recreational facility, residence, etc.) and/or land for TAMUSA use for a specific student retreat.</li> </ul> </li> <li>23.6 Easements (SP 41.01, §6)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>SLMO</li> <li>OGC</li> </ul>	CEO, Chancellor or S-CFO de property assignment.	S-CFO depending on term, amount and nt.	

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23.6.1 System as Grantor (easement across System property) (10 year limit)	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SLMO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	• VCBA	
23.6.2 System as Grantee (easement across 3 <sup>rd</sup> party's property) ( <b>Requires BOR approval if over</b> \$300,000)	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SLMO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul> <li>VCBA</li> <li>Chancellor or S-CFO (if BOR approval required)</li> </ul>	
23.6.3 Conditional Roadway Easements (indefinite term) (Requires BOR approval)	CEO     SREO     OGC	Chancellor or S-CFO executes after BOR approval	
23.7 Housing Agreements 23.7.1 International Housing University owned or leased housing provided for visiting international faculty.	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	CEO	
23.7.2 Residence Hall On-campus student housing.	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>SREO</li> <li>OGC</li> </ul>	CEO	
23.7.3 Student Apartments Off-campus University-housing provided for students.	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	• CEO	
23.7.4 Mail Box Rental of residence hall mail boxes.	•	• CEO	
23.8Other Grants of Rights Related to Real Pro23.8.1Permits, Licenses and Facility UseAgreements covering Systemproperty (temporary or periodicuse, i.e. arenas, stadiums,	perty • CEO • SREO • OGC	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>VCBA if property assigned to</li> </ul>	o System Offices

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classrooms, etc.). See SP 41.01.01, §12.1			
23.8.2 Permits and Licenses of System Land, including Water Use and Antiquities Permits	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	CEO     VCBA	
23.8.3 Permits, Licenses and Facility Use Agreements covering 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Property (temporary or periodic use, i.e. arenas, stadiums, classrooms, campgrounds, etc.). See SP 41.01.01, §12.2	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>VCBA if property assigned t</li> </ul>	o System Offices
23.8.4 Oil, Gas and Mineral Rights Leasing See SP 41.01, §5	<ul><li>SREO and/or SLMO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	Chancellor or S-CFO	
23.8.5 Other Oil, Gas and Mineral Rights documents (i.e. Division Orders; Pooling Agreements; Production Sharing Agreements; Ratification Agreements; Assignment Consents; Affidavits; and related documents)	<ul><li>SLMO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	• VCBA, Landman IV	
23.8.6 Other Documents (i.e. Subordination, Non- disturbance & Attornment Agreements; Assignments; Estoppels; Renewals; Consents; Terminations; Non-Disclosures; Confidentiality Agreements; Ratifications; Releases; Memorandums; Affidavits; Acknowledgments; documents containing statements of fact; Correction instruments and non-	<ul> <li>SREO and/or SLMO</li> <li>OGC</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CEO</li> <li>VCBA or Managing Counsel,</li> </ul>	Property & Construction

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	substantive amendments to documents, etc.)			
Surfa Drain	Agreements; Maintenance	<ul><li>SREQ</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>S-CFO or VCBA</li></ul>	
	Agreements, etc.) 23.8.8 Condominium Ownership, Operations and Activity Documents	• SREO • OGC	S-CFO or VCBA	
	23.8.9 Broker/Agency Representation and Listing Agreements; Non- binding Letters of Intent/Term Sheets	<ul><li>SREO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>VCBA</li></ul>	
23.9	Service Contracts for Real Property Transactions (surveyors, appraisers, property inspectors, title company contracts, etc.) (See also Section 27.6)	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>SREO</li><li>OGC</li></ul>	<ul><li>CEO</li><li>VCBA or ED-RE</li></ul>	
24.	RESEARCH AGREEMENTS - Monetary categ	gories above do not apply to this s	section	
24.1	Research agreements (where member is the prime contractor signing the agreement with the sponsor; or member is a subcontractor signing the agreement with the prime contractor or a higher-tier subcontractor). <i>Includes grants,</i> <i>contracts, cooperative agreements, and</i> <i>consortium agreements</i>	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President
24.2	Sub-agreements/Sub-recipient/Sub- grant/Sub-contract agreements for sponsored research and ancillary services (where member is the prime contractor	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President

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	signing the agreement with a subcontractor; or member is a subcontractor signing the agreement with a lower-tier subcontractor).			
24.3	Proposal Submissions	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President
24.4	Teaming Agreements	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President
24.5	Non-disclosure/Confidentiality Agreements (involving potential research collaboration)	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President
24.6	Material Transfer or Evaluation Agreements (Not through TI)	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President
24.7	Testing/Analytical Agreements	<ul> <li>DSP-Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li></li></ul>	P/VPAA	CEO/President
		•	•	
24.8	Misc. Research Agreements and agreements ancillary to research agreements ( <i>e.g., Vessel Time Charter Agreements</i> )	<ul> <li>Director of Sponsored Programs</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	• P/VPAA	CEO/President
25.	REVENUE GENERATING AGREEMENTS			

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25.1	Revenue Generating	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>CIO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>AVPF/C (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
26.	SALES AGREEMENTS (TAMUSA providing	goods or services)		
26.1	Consultant/Professional Service Agreements (non-statutory) TAMUSA acting as consultant or performing professional service (including testing services).	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>AVPF/C</li></ul>	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>AVPF/C</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
26.1. throug	1 Intellectual Property Agreements (Not gh TI)	<ul> <li>SRS</li> <li>P/VPAA</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>P/CEO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	26.1.2 Analysis/Testing	Originating Office	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>P/CEO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
26.2	Property Transfer Agreements (inventori	ed and non-inventoried items)		
	26.2.1 Transfer or surplus property	Originating Office	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	26.2.2 Transfer within the System	Originating Office	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
	26.2.3 Transfer to another state agency	Originating Office	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	26.2.4 Transfer to an independent third party	Originating Office	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
26.3	Unclassified Services Providing services not specified elsewhere.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.	SERVICES AGREEMENTS (TAMUSA acquir	ing services)		
27.1	Educational Testing Services	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>PD</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>ED-OP</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.2	Entertainment Events Artistic entertainment performance agreements.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.3	Lecture/Seminar Speaker Agreements Use of non-faculty/staff to lecture or speak in support of institutional programs.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.4	Maintenance Agreements	•		
	27.4.1 Purchase with Equipment Purchase Purchase of maintenance services from equipment vendor as an integral part of equipment purchase.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>

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	27.4.2 Stand Alone Purchase Purchase of maintenance services independent from equipment purchase or vendor.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.5	Non-academic Instruction Recreational Sports	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.6	Statutory Professional Services Acquisition of professional services as defined by Texas Government Code §2254.002 (accounting, architecture, optometry, medicine, land surveying, real estate appraising, and professional engineering). Agreements for outside counsel must comply with Section 19 herein.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.7	Statutory Consulting Services Acquisition of consulting services as defined by Texas Government Code §2254.021. Agreements for outside counsel must comply with Section 19 herein.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.8	Student Medical Services	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>AVPF/C</li><li>CEO/President</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
27.9	Unclassified Services Purchase of services not specified elsewhere.	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>PD</li></ul>	<ul><li>CFO/VPBA</li><li>AVPF/C</li><li>CEO/President</li></ul>	• CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)

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28.	SPECIAL EVENTS			
28.1	Conference/Short-Course	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
28.2	Exhibition Loan Agreements Documents commitments to display, secure, admit public, etc. to view works of art of material of public interest.	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>ED-OP</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
29.	PROCURED AGREEMENTS			
29.1	Procured Agreements Agreements procured through a state contract, state catalogue, or other procurement methodologies authorized by state statute and in accordance with A&M System requirements as described in System Policy 25.07, §3(c).	<ul> <li>Originating Office</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>PD</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
30.	UNCLASSIFIED/OTHER AGREEMENTS			
30.1	Nondisclosure/Confidentiality Agreements (Not Relating to Commercialization of System Intellectual Property or involving potential research collaboration)	<ul><li>Originating Office</li><li>CFO/VPBA</li></ul>	<ul> <li>CA</li> <li>DITB-UCP</li> <li>CFO/VPBA</li> <li>AVPF/C</li> <li>CEO/President</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CFO/VPBA (up to \$300,000)</li> <li>CEO/President (Over \$300,000)</li> </ul>
30.2	Miscellaneous Agreements Contracts and agreements not specifically classified above or currently classified as "Not Applicable".	• N/A	• N/A	• N/A
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