



**State of Georgia
Department of Administrative Services
State Purchasing Division**

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TO: State of Georgia Procurement Professionals

FROM: Carrie Steele, Deputy Commissioner of State Purchasing, DOAS

RE: Revised NIGP Code Exempt List

The Department of Administrative Services (DOAS) State Purchasing Division (SPD) announces publication of a revised and updated NIGP¹ Code Exempt List effective December 9, 2025. The NIGP Code Exempt List is an informational resource to assist state entities in documenting exempt purchases as required by the Georgia Procurement Manual (GPM). Key revisions to the [NIGP Code Exempt List](#) are summarized below.

IMPORTANT: All state procurement professionals must carefully review GPM Section 1.2. “Determining Application of this Manual: Is the Good/Service Exempt?” for an overview of exemptions from DOAS’ competitive bidding rules. As a reminder, the fact that a purchase may be exempt from the State Purchasing Act is not a representation that other laws may not apply or that the purchase may not need to be competitively bid. SPD strongly encourages state entities to make all purchases as competitive as possible.

1. **Utility Services** (Except when Customer Choice). The following two NIGP Codes have been added to the NIGP Exempt List: (a) 96183 Electrical Utility Services and (b) 96184 Gas Utility Services. Previously, NIGP utilized a single code (96185) to identify electric, gas, and water utility services. In 2016, NIGP separated the different utility services into three individual codes. At the time, SPD’s NIGP Code Exempt list was updated to retain code 96185 and its revised description, but SPD unintentionally failed to add the two other codes to retain the original intent of exempting all utility services except when customer choice is available within the location.
REMINDER: All state entities must utilize the mandatory statewide contract for natural gas (Contract #99999-001-SPD0000192).
2. **Foster Care Services.** For use by the Department of Human Services (DHS) only, NIGP Code 95247 Foster Care Services has been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List. Official Code of Georgia Annotated (O.C.G.A.) Section 50-5-69(f) authorizes DHS, through its Division of Family and Children Services, to contract for the placements of children in the state’s care or custody without competitive bidding.

¹ The NIGP Commodity and Service Code is a universal taxonomy for identifying commodities and services in procurement operations. The Code is maintained by NIGP: The Institute for Public Procurement. More information is available at www.nigp.org. DOAS maintains a license to use NIGP Codes. The NIGP Code Exempt List is a resource created by DOAS to assist state entities in documenting exempt purchases as outlined in the Georgia Procurement Manual; it is not intended for any other use.

3. **Accounting, Auditing, Budget Consulting Services.** For NIGP Code 91804, Accounting, Auditing, Budget Consulting, the explanatory note has been revised to further clarify application of the exemption.
4. **Live Animals.** NIGP Code 04022 Chicks, Meat Type, Baby has been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List. This code is related to the exemption when purchasing livestock for slaughter.
5. **Fresh Bakery Products.** NIGP Code 37552 Pies has been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List. This code is related to the exemption when purchasing perishable/fresh bakery products.
6. **Art Objects.** The following NIGP Codes related to the purchase of original artwork have been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List: (a) 05250 Murals, (b) 05251 Murals, Clay, (c) 05252 Murals, Glass, (d) 05253 Murals, Photographic: Kiln Fired, Image Sublimation, (e) 05254 Murals: Stone, Tile, and (f) 05255 Murals, Wall.
7. **Public Speakers:** Related to the existing exemption for public speakers (96161 Public Speaking Services), NIGP Code 97258 Visiting Speakers has been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List as an additional coding option for higher education institutions. As NIGP Code 97258 is part of the 3-Digit Class Code 972 "Research and Educational Services, Higher Education", this code should only be used by the University System of Georgia (USG) and the Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG).
8. **Foreign Visa Processing Fees.** Related to faculty, student and state employee international travel requiring payment of processing fees by foreign government or authorized third parties providing visa services, the NIGP Code 94991 Visa Processing Fees has been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List. As NIGP Code 94991 is part of the 3-Digit Class Code 949 "Financial Services, Higher Education", this code should only be used by USG and TCSG.
9. **Purchasing Advertising Space.** Select exemptions within NIGP Class Code 915 have been revised to clarify the exemption for purchase of advertising space only. For example, the use of outdoor billboards, radio broadcasting, television broadcasting, newspaper advertising, skywriting, etc. to share information is recognized as exempt. An explanatory note has been added to the NIGP Code Exempt List to provide further guidance. In addition, NIGP Code 91510 Advertising, Digital (ad placement only) has been added. Please note that design/creative services, including but not limited to graphic design, brand identity design, web design, etc. are not exempt from competitive bidding rules.
10. **Inactive NIGP Codes.** All references to inactive codes have been removed from the NIGP Code Exempt List. NIGP Code 31243 Environmental Control Systems, Spacecraft was added to the NIGP Code Exempt List to replace inactive code 80440 Environmental Control Systems, Spacecraft. NIGP Code 90779 Survey Services (Not Aerial or Research) was removed due to being inactive; however, state entities may use NIGP Code 92586 Survey Services, Land, which is already included on the NIGP Code Exempt List.

COMPLIANCE REMINDER: All purchase orders (POs) for exempt purchases must be coded as EXM. When applicable, the buyer should reference the applicable commodity or service code from the NIGP Code Exempt List. If there is not an applicable code, then the buyer must include an explanation in the comments field of the PO explaining why the purchase is exempt.

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NIGP Code Exempt List

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 019	AGRICULTURAL CROPS AND GRAINS, INCLUDING FRUITS, MELONS, NUTS, AND VEGETABLES
X	01921	Berry Crops
X	01924	Buckwheat
X	01930	Corn
X	01932	Cotton
X	01941	Fruits, Citrus
X	01942	Fruits, Deciduous Tree
X	01947	Grapes
X	01950	Hops
X	01953	Melons
X	01956	Nuts, Tree
X	01960	Potatoes
X	01962	Pumpkins
X	01966	Rice
X	01967	Rye
X	01972	Sorghum
X	01973	Soybeans
X	01978	Sugarcane and Sugarbeets
X	01985	Tobacco
X	01990	Vegetables (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	01994	Wheat

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 035	AIRCRAFT AND AIRPORT EQUIPMENT, PARTS, AND SUPPLIES
X	03504	Aircraft Avionics, (Not Otherwise Classified) Navigation Instruments, Transponders, Global Positioning System, etc.
X	03511	Aircraft Master Control Systems, Computer, etc.
X	03560	Instruments and Testers, Airplane
X	03565	Instruments and Testers, Helicopter

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 040	ANIMALS, BIRDS, MARINE LIFE, INSECTS AND POULTRY, LIVE, INCLUDING ACCESSORY ITEMS
X	04001	Amphibia: Frogs, Toads, Salamanders and other Cold Blooded Vertebrates, Live
X	04002	Animal Carriers
X	04003	Animal Care Supplies: Collars, Clothing, Leashes, Litter Boxes, etc.
X	04004	Animal Training Equipment and Supplies
X	04005	Bees
X	04007	Birds
X	04008	Cages and Shelters, Animal and Marine Life (See Class 495 for Laboratory Type)
X	04009	Cats, All Types
X	04010	Cattle, Beef, Breeding Stock
X	04011	Cattle, Beef, Commercial

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 040	ANIMALS, BIRDS, MARINE LIFE, INSECTS AND POULTRY, LIVE, INCLUDING ACCESSORY ITEMS
X	04020	Cattle, Dairy
X	04021	Chickens
X	04022	Chicks, Meat Type, Baby
X	04024	Chicks, Meat Type, Starter
X	04026	Cockerels, All Types, Baby
X	04028	Cockerels, All Types, Starter
X	04030	Dogs, All Types
X	04035	Earthworms
X	04037	Electronic Identification Systems Used for Inventory and Tracking of Animals
X	04040	Fish, Brood and Fingerling
X	04042	Fish (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	04045	Fish, Tropical
X	04048	Fur Bearing Animals (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	04050	Goats
X	04058	Hibernation Boxes, Butterfly, Ladybug, etc.
X	04060	Hogs, Pigs and Swine, Breeding Stock
X	04061	Hogs, Pigs and Swine, Commercial
X	04070	Horses
X	04071	Houses and Cages, Bird
X	04075	Marine Life (Not Otherwise Specified)
X	04080	Mules and Donkeys
X	04082	Pullets
X	04083	Pullets, Laying Types, Baby
X	04084	Pullets, Laying Types, Starter
X	04085	Rabbits
X	04086	Recycled Animal, Bird, and Marine Life Accessories and Supplies
X	04087	Rodents (See 495-12,13 for Experimental Types)
X	04088	Reptiles, Live
X	04090	Sheep
X	04091	Specialty Items for Shows and Entertainment, Perches, Hoods, Hoops, etc.
X	04092	Toys for Pets and Zoo Animals
X	04093	Turkeys, Baby
X	04094	Turkeys, Starter
X	04095	Wildlife and Pet Bands, Labels and Tags, Not Electronic
X	04096	Zoo Animals, All Types

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 052	ART OBJECTS
X	05202	Antiques
X	05208	Ceramic and Glass Objects: Shadow Boxes, Stained Glass, etc.
X	05212	Collectibles, Museum Pieces, etc. (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	05216	Drawings, Originals
X	05224	Engravings, Etchings, Linocuts, Lithographs, Scrolls, Serigraphs and Similar Reproductions
X	05232	Fabric Designs: Silk Screen, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 052	ART OBJECTS
X	05240	Masks
X	05248	Mixed Media
X	05250	Murals
X	05251	Murals, Clay
X	05252	Murals, Glass
X	05253	Murals, Photographic: Kiln Fired, Image Sublimation
X	05254	Murals: Stone, Tile
X	05255	Murals, Wall
X	05256	Paintings, Originals: Oil, Acrylic, Water Color, etc.
X	05264	Photographs
X	05272	Posters and Prints, Not Originals
X	05276	Recycled Art Objects
X	05280	Sculptures: Marble, Metal, Plastic, etc.
X	05288	Wood Carvings and Woodcuts

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 115	BIOCHEMICALS, RESEARCH
X	11505	Biochemical Reagents and Tests: Antibiotic Assays, Differentiation Discs, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 120	BOATS, MOTORS, AND MARINE EQUIPMENT
X	12017	Control Systems, Boat, Ship, Marine, Environmental
X	12039	Fish Tanks, Holding and Transport
X	12072	Positioning Systems, Global, Marine

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 175	CHEMICAL LABORATORY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
X	17513	Chemicals, Laboratory: ACS, CP, Practical, Reagent Grade, etc.
X	17515	Cleaning Equipment and Supplies, Laboratory
X	17519	Crushers and Grinders, Metal and Stoneware: Ball Mills, etc.
X	17549	Interval Timers and Actuators, Electrical and Mechanical
X	17574	Reagents and Chemicals, Ultrapure, Meeting Higher Standards than Ordinary Reagent Grade, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 193	CLINICAL LABORATORY REAGENTS AND TESTS (BLOOD GROUPING, DIAGNOSTIC, DRUG MONITORING, ETC.)
X	19312	Blood Chemistry and Hematology, Reagents and Supplies, Automatic and Semiautomatic Instruments: Counting Controls, Detergents, etc.
X	19314	Blood Chemistry Reagents and Tests, Nonautomated: BUN, Enzymes, Glucose, Proteins, Triglycerides, etc.
X	19322	Blood Fractions, Grouping, Typing, and Diagnosis: Reagent Red Cells, Sera, Antisera, etc.
X	19326	Blood Grouping and Typing Reagents: Antibody Potentiating Media, Copper

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 193	CLINICAL LABORATORY REAGENTS AND TESTS (BLOOD GROUPING, DIAGNOSTIC, DRUG MONITORING, ETC.)
		Sulfate Solutions, Normal Saline, etc.
X	19336	Diagnostic Reagents and Supplies, Automated Chemistry
X	19340	Diagnostic Reagents and Tests, Diseases, Pregnancy, etc.: Cards, Slides, Spot Tests, Strips, Tablets, etc.
X	19352	Enzyme Immunoassay Reagents
X	19380	Radioactive Diagnostic Reagents
X	19394	Urinalysis Reagents and Tests: Albumin, Bile, Blood, Glucose, Ketones, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 232	CRAFTS, GENERAL (Flowers for Teaching Purposes and Commencement Exercises Only)
X	23227	Dried Flowers and Plants
X	23232	Floral Arrangements, Artificial
X	23235	Floral Supplies: Artificial Flowers, Floral Tape, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 245	DAIRY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
X	24570	Milking Machines, Accessories, and Parts: Compressors, Pulsators, etc.
X	24580	Milk Processing Equipment, Homogenizers, Pasteurizers, etc., including Parts and Accessories

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 257	DEFENSE SYSTEM AND HOMELAND SECURITY EQUIPMENT, WEAPONS AND ACCESSORIES
X	25718	Aircraft, Military, Fighter Bombers, Attack Aircraft, etc.
X	25719	Aviation Equipment, CBRNE (Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear Explosive Weapons and Cyber Attacks)
X	25723	Bomb Detection Equipment and Supplies
X	25724	Bomb Protection Devices and Supplies
X	25727	Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear Explosive Weapons and Cyber Attacks
X	25728	Communications Equipment, Interoperable, CBRNE
X	25731	Detection Equipment, CBRNE
X	25734	Decontamination Equipment, CBRNE
X	25737	Explosive Device Mitigation and Remediation Equipment
X	25740	Homeland Security Equipment and Accessories (not Otherwise Classified)
X	25743	Intervention Equipment, CBRNE
X	25744	Logistical Support Equipment, CBRNE
X	25746	Military Explosives: Bombs, Mines, etc.
X	25747	Military Watercraft, Submarines, Aircraft Carriers, Cruisers, etc.
X	25750	Missiles, Guided, Air to Air
X	25751	Missiles, Guided, Air to Surface
X	25752	Missiles, Guided, Antiballistic
X	25753	Missiles, Guided, Antiaircraft
X	25754	Missiles, Guided, Antimissile
X	25755	Missiles, Guided, Antiship

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 257	DEFENSE SYSTEM AND HOMELAND SECURITY EQUIPMENT, WEAPONS AND ACCESSORIES
X	25756	Missiles, Guided, Antitank
X	25758	Missiles, Guided, Ballistic
X	25760	Missiles, Guided, Cruise
X	25763	Missiles, Guided, Surface to Surface
X	25764	Missiles, Guided, Training
X	25767	Missile Subsystems, Including Boosters, Warheads, Pin Pullers, Jet Reaction Control Assy
X	25771	Recycled Defense System Equipment and Accessories
X	25772	Rescue and Search Equipment, CBRNE
X	25773	Rockets and Launch Vehicles, Including Boosters
X	25775	Satellites, Military (See 804-74 for all other types)
X	25776	Sensors, Infrared (IR)
X	25778	Security Enhancement Equipment, Cyber
X	25779	Security Enhancement Equipment, Physical, Including Blast Curtains
X	25781	Terrorism Incident Prevention Equipment
X	25782	Terrorism Prevention, Response and Mitigation Equipment for Agriculture
X	25787	Vehicles, Incident Response, CBRNE
X	25788	Vehicles, War, Armored, Tanks, etc.
X	25793	Watercraft, Response, CBRNE
X	25794	Weapons, Naval, Torpedoes, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 287	ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT, COMPONENTS, PARTS, AND ACCESSORIES (See Class 370 for Testing and Analyzing Type)
X	28748	Microwave Equipment and Accessories: Band Pass Filters, Coaxial Attenuators, Couplers, Switchers, Tellurometers, Tuners, Wave Guides, Not Communication Type
X	28780	Testing Equipment and Systems, Electronic Meter

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 290	ENERGY COLLECTING EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES: SOLAR AND WIND
X	29017	Recycled Energy Collection Equipment and Supplies
X	29020	Solar Air Conditioning Systems and Accessories: Absorption Type, etc.
X	29030	Solar Space Heating Systems and Accessories
X	29040	Solar Heat Collector Systems and Accessories
X	29050	Solar Heat Collector Tracking Systems and Accessories
X	29060	Solar Heat Collectors, Concentrating Type
X	29065	Solar Heat Collectors, Evacuated Tube Type
X	29070	Solar Heat Collectors, Flat Plate Type
X	29080	Solar Powered Electrical Systems, Batter Charging, etc.
X	29082	Solar Energy Systems, Complete
X	29086	Solar Radiant Flux Measuring Instruments (See also 220-33)
X	29090	Solar Water Heating Systems and Accessories
X	29095	Wind Electrical Generating Systems and Accessories

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 305	ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURAL EQUIPMENT, SURVEYING EQUIPMENT, DRAWING INSTRUMENTS, AND SUPPLIES
X	30578	Surveying Instruments and Accessories: Alidades, Compasses, Levels, Theodolites, Transits, Tripods, etc. (See 305-60 for Surveyor's Measuring Equipment)
X	30580	Surveying Systems, GPS

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 306	ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURAL EQUIPMENT, SURVEYING EQUIPMENT, DRAWING INSTRUMENTS, AND SUPPLIES, ENVIRONMENTALLY CERTIFIED BY AN AGENCY ACCEPTED CERTIFICATION ENTITY
X	30606	Calculators, Programmed for Surveying Systems, (See Class 600 for Office Type), Environmentally Certified Products
X	30668	Planimeters, Environmentally Certified Products
X	30678	Surveying Instruments and Accessories: Alidades, Compasses, Levels, Theodolites, Transits, Tripods, etc. (See 305-60 for Surveyor's Measuring Equipment), Environmentally Certified Products
X	30680	Surveying Systems, Geo Satellite Navigation Type, Environmentally Certified Products

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 312	ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT, INSIDE AND OUTSIDE
X	31243	Environmental Control Systems, Spacecraft

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 325	FEED, BEDDING, VITAMINS AND SUPPLEMENTS FOR ANIMALS
X	32505	Animal Food for Zoo and Farm Animals
X	32548	Milk Products
X	32584	Vitamins and Supplements

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 345	FIRST AID AND SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES, EXCEPT NUCLEAR AND WELDING
X	34516	Detectors and Parts, Dust, Gas, Voltage

All 375 Category Exempt	3-Digit Class Code 375	FOODS: BAKERY PRODUCTS, FRESH
X	37515	Bread, Rolls, etc. Including Brown and Serve Items
X	37530	Cakes, Cookies, and Pastries
X	37545	Doughnuts, Fried Pies, Bagels, etc.
X	37550	Pastry Shells
X	37552	Pies
X	37554	Pizzas
X	37560	Taco Shells and Tortillas

All 380 Category Exempt	3-Digit Class Code 380	FOODS: DAIRY PRODUCTS, FRESH
X	38010	Butter (See 390-56 for Margarine)
X	38015	Cottage Cheese
X	38030	Cream, All Types (Including Sour Cream)
X	38033	Desserts, Milk Based (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	38035	Eggnog and Mix
X	38045	Ice Cream
X	38050	Ice Milk and Mellorine
X	38060	Mellorine
X	38075	Milk, All Types
X	38080	Sherbet
X	38085	Toppings, Whipped, Refrigerated
X	38090	Yogurt

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 390	FOODS: PERISHABLE
X	39002	Aquatic Invertebrates, Octopus, Squid, Anemones, Sea Cucumbers
X	39005	Casings, Meat, All Types
X	39007	Cheese
X	39015	Dips, Food
X	39021	Eggs, Fresh
X	39028	Fruits, Fresh
X	39033	Hors d'oeuvres, Meat Trays, Vegetable Trays, Dessert Trays, etc. For Meetings and Parties
X	39035	Ice
X	39042	Ice, Dry
X	39049	Meat: Cured, Fresh, and Frozen
X	39056	Margarine (See 380-10 for Butter)
X	39063	Poultry, Dressed
X	39068	Salad Mix, Fresh
X	39069	Salted or Smoked Foods, Fruit, Meat, Seafood, Nuts, etc.
X	39070	Seafood, Fresh
X	39072	Shellfish, Fresh
X	39075	Shortening, Except Vegetable and Lard
X	39077	Tamales, Fresh
X	39084	Vegetables, Fresh
X	39091	Water, Bottled, Drinking, Including Distilled, Mineral, Sparkling and Spring

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 465	HOSPITAL AND SURGICAL EQUIPMENT, INSTRUMENTS, AND SUPPLIES
X	46529	Electrical Safety Analyzers, For Current Leakage Detection

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 490	LABORATORY EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES: GENERAL ANALYTICAL AND RESEARCH FOR NUCLEAR, OPTICAL, AND PHYSICAL
X	49044	Lamps and Other Radiation Sources, Specialized, Laboratory, Cathode, Infrared, and Ultraviolet Lamps, etc.
X	49065	Nuclear Equipment and Accessories, Laboratory: Magnetic Shielding, Particle Accelerators, Counters (Research Type), Scintillating Crystals, etc.
X	49068	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) Apparatus, Laboratory
X	49075	Plasma Generators, Laboratory
X	49080	Sorption Measurement Systems, Laboratory, For Surface Area of Fine Particles, etc.
X	49081	Semiconductor Devices, Laboratory

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 493	LABORATORY EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES: BIOCHEMISTRY, CHEMISTRY, ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, ETC.
X	49348	Odor Control Equipment, Laboratory, Duct Mount Ozonators
X	49392	Vacuum Still, Laboratory: Short Path, Spinning Band, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 495	LABORATORY AND FIELD EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES: BIOLOGY, BOTANY, GEOLOGY, MICROBIOLOGY, ZOOLOGY, ETC.
X	49505	Activity Cages, Mazes, and Other Animal Psychology Equipment
X	49508	Amphibia For Laboratory Research, Preserved
X	49510	Animal Cages and Supplies, Including Litter, Laboratory
X	49512	Animals, Experimental, Not Specially Bred
X	49513	Animals, Experimental, Specially Bred or Selected (e.g., Albino Mice and Rats)
X	49515	Aquariums and Supplies
X	49525	Biology Specimens and Cultures, Except Microbial
X	49526	Biology Specimens and Cultures, Including Microbial: Complete Ecosystems, etc.
X	49530	Botany Specimens
X	49538	Cultures, Microbial, Living Organism
X	49545	Geology Specimens and Collections
X	49549	Invertebrates and Vertebrates, Preserved
X	49554	Insects for Laboratory Research
X	49578	Reptiles, Preserved
X	49585	Skeletons: Mounted, Unmounted, and Partial
X	49595	Zoology Specimens, Live and Injected

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 580	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, ACCESSORIES, AND SUPPLIES
X	58002	Accordions and Accessories
X	58003	Amplified Instruments, Guitars, etc. and Amplifiers
X	58005	Band and Choral Risers
X	58010	Band Instruments and Accessories
X	58015	Band Room Equipment: Music Cabinets, Stands, etc.
X	58025	Electronic Musical Instruments: Electronic Organs, Synthesizers, Visualizers, etc.
X	58030	Metronomes and Tuners, Conventional or Electronic
X	58034	Music Boxes

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 580	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, ACCESSORIES, AND SUPPLIES
X	58035	Music, Sheet and Folio
X	58040	Musical Instrument Repair Parts and Supplies, Except Organ and Piano
X	58045	Musical Supplies: Music Holders, Strings, Reeds, Rhythm Sticks, etc.
X	58055	Organs, Conventional, Accessories, Parts and Supplies
X	58060	Pianos, Accessories, Tuning Instruments, Parts and Supplies
X	58070	Recycled Musical Instruments, Accessories and Supplies
X	58080	Stringed Instruments, Conventional and Accessories: Banjos, Guitars, Violins, Violas, etc.
X	58085	Tower Chimes, Including Parts and Accessories

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 593	NUCLEAR EQUIPMENT COMPONENTS, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES
X	59340	Fuel Equipment, Nuclear
X	59347	Industrial Nucleonic Instruments
X	59348	Irradiation Equipment, Atomic or Nuclear Energy
X	59350	Nuclear Energy Machinery and Equipment: Subcritical Assy., Dosimetry Equipment, Hot Cell Devices, etc.
X	59364	Reactor Equipment, Nuclear
X	59367	Refurbished Nuclear Equipment, Components, Accessories and Supplies
X	59390	Waste Collection Equipment, Radioactive

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 595	NURSERY (PLANTS) STOCK, EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES
X	59506	Bamboo, Cane, Rattan, Reed, etc.
X	59507	Aquatic Plants
X	59510	Bedding Plants and Cuttings
X	59515	Bulbs and Seeds, Including Flower Seeds
X	59526	Edging, Lawn
X	59528	Flowers, Fresh (Flowers for Teaching Purposes, Commencement Exercises, Banquets, Conferences, Workshops, etc.)
X	59533	Grates, Guards, and Other Protective Devices for Trees and Shrubs
X	59535	Groundcovers and Vines
X	59537	Horticultural Specialties, Including Ornamental Floriculture Products
X	59540	Nursery, Greenhouse and Floral Supplies: Labels, Planters, Pots, Tags, Trellises, etc.
X	59550	Peat Moss
X	59552	Perennials
X	59555	Plant Foods, Not Fertilizer
X	59557	Plants, Non-Flowering
X	59558	Plant Shine
X	59559	Plants, Herb
X	59560	Plant Sprayers and Respirators, Plant Propagation Mats, etc., Including Parts and Accessories
X	59561	Plants, Indoor
X	59565	Shrubbery, Evergreen

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 595	NURSERY (PLANTS) STOCK, EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES
X	59566	Shrubbery, Flowering
X	59570	Trees, Fruit and Nut
X	59575	Trees, Ornamental and Shade
X	59577	Tropicals

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 625	OPTICAL EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES, AND SUPPLIES, INCLUDING TELESCOPES
X	62583	Telescopes, Astronomical, Amateur Sizes
X	62584	Telescopes, Astronomical, Observatory Sizes, and Guide Telescopes, Schmidt Cameras, etc.
X	62591	Telescopes, Terrestrial: Alignment, Spotting, etc. (See Class 680 for Rifle and Range)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 715	PUBLICATIONS, AUDIOVISUAL MATERIALS, BOOKS, TEXTBOOKS, PREPARED MATERIALS ONLY
X	71545	Laboratory Books, Research and Related Materials, DNA, Genomic, etc.
X	71583	Textbooks, Adult Education
X	71584	Textbooks, Special Education
X	71585	Textbooks, Pre-Kindergarten thru 5th Grade, Including Student and Teacher Editions
X	71586	Textbooks, 6th thru 8th Grade, Including Student and Teacher Editions
X	71587	Textbooks, 9th thru 12th Grade, Including Student and Teacher Editions
X	71588	Textbooks, College Level, Including Student and Teacher Editions
X	71590	Video Cassettes, Disks, Tapes, etc., For Computer and TV, Prerecorded
X	71595	Recycled Publications and Audio-Visual Materials

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 726	RADIO COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT AND ANTENNAS, INCLUDING PARTS AND ACCESSORIES
X	72647	Frequency Data Communication Equipment, Radio (Including Identification Equipment)
X	72651	Global Positioning Systems, Satellite, Global Information Systems, Including GPS Receivers and Transmitters
X	72654	Ground Stations, Satellite: Transmit/Receive and Receive Only, Including Antennas
X	72686	Tracking Equipment, Wildlife (See Class 120-37 for Fish Locators)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 730	RADIO COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION TESTING, MEASURING, AND ANALYZING EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES
X	73006	Calibrators: Resistance, Power, Voltage, Time, etc.
X	73012	Computer-Automated Measurement and Control (CAMAC) Systems and Devices, All Kinds
X	73018	Converters: Analog-to-Digital, Digital-to-Analog, Time-to-Amplitude, etc.
X	73024	Counters, Ratemeters, Scalers, Timers, etc. (For Electronic Pulses)
X	73030	Discriminators and Burst Protectors

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 730	RADIO COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION TESTING, MEASURING, AND ANALYZING EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES
X	73032	Distortion Measurement Equipment, Audiofrequency, Radiofrequency, etc.
X	73036	Field Strength Meters, Microwave Power, etc. and Monitoring Systems
X	73037	Forensic Extraction Devices for Cellular Phones, Smartphones and PDAs
X	73042	Function Generators, Pulse, Ramp, Sweep, etc. and Oscillators
X	73049	Logic Analyzers, Microprocessor Analyzers, and Accessories: Delay and Gate Generators, Personality Modules, Word Recognizers, etc.
X	73054	Measuring Instruments, Analog and Digital, For Capacitance, Current, Frequency, Impedance, Power, Resistance, Sound Level, Voltage, etc.
X	73060	Oscilloscopes, Waveform Analyzers, and Accessories
X	73066	Pulse Height Analyzers, Single Channel and Multichannel
X	73072	Radio, Sound, and Telecommunications Testing Equipment: AF Generators, Deviation Meters, Meter Panels, Test Fixtures and Jigs, etc.
X	73074	Recycled Radio and Telecommunication Testing, Measuring and Analyzing Equipment and Supplies
X	73078	Signal Averagers, Integrators, etc.
X	73084	Spectrum Analyzers: Radio Frequencies, Sound, etc.
X	73090	Video Testing Equipment: Color Bar Generators, Degaussing Coils, Waveform Monitors, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 785	SCHOOL EQUIPMENT, TEACHING AIDS, AND SUPPLIES
X	78503	Anatomical Models, For Medical and Nursing Instruction (See Also First Aid Manikins and Models in Class 345-68)
X	78570	Instructional Aids: Courses, Lesson Plans, Prepared, Programs, Ancillary Materials, DVDs, etc. (See Class 715 for Textbooks)
X	78587	Resource Books and Materials, Not Otherwise Classified

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 804	SPACECRAFTS, ACCESSORIES AND COMPONENTS
X	80412	Altitude Control Systems, Spacecraft
X	80432	Computerized Master Control Systems, Spacecraft
X	80442	Flight Instrumentation, Aerospace
X	80453	Payload Delivery Systems, Spacecraft
X	80457	Power Systems, Spacecraft, Solar Arrays, Solar Cells, etc.
X	80474	Satellites, Navigation, Geosynchronous, Orbiting, etc. (See 25775 for Military Types)
X	80476	Service Modules, Spacecraft
X	80477	Spacecrafts
X	80495	Recycled Spacecrafts, Components and Accessories

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 838	TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CELLULAR EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES
X	83887	Telemedical Equipment
X	83888	Telemetry Equipment

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 839	TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES
X	83951	Microwave Equipment (See Class 045 for Household Ovens)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 840	TELEVISION EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES
X	84020	Broadcast Equipment, Television
X	84024	Cable or Community Television Equipment and Hardware
X	84036	Frequency Measuring Equipment, Television
X	84045	Satellite Receiver Dish, Video
X	84074	Video Monitors, Demodulators, Signal Processors, etc.; Accessories and Parts

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 845	TESTING APPARATUS AND INSTRUMENTS, NOT FOR ELECTRICAL OR ELECTRONIC MEASUREMENTS
X	84501	Acoustic Testing Devices
X	84502	Aerodynamic and Aeronautical Testing Equipment, Including Wind Tunnels
X	84504	Combustion Efficiency Measurement Equipment
X	84506	Concrete Testing Equipment
X	84508	Corrosion Testing Equipment
X	84510	Fabric Testing Equipment
X	84514	Fiber/Fabric Testing Apparatus, Except Flammability
X	84519	Flash Point Tester, Closed and Open Cup
X	84523	Flammability Testing Equipment, For Apparel, Construction Materials, Fabrics, etc.
X	84524	Food Testing Apparatus, For Fat, Fiber, Moisture Content, etc.
X	84535	Milk and Dairy Testing Equipment, (See 24587 For Dairy Thermometers)
X	84544	Microwave Test Equipment and Accessories, Not Communications Type
X	84545	Moisture Testing Equipment, Not for Soils
X	84548	Paint Testing Equipment
X	84549	Pavement Testing and Data Collection Equipment
X	84550	Petroleum Production Test Equipment
X	84551	Petroleum Test Equipment and Supplies, To Determine Recyclability
X	84554	Precision Linear Measuring Instruments: Calipers and Vernier Calipers, Dry Film Thickness Gauges, Dial and Standard Micrometers, etc.
X	84560	Recycled Testing Apparatus, Instruments and Accessories
X	84563	Road Building Materials Testers and Accessories
X	84571	Civil Engineering & Materials Testing Equipment
X	84595	Viscosity Testers, Viscometers and Viscosimeters

All 855 Category Exempt	3-Digit Class Code 855	THEATRICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
X	85515	Costumes and Accessories
X	85522	Curtains, Cycloramas, Draperies, Drops, etc.
X	85530	Dance Floors, Portable
X	85543	Lifts, Orchestra, Theater Pit Area

All 855 Category Exempt	3-Digit Class Code 855	THEATRICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
X	85544	Lighting and Dimming Controls: Autotransformer Dimmers, Control Panels, Solid State Thyristor and Triac Dimmers, etc.
X	85546	Lighting Control Systems: Memory and Computer Microprocessor Type
X	85548	Lighting Distribution Hardware: Borderlight Cables, Pipe Battens, Plugging Strips and Boxes, Wall and Floor Pockets, etc.
X	85550	Lighting Instruments: Border and Cyclorama Strip Lights, Follow Spotlights, Floodlights, Special Effects Lighting, Spotlights, etc.
X	85553	Lighting Systems, Complete
X	85560	Makeup
X	85568	Scenery and Props
X	85570	Sound Effects Equipment
X	85575	Stage Hardware and Supplies: Braces, Canvas, Clamps, Paints, etc.
X	85577	Standards, Portable, Ropes, For Theater Lobbies
X	85580	Stage Rigging and Tracks
X	85581	Stages, Theatre, All Types
X	85588	Turnstiles, Theater
X	85595	Recycled Theatrical Equipment, Accessories and Supplies

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 875	VETERINARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES (SEE CLASS 325 FOR VITAMINS AND SUPPLEMENTS FOR ANIMALS)
X	87509	Animal Body Parts, Tissues, Body Fluids, etc., Veterinary
X	87530	Frozen Semen, Veterinary

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 898	X-RAY AND OTHER RADIOLOGICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES, MEDICAL
X	89803	Archiving System Hardware, Medical X-Ray Film

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 906	Refer to O.C.G.A. 50-22-1 et seq. for other requirements ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES, PROFESSIONAL
X	90602	Acoustics, Noise Abatement, Architectural Services
X	90604	Agricultural Development, Architectural Services
X	90606	Airports, Lighting, Fueling, Nav aids, Architectural Services
X	90607	Architect Services, Professional, (Not Otherwise Classified), Including Consulting
X	90608	Automation; Controls; Instrumentation, Architectural Services
X	90610	Buildings, Architectural Design Services
X	90612	Building Sanitation, Architectural Services
X	90614	Cemeteries, Planning and Relocation, Architectural Services
X	90616	Chemical Processing and Storage, Architectural Services
X	90618	Cold Storage; Refrigeration; Fast Freeze, Architectural Services
X	90619	Concrete, Architectural Service
X	90622	Corrosion Control; Cathodic Protection; Electrolysis, Architectural Services
X	90624	Desalinization, Process and Facilities, Architectural Services
X	90626	Electronics, Architectural Services
X	90627	Energy Management, Architectural Services

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 906	Refer to O.C.G.A. 50-22-1 et seq. for other requirements ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES, PROFESSIONAL
X	90628	Energy Conservation; New Energy Sources, Solar, etc., Architectural Services
X	90630	Fire Protection, Architectural Services
X	90632	Fisheries; Fish Ladders, Architectural Services
X	90633	Forensic, Architectural Services
X	90634	Freight Handling; Materials Handling, Architectural Services
X	90636	Gas Systems, Propane, Natural, etc., Architectural Services
X	90638	General Construction, Architectural Services
X	90640	Graphic Design, Architectural Services
X	90642	Harbors; Jetties; Piers; Ship Terminal Facilities, Architectural Services
X	90644	Heating; Ventilating; Air Conditioning, Architectural Services
X	90646	Highways; Streets; Airport Pay-Parking Lots, Architectural Services
X	90648	Historical Preservation
X	90652	Interior Design, Decorating, Space Planning, Exhibits and Displays
X	90654	Irrigation; Drainage; Flood Control, Architectural Services
X	90656	Landscape, Architectural Services
X	90657	Land Development and Planning, Architectural Services
X	90658	Lighting, Interior, Exterior, Architectural Services
X	90660	Mining and Mineralogy, Architectural Services
X	90661	Models of Layouts and Buildings to Scale, Architectural Services
X	90662	Petroleum and Fuel, Storage and Distribution, Architectural Services
X	90664	Planning, Urban, Community, Regional, Area wide, and State
X	90666	Planning, Site, Installation and Project
X	90668	Power Generation, Transmission, Distribution, Architectural Services
X	90670	Railroad; Rapid Transit; Monorail, Architectural Services
X	90672	Recreation Facilities, Parks, Marinas, etc., Architectural Services
X	90674	Recycling Systems, Architectural Services
X	90678	Security Systems; Intruder and Smoke Detection, Architectural Services
X	90680	Sewage Collection, Treatment, and Disposal, Architectural Services
X	90682	Solid Waste Disposal Systems, Architectural Services
X	90684	Telecommunications Systems, Telephone, Cellular, Radio, etc., Architectural Services
X	90688	Towers, Architectural Service
X	90690	Tunnels and Subways, Architectural Services
X	90692	Utilities, Gas, Steam, Electric, Architectural Services
X	90694	Water Supply, Treatment and Distribution, Architectural Services

All 907 Category Exempt	3-Digit Class Code 907	ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING SERVICES, NON-PROFESSIONAL
X	90714	Architectural Services, Non-Licensed (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	90728	Communications Systems; TV; Microwave, Telephone, Computer, Network
X	90735	Designing Services
X	90738	Drafting Services
X	90740	Engineering Services, Non-Licensed (Not Otherwise Classified), Including Consulting
X	90742	Geotechnical - Soils

All 907 Category Exempt	3-Digit Class Code 907	ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING SERVICES, NON-PROFESSIONAL
X	90772	Safety Engineering and Accident Studies; OSHA Studies
X	90775	Site Assessment and Site Field Observation
X	90783	Testing Services

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 915	COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA RELATED SERVICES Exempt when purchasing advertising space only. Marketing and design/creative services, including but not limited to graphic design, brand identity design, web design, etc., are not exempt from competitive bidding rules.
X	91502	Advertising Services, Including Notice of Bid Solicitation, Statutory Notices, Legal (ad placement only)
X	91503	Advertising and Public Relations, Including Skywriting (ad placement only)
X	91504	Advertising, Outdoor Billboard, etc. (ad placement only)
X	91510	Advertising, Digital (ad placement only)
X	91514	Broadcasting Services, Radio (ad placement only)
X	91515	Broadcasting Services, Television (ad placement only)
X	91571	Newspaper and Publication Advertising, Non-legal (ad placement only)
X	91578	Television Commercial Production Services (ad placement only)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 918	CONSULTING SERVICES
X	91804	Accounting, Auditing, Budget Consulting (For accounting and auditing services only when provided by a certified public accountant or an accredited financial analyst following professional standards.)
X	91814	Appraisals Consulting (provided by a licensed or accredited appraiser)
X	91838	Education and Training Consulting (Provided they are professional services rendered by an educator who either maintains a valid teaching certificate issued by the Georgia Professional Standards Commission or who possessed such a certificate that has expired within the past two years. Speakers or lecturers that are hard to bid are also considered exempt under this code.)
X	91849	Finance and Economics Consulting (Only provided by a certified public accountant or an accredited financial analyst providing an opinion of value.)
X	91874	Legal Consulting (Only when provided by a licensed attorney. Please note the Georgia Attorney General's Office must pre-approve a state entity's use of outside legal counsel.)
X	91878	Medical Consulting (only actual medical services in the following fields: chiropractic, dentistry, podiatry, veterinary medicine, registered professional nursing, medicine and surgery, optometry and osteopathy)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 924	EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING SERVICES
X	92478	Teaching and Instruction Services: Elementary and Secondary Education, Higher Education and Adult Education (Only when purchasing professional services rendered by an educator who either maintains a valid teaching certificate issued by the Georgia Professional Standards Commission or who possessed such a certificate that has expired within the past two years. Speakers or lecturers that are hard to bid are also considered exempt under this code.)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 925	ENGINEERING SERVICES, PROFESSIONAL
X	92504	Agricultural Engineering
X	92517	Civil Engineering
X	92539	Fire Protection Engineering
X	92586	Surveyor Services, Land

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 931	EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR SERVICES FOR APPLIANCE, ATHLETIC, CAFETERIA, FURNITURE, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, AND SEWING EQUIPMENT
X	93158	Musical Instruments, Maintenance and Repair, Including Piano Tuning

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 936	EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR SERVICES FOR GENERAL EQUIPMENT
X	93680	Theatrical Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93684	Towers, Radio/Radar, etc., Maintenance and Repair, Including Painting

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 938	EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR SERVICES FOR HOSPITAL, LABORATORY, AND TESTING EQUIPMENT
X	93824	Dental Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93831	Engineering and Surveying Equipment, Drawing Instruments, etc., Including Photogrammetry Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93841	Forensic Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93850	Gas Equipment, Hospital, Laboratory and Welding Maintenance and Repair
X	93856	Hospital and Medical Equipment, General, Maintenance and Repair
X	93857	Hospital and Medical Equipment, Invalid, Maintenance and Repair
X	93859	Instrument, Measuring, Observing and Testing Maintenance and Repair
X	93862	Laboratory Equipment and Accessories, General and Analytical Research Use, Nuclear, Optical, Physical Maintenance and Repair
X	93863	Laboratory Equipment and Accessories: Specialized, Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, etc., Maintenance and Repair
X	93874	Optical Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93876	Pollution Control Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93878	Respiratory Equipment, Including Air Tanks, Breathers, Masks, etc., Maintenance and Repair
X	93879	Scales and Weighing Apparatus, Hospital, Laboratory and Testing Types Only, Maintenance and Repair

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 938	EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR SERVICES FOR HOSPITAL, LABORATORY, AND TESTING EQUIPMENT
X	93881	Scientific Equipment Maintenance and Repair
X	93882	Semiconductor Devices and Components Maintenance and Repair
X	93885	Testing and Training Apparatus, Instruments and Machines, Maintenance and Repair
X	93890	Veterinary Equipment and Accessories, Including Cages and Kennels, Maintenance and Repair
X	93895	X-Ray Equipment Maintenance and Repair

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 946	FINANCIAL SERVICES
X	94612	Actuarial Services
X	94615	Appraisal Services, Real Estate
X	94630	Cash/Securities and Bonding Services
X	94631	Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Services

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 948	HEALTH RELATED SERVICES (SEE CLASS 952 FOR HUMAN SERVICES)
X	94864	Nursing Services
X	94874	Professional Medical Services: Including Physicians, Pharmacists, and All Specialties
X	94876	Psychologists, Psychological and Psychiatric Services, Including Behavioral Management Services
X	94886	Therapy and Rehabilitation Services

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 949	FINANCIAL SERVICES, HIGHER EDUCATION
X	94991	Visa Processing Fees (Note: related to faculty, student and state employee internal travel requiring payment of processing fees by foreign government or authorized third parties providing visa services. Only for use by the University System of Georgia and the Technical College System of Georgia.)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 952	HUMAN SERVICES
X	95221	Counseling
X	95247	Foster Care Services (Only for use by the Department of Human Services.)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 956	LIBRARY AND SUBSCRIPTION SERVICES, INCLUDING RESEARCH SERVICES, INTERNET AND PERIODICAL SUBSCRIPTIONS
X	95635	Internet Database Subscriptions
X	95640	Magazine Subscriptions
X	95649	Newsletter Subscriptions
X	95650	Newspaper Subscriptions
X	95658	Professional Document and Publication Subscriptions: Legal, Medical, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 956	LIBRARY AND SUBSCRIPTION SERVICES, INCLUDING RESEARCH SERVICES, INTERNET AND PERIODICAL SUBSCRIPTIONS
X	95660	Professional Journal Subscriptions
X	95685	Training Material Subscriptions

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 961	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES, NO. 1 (NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED)
X	96130	Employment Agency and Search Firm Service, including Background Investigations and Drug Testing for Employment
X	96146	Interpreter Services, Foreign Language, Hearing Impaired, etc. (Only sign language services for the hearing impaired are exempt.)
X	96147	Law Enforcement Services, Including Process Server Services
X	96149	Legal Services, Attorneys (Must be provided by a licensed attorney. Please note the Georgia Attorney General's Office must pre-approve a state entity's use of outside legal counsel.)
X	96161	Public Speaking Services
X	96173	Theatrical Services, Including Costume Design and Creation, Production, Scenery Design, Stage, etc.
X	96183	Utility Services, Electric (Except when Customer Choice)
X	96184	Utility Services, Gas (Except when Customer Choice. As a reminder, all state entities must utilize the mandatory statewide contracts for natural gas.)
X	96185	Utility Services, Water (Except when Customer Choice)
X	96186	Veterinary Services

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 962	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES, NO. 2 (NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED)
X	96206	Animal Care, Animal Control, Animal Health, Animal Shelter, Animal Trapping, Animal Production (Breeding), Animal Training Services, etc., Including Pet Services, All Types
X	96272	Restoration and Preservation Services: Antiques, Costumes, Paintings, and other Objects
X	96288	Travel, Non-Local, Provided by Third Party (Only for Tours)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 963	MISCELLANEOUS FEES, DUES, PERMITS, REGISTRATIONS, REBATES, POSTAGE, TAXES
X	96316	Accreditation Fees
X	96320	Associations
X	96322	Allowances, Stipends, All Types
X	96324	Bonds, Notary
X	96330	Contributions and Donations
X	96335	Fees, Bank
X	96337	Fees, Conference/Convention
X	96338	Fees, Credit Card
X	96339	Fees (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	96340	Fees, Symposium
X	96341	Fees, Tournament
X	96342	Incentives, Rebates and Refunds

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 963	MISCELLANEOUS FEES, DUES, PERMITS, REGISTRATIONS, REBATES, POSTAGE, TAXES
X	96343	Intergovernmental and Inter-Agency Contracts
X	96345	Licensing Fees
X	96347	Meals
X	96348	Membership Dues
X	96355	Permits (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	96357	Postage Related Purchases, Including Postage Stamps, Pre-Sort 1 st Class Inscriptions, Postage by Phone or Meters, etc.
X	96364	Registration Fees (Not Otherwise Classified)
X	96377	Sponsorships, All Types
X	96379	Surcharges, Fuel Surcharges and Taxes
X	96385	Toll and Bridge Fees
X	96388	Tuitions
X	96391	Warranties

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 971	REAL PROPERTY RENTAL OR LEASE
X	97145	Office Space Rental or Lease
X	97155	Parking Spaces in a Parking Lot or Garage, Rental or Lease
X	97165	Room Rental or Lease for Conferences, Seminars, etc.

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 972	RESEARCH AND EDUCATIONAL SERVICES, HIGHER EDUCATION
X	97258	Visiting Speakers (Only for use by the University System of Georgia and the Technical College System of Georgia. All other state agencies, please use NIGP Code 96161.)

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 981	RENTAL OR LEASE OF GENERAL EQUIPMENT (HVAC, ATHLETIC, FIRE AND POLICE PROTECTION, ETC.)
X	98174	Theatrical Equipment and Supplies, Including Costumes Rental or Lease

Select Exemptions Only	3-Digit Class Code 998	SALE OF SURPLUS AND OBSOLETE ITEMS
X	99844	Food, Sale of Surplus and Obsolete Items

MULTIPLE NIGP CODES AVAILABLE FOR THE EXEMPT ITEMS BELOW Add a comment to the Purchase Order to document the exemption.		
Direct Resale through a State Entity/Institution operated service i.e. bookstore, cafeteria, etc.		
Teaching Forms and Publications for Testing		
Contractors for services only to be provided by Non-Profit Entities that comply with the requirements of O.C.G.A. 50-20-1 <i>et seq.</i>		