

GEARS Training Procure to Pay

Department of Budget & Finance

Department of Procurement, Contracts, Grant Administration



Agenda

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- AP Inquiry & Reporting
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Introductions

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Department of Procurement, Contract and Grant Administration Overview

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The Department of Procurement, Contract, & Grant Administration is responsible for procuring goods and services for the Judiciary.

Key functional responsibilities include:

- Provide assistance and oversight throughout the entire procurement process, from requisition to award.
- Ethically source contracts that benefit the public and our internal stakeholders.

Department of Budget & Finance Overview

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The Department of Budget and Finance handles the accounting, budgeting, and all financial services of the Judiciary.

Key functional responsibilities include:

- Review and record accounts payable and revenue transactions.
- Justification and execution of the Judiciary budget.
- Responsible for the oversight of the security and operational aspects of the GEARS financial system of record.

Introduce Yourself

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Your Name Your Title Your Location Fun Fact







Tools to Begin



Authority

Budget Appropriation





Appropriation Year

- Each appropriation year starts on July 1st and ends on June 30th. The appropriation year is defined by the calendar year associated with the June 30th date.
- For example, we are currently in AY2022 that started on July 1, 2021, and ends on June 30, 2022.
- The AY year is one of the fields that you must select in the GEARS distribution lines.

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What

Goods and Services to Procure?





LOCATING THE CHART OF ACCOUNTS (COA)

The Chart of Accounts is used to categorize and code expenses and revenue into buckets for tracking and reporting.



https://courtnet.courts.state.md.us/finance/quickreference.html

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	0820	Medical Care	NE	Contractual services related to medical care costs.			
	0821	Management Studies & Consultants	E	Contractual services related to management studies, consultants and architect costs.			
	0823	Security Services	E	Contractual services related to security services costs.			
	0824 Laboratory Services		NE	Laboratory Services costs.			
	0826	Delivery, Shipping & Moving	E	Contractual services related to delivery, shipping and moving costs.			
	0827	Trash Removal	NE	Contractual services related to trash and garbage removal costs.			
	0828	Office Assistance	NE	Contractual services related to office assistance costs (ex. Temporary Manpower).			
	0829	Fiscal Services	NE	Contractual services and fees related to fiscal and accounting services.			
	0832	Education & Training Reimbursement (HR Only)	NE	Judicial College Use ONLY - Contractual services related to education & training contract costs.			
	0834	American Sign Language Interpretation Services	NE	Contractual services related to American sign language interpretive services.			
	0854	Computer Hardware & Software Maintenance	NE	Preventive or remedial maintenance charges.			
	0858	Software Licenses	E	Fees paid to a software vendor for the publisher's permission to use proprietary software.			
	0870	Payment to Panel Attorneys	NE	Costs to provide panel attorney representation			
	0872	Bar Exam Services	E	Costs to provide the bar-exam, including Board of Director expenses.			
			E	Miscellaneous services furnished by the private sector (ex. messenger, courier, armored car services, web site, network services).			
				State Retirement Administrative Fee			

Chart of Accounts (COA)

You will need to select an account code for requisitions, express PO's, and vouchers, by reviewing the account code descriptions.

Account Code Breakout

- O809 Equipment & Furniture Maintenance, Repair & Rental, such as Xerox. The invoice should contain maintenance and warranty costs for copiers, tables, printers, and other office equipment.
- O854 Computer Hardware & Software Maintenance, such as BMC Software. The invoice should contain the maintenance charges of the software.
- O858 Software Licenses, such as Schedule Interpreter. The invoice should contain the service period for the use of the software.
- O892 Subscription Database Services, such as LexisNexis and Thomson West. The invoice should contain the number of users and a membership/subscription fee to use the software.

Where



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ANALYTICS DEPARTMENT

Location Department Unit



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Program Cost Account (PCA)

The Program Cost Account (PCA) is a 5-digit code that defines where the revenue or expenses are earned or incurred for tracking and reporting purposes. You will need to know your PCA to use the speedchart function in GEARS. For example, 60091.

- Position 1 and 2 define the program, such as 60 for the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC).
- Position 3 and 4 define the location or department, such as 09 for the Department of Budget & Finance.
- Position 5 defines the fund, such as 1 for the general fund.

Who

Identifying the Vendor: Blanket Po List Vendor Lookup Query Vendor Maintenance Form



Blanket PO List

FY 22 LIST OF BLANKET CONTRACTS

VENDOR NAME	DESCRIPTION	VENDOR PHONE & FAX NUMBERS	VENDOR CONTACT NAME	VENDOR ID (use this ID # on Express PO's)	STATE CONTRACT AOC- No Express PO Required <\$2500 DC-Express PO Required	JUDICIARY BLANKET CONTRACT AOC& DC- Express PO Required
AJ STATIONER	Office Supplies toner, computer accessories	Tel:855-846-2257 Fax: 877-859-1875	Donna Myers 410-360-4900 Pam Shaffer 866-379-1601	0000005491	BPO0000034140-2022	
Certified Mail Done Fast	Certified Mailers	Tel: (513) 481-6116 Fax: (513) 481-6119	Terilyn Reber	0000004403		BPO0000034142-2022
Penn Jersey	Cleaning supplies & misc, janitorial supplies	Tel: (410) 268-7877 Fax: (410) 268-7886	Joann Rogers	00000012898		BPO0000034064-2022
*Lincoln Rubber Stamp Co, Inc.	Rubber Stamps	Tel: (443) 749-4940 Fax: (443) 749-4941	Elwood Abbott orders@lincolnstamp.com <u>H:\Form letters\Order Form-</u> Lincoln.pdf	0000010621		BPO0000034058-2022
*Maryland Corrections Enterprises	Stationery/Envelopes Business Cards/Name plate	Tel: (410) 540-5555 Tel: (410) 540-5447 Fax: (410) 799-8604	Customer Services Jim Jackson	0000006439	BPO0000034063-2022	

https://www.mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/import/procurement/pdfs/bpofy2022.pdf

How to Look Up Vendor Information



YOU ARE IN:

GEARS General Enterprise And Resource Support

Quick Reference

Acronyms

FAQs

9.2 Tip Sheets

Tip Sheets

General

How to Look Up Vendor Information (Updated 05-01-17)





LAST REVISED DATE: 05/01/2017

General Information

Task	Process Information
	Search for a vendor(s) using the search criteria in GEARS to validate if a Vendor is in the system and review information relating to that vendor.
Looking Up Vendor Information in GEARS	This tip sheet will review the steps to looking up vendor information using the search criteria.
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please	Tip: Once you locate the Vendor ID, make a list of your most commonly used vendors so you can have that information on hand for future use, but remember, at times, vendor information does change.
or the JIS Service Desk.	If the vendor has not been established in GEARS, you may need to complete a Vendor Maintenance Form and send it to the Department of Budget and Finance (DBF). The form is available on the GEARS website: http://mdcourts.gov/gears/forms.html

GEARS Navigation

Main Menu> Vendors > Vendor Information > Add/Update > Review Vendors + Vendors + > Vendors + > Vendors + > Add/Update + > Review Vendors

Training

Locating the Vendor Maintenance Form



YOU AREIN: GEARS General Enterprise And Resource Support

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Training

Forms

Archived Messages

Welcome to GEARS

GEARS is the Judiciary-wide financial system that supports the Budget, Finance, Procurement, and Grants Management processes, as well as Local Court Accounting for Circuit and District Courts. The system went live July 1, 2013 and allows for centralized realtime data, along with improved flow of information, transactions and reports. In addition, the system enables a uniform application of our policies and procedures across the Judiciary.

Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.

GEARS Login



Forms

- GEARS General Ledger Journal Entry Template (fillable PDF)
- GEARS General Ledger Journal Entry Template Example
- GEARS Security Access Form (fillable PDF)
- GEARS Security Access Form Instructions
- · Location Maintenance Request Form (fillable pdf)
- Location Form Procedures
- Location Maintenance Request Worksheet (Excel)
- Vendor Maintenance Form (fillable PDF)



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Items to remember when completing the form:

1. Select a type of request.

2. If updating an existing vendor, enter their GEARS Vendor ID in section A.

- 3. Select an address type in section B.
- 4. Add any necessary notes to section C.

5. Attach a copy of the invoice and/or W-9. (W-9 is required for a business name change.)

Lifespan of a Procure to Pay Document



An internal document created by a requestor, through e-Procurement, authorizing the commencement of a purchasing transaction.

Should include a description of the need and other information that is relative to the transaction.

Is eventually processed into a Purchase Order.

Must contain as much detail as possible about the request to assist the Procurement Department with fulfilling the request.

Requisition Overview





Requisitions for Non-Asset Items

Requisition Types



Requisitions for Asset Items to be received locally- Special Requests



Requisitions for Asset Items to be received at the Warehouse- Express Item Entry



Requisitions for add-ons or groupings

What do I include with my requisition?

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Creating an eProcurement Non-Asset Requisition

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Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at https://mdcourts.gov/sites/def ault/files/import/gears/tipsheet s92/ptp/requisitions/92creating anonassetrequisition.pdf



GEARS Navigation: Main Menu > eProcurement > Requisition



A non-asset requisition is created in the eProcurement module for procuring <u>non-asset</u> goods/services.

Creating an eProcurement Non-Asset Requisition (cont.)





LAST REVISED DATE: 11/12/2020

General Information

Task	Process Information
Creating an eProcurement Requisition	A non-asset requisition is created in the eProcurement module for procuring <u>non- asset</u> goods/services. For asset purchases (accounts 0701, 10xx, 11xx, 14xx), please see the appropriate tip sheet.
(For non-Asset Purchases - ONLY)	NOTE - for AOC, District Court, Circuit Courts, Appellate Courts, and Programs: For the Fr17 Procurement Policy Change, Receipts will no longer be REQUIRED for
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please	Services under Corporate POs (POs created by DPCGA). However, receipts are required for all Goods received, and POs created by DPCGA for Goods will be set to Receipt Required. If you have purchases from a vendor for both Goods and Services, please make sure you create separate lines on your Requisition, so
contact the respective AOC Department staff or the IIS Service Desk	separate lines will be created on your PO. If there is any question by DPCGA as to whether the Item is considered Goods or Services, the PO will default to Receipt
	Required. The Line Details on your PO will indicate if receiving is required. If you want Receipts for Services on your PO, please indicate this request on your Requisition.

GEARS Navigation

Main Menu > eProcurement > Requisition	Favorites +	Main Menu v) eProcurement +	> Reguistion

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This document is intended to provide a quick reference to completing standard transactions within GEARS.

STEP	ACTION	DETAILS
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Creating an eProcurement Asset Requisition-Express Item Entry



Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/defaul</u> <u>t/files/import/gears/tipsheets92/p</u> <u>tp/requisitions/92creatingarequisit</u> <u>ionforassetsreceivedinthewareho</u> <u>uses.pdf</u>



GEARS Navigation: Main Menu > eProcurement > Requisition



An Express Item Entry Requisition is created in the eProcurement module for procuring assets that will be received in an Inventory Warehouse location

Creating an eProcurement Asset Requisition- Express Item Entry (cont.)





LAST REVISED DATE: 11/12/2020

General Information

Task	Process Information
Creating an eProcurement Requisition for asset purchases to be received in the AOC or DCHQ Warehouse (using Express Item Entry)	An Express Item Entry Requisition is created in the eProcurement module for procuring assets that <u>will be received in Inventory</u> Warehouse location AOCWH05 or DCITWH01.
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	An Item ID is required on an Express Item Entry Requisition. Each Item ID is associated with an Asset Profile ID. An Asset Profile ID is required when using an asset-related category/account (0701, 10xx, 11xx, 14xx) on a requisition or PO.

GEARS Navigation

Main Menu > eProcurement > Requisition	Favorites +	Main Menu +	> eProcurement +	> Requisition
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Process

This document is intended to provide a quick reference to completing standard transactions within GEARS.

STEP	ACTION	DETAILS
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Creating an eProcurement Asset Requisition-Special Requests Õ

Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at https://mdcourts.gov/sites/def ault/files/import/gears/tipshee ts92/ptp/requisitions/92creatin garequisitionforassetsreceived locally.pdf



GEARS Navigation: Main Menu > eProcurement > Requisition

A Special Request Requisition is created in the eProcurement module for procuring assets that <u>will NOT</u> <u>be received in an Inventory or</u> Warehouse location.

Creating an eProcurement Asset Requisition- Special Requests (cont.)



GEARS General Enterprise And Resource Support Quick Reference Tip Sheet

LAST REVISED DATE: 11/12/2020

General Information

Task	Process Information			
Creating an eProcurement Requisition for asset purchases to be received in offices or courts locally (using Special Requests)	This Special Request Requisition is created in the eProcurement module for procuring assets that <u>will NOT be received in an Inventory</u> <u>Warehouse location</u> .			
NOTE: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	NOTE: An Asset Profile ID is required when using an asset-related category/account (0701, 10xx, 11xx, 14xx) on a requisition or PO.			

GEARS Navigation

Main Menu > eProcurement > Requisition	Favorites + Main Menu + > eProcurement + > Requisition
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Process

This document is intended to provide a quick reference to completing standard transactions within GEARS.

STEP	ACTION	DETAILS					
L	Click on the link Requisition Settings. This is where you'll setup the <u>defaults</u> for your Requisition.	Create Regulation					



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Modifying an E-Procurement Requisition

- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/import/</u> <u>gears/tipsheets92/ptp/requisitions/92modifying</u> aneprorequisition.pdf
- GEARS Navigation: Main Menu > eProcurement
 > Manage Requisitions



Modifying an E-Procurement Requisition (cont.)





NEW: 12/11/2017

General Information

Task	Process Information				
Modifying an eProcurement Requisition Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	 You can modify an ePro requisition if necessary. Modifications might include: Adding/updating the requisition name (i.e. Add the AY – appropriation year) Updating Quantity or Amount (Note: May trigger a PO change order) Changes to Line Description, Ship To, etc. NOTES: This process should not be confused with correcting a requisition pushed back from the buyer. There is a separate tip sheet for the Requisition Push Back process. The chartfield distribution cannot be changed on a requisition that has been sourced to a PO (Batch Agency, PCA, Fund, etc.). If this is required, please contact your buyer in the Department of Procurement, Contract and Grant Administration (DPCGA). The current status of the requisition is important when you want to change your request: a. If the requisition has not been sourced to a purchase order, then changing the requisition results in an updated requisition. b. If the requisition has been sourced to a purchase order but not yet dispatched to the supplier, then changing the requisition results in an updated purchase order. 				
	 c. If the requisition has been sourced to a purchase order and dispatched to the supplier, then changing the requisition results in the dispatch of a PO change order to the supplier. 				
	4. Changes may require the ePro Requisition to be budget checked, and resubmitted				
	tor approval.				

GEARS Navigation

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Cancelling an E-Procurement Requisition

- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/imp</u> <u>ort/gears/tipsheets92/ptp/requisitions/92ca</u> <u>ncelingarequisition.pdf</u>
- GEARS Navigation: Main Menu > eProcurement > Manage Requisitions
- A requisition may be cancelled when the product or service is no longer needed and certain conditions exist in GEARS.



Cancelling an E-Procurement Requisition (cont.)





LAST REVISED DATE: 05/01/2017

General Information

Task	Process Information							
	A requisition may be canceled (i.e., when the product or service is no longer needed) if the following conditions exist in GEARS:							
Canceling a Requisition	 The requisition budget status in the header is Valid (the budget has been checked). When you cancel the requisition, the system changes the budget status in the header to Not Chk'd (not checked). NOTE: In this scenario, after canceling the requisition, you must run a successful budget check in order to post the funds back to the budget. 							
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	 The requisition budget status in the header is Not Chk'd and the requisition has never been budget checked in its life cycle. When you cancel the requisition, the budget status in the header will be Valid. 							
	 The requisition budget status in the header is <i>Error</i> (the budget checking process found an error). When you cancel the requisition, the budget status in the header will be <i>Valid</i>. 							
	Note: If a requisition has already been sourced, denied or on hold, you must contact the assigned Buyer on the requisition by submitting the PO Maintenance form via email.							

GEARS Navigation

Main Menu> eProcurement > Manage Requisitions	Favorites 🕶	Main Menu 🕶	>	eProcurement +	>	Manage Requisitions



Let's Practice!!

Purchase Order Overview

- A purchaser's written document to a supplier formalizing all terms and conditions of a proposed transaction, such as a description of the requested items, cost of items being purchased, delivery schedule and terms of payment.
- DPCGA creates Corporate Purchase Orders
- The field (non- DPCGA users) can create Express Purchase Orders



Types of Purchase Orders (PO)

Express Purchase Order (PO)

- Should be under \$2,500 for one purchase or for cumulative purchases/services (Circuit Courts/AOC)
- Created and issued by the Field Buyer (User)
- Requires no receipt
- Not for monthly services/purchases

Blanket Purchase Order (PO)

- Every year Procurement updates BPO List
- The BPO list itemizes Judiciary/State contracts with vendors for certain goods/services
- If the BPO list specifies that an Express PO (XPO) is required, it is created and issued by the Field Buyer (user)
- If an XPO is required as shown on the listing, the associated contract must be applied to the voucher

DPCGA (Corporate) Purchase Order

- Initiated from a requisition created by a user
- Created and issued by a buyer within the AOC Procurement Department
- Monthly services should have a Procurement PO
- PO's for the purchase of goods require a Receipt
- PO's for the purchase of services do not require a Receipt

Express Purchase Orders



An Express PO is a Purchase Order created for items equal to or less than \$2,500.00 (\$500 for District Court)

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Express POs are required for purchases made under Judiciary Blanket Contracts



Are used to expedite the procurement process for goods or services being sought under the \$2,500 threshold.

Creating an Express PO

- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/def</u> <u>ault/files/import/gears/tipsheet</u> <u>s92/ptp/expresspo/92creating</u> <u>expresspo.pdf</u>
- GEARS Navigation: Main Menu
 Purchasing > Purchase
 Orders > Add/Update Express
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- An Express PO is created for items less than or equal to \$2,500 (less than or equal to \$500 for District Court)



Creating an Express PO (cont.)

General Information

Task	Process Information
	An Express PO is a purchase order created for items less than or equal to \$2,500 (or less than or equal to \$500 for District Court). This document also serves as a formal purchase order for Blanket Contract vendors requiring one.
Creating an Express PO (Purchase Order)	NOTE - for AOC, Circuit Courts, Appellate Courts, and Programs: Per the FY15 Procurement Policy Change, Express POS <u>will no longer be REQUIRED</u> for purchases under the State Contracts/BPOs for purchases less than or equal to \$2,500. These contracts include Rudolph's Office Supply, Staples, MD Correctional, etc. A voucher (non-PO voucher) can be processed without adding an Express PO. Express POs are optional for these Contracts/BPOs. You may continue to create Express POs if they meet the business practices of your Court or Program, or if they are requested by the vendor.
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department	Express POs <u>will continue to be REQUIRED</u> for purchases under the Judiciary Blanket Contracts as a way for the DPCGA to track the contract values. They are also <u>REQUIRED</u> for any purchases under State Contracts/BPOs for purchases over \$2,500.
statt or the JIS Service Desk.	Please always refer to the complete list of <u>Contract/BPOs</u> for the most current information on requirements for Express POs, which can be found on the GEARS Tip Sheet page. Please be sure to use the exact Vendor ID referenced on the Contract/BPO listing.
	NOTE – for District Court: District Court will continue to <u>REQUIRE</u> Express POs for purchases under the State Contracts/BPOs and the Judiciary Contracts/BPOs.

Before you Begin

If you do NOT know the GEARS Vendor ID to be used on the voucher, you can look it up using the vendor's Tax ID Number. If the Vendor ID is known and has been	ORACI	endors	· Neter · ·	Versie Informalie	n n i Australia n	Record Control	
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Creating an Express PO Change Order

- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/import /gears/tipsheets92/ptp/expresspo/92creating changeorderexpresspo.pdf
- GEARS Navigation: Main Menu > Purchasing > Purchase Orders > Add/Update Express Pos
- Changes to Express Pos may required that the Express PO be resubmitted for approval; budget checked; and dispatched.



Reasons for Creating an Express PO Change Order The price/amount or quantity has increased

An additional line is required

Distribution and/or shipping information has changed



Creating an Express PO Change Order (cont.)

LAST REVISED DATE: 09/13/2019

General Information

Task	Process Information
Creating a Change Order for an Express Purchase Order	When you update an Express PO that has been dispatched, you create or append a change order in GEARS. Additions, deletions, and/or changes to an Express PO line or schedule will create a change order. Updates to an Express PO may include things such as:
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	 Increase price/amount or quantity Add a line to a PO, <u>OR</u> Change distribution or shipping information NOTE: Changes to Express POs may require that the Express PO be (1) resubmitted for approval; (2) budget checked; and (3) dispatched.

GEARS Navigation

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1.0 Process

This document is intended to provide a quick reference to completing standard transactions within GEARS.

STEP	ACTION	DETAILS
1.	Locate the existing Express PO that you want to update by selecting the "Find an Existing Value" Tab.	Express Purchase Order Enter any information you have and click Search. Leave fields blank for a list of all values. Find an Existing Value Add a New Value



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Associate a Contract to a Dispatched Express PO

- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/def</u> <u>ault/files/import/gears/tipsheet</u> <u>s92/ptp/expresspo/92addingc</u> <u>ontracttodispatchedpo.pdf</u>
- GEARS Navigation: Main Menu
 Purchasing > Purchase
 Orders > Add/Update Express
 Pos
- Associating a Contract to a PO allows the Judiciary to accurately track expenses against Contracts.

Associate a Contract to a Dispatched Express PO (cont.)

General Information

Task	Process Information
Associating a Contract to a Dispatched PO Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	The association of Contracts to PO line(s) gives the Judiciary the ability to accurately track expenses against contracts.

GEARS Navigation

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Process

This document is intended to provide a quick reference to completing standard transactions within GEARS.

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Prior to creating a receipt, the PO must be in a dispatched status.

Reasons for Cancelling an Express PO

The express PO was entered by mistake

The express PO is a duplicate

The express PO is required to be cancelled by the purchasing organization.



Cancelling an Express PO

- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/def</u> <u>ault/files/import/gears/tipsheet</u> <u>s92/ptp/expresspo/92cancelin</u> <u>gexpresspo.pdf</u>
- GEARS Navigation: Main Menu
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- Can only be canceled when in approved and dispatched status with no activity.

Cancelling an Express PO (Cont.)

General Information

Task	Process Information				
Canceling an Express PO (Purchase Order)	Use this tip sheet to cancel an Express Purchase Order under the following circumstances: 1) The Express Purchase Order was entered by mistake				
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	 2) The Express Purchase Order is a duplicate 3) The Express Purchase Order is required to be canceled by the Purchasing organization. An Express Purchase Order must be in one the following states in order to be canceled: <u>An Express Purchase Order is allowed to be canceled when the PO Status is:</u> 'Approved' (whether Budget Checked or not Budget Checked) and there is no activity, or the PO Status is: 'Dispatched' and there is no activity. No activity means the Express PO does not have any receipts or associated vouchers posted against it. <u>An Express Purchase Order is NOT allowed to be canceled when the PO Status is</u>: 'Dispatched' or 'Approved' and it has had activity. The steps and messages will be different when canceling an Express PO based on what status the Express PO is in prior to canceling it. These instructions provide the steps to cancel an Express PO for the most common scenarios. If you need to cancel an Express PO which does not fit the most common scenarios, you should call the Procurement Office or complete a Help Desk ticket for further assistance. 				

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Receiving





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Receipts

- Creating a PO Receipt (Updated 02-26-18)
- Associating a Receipt to a Voucher (Added 11-13-20)

RECEIPT

Receipt Requirements

Receipts:

- Are not required for Express PO's for purchases \$2,500 or less (CC/AOC)
- Are required on purchases for goods on PO's issued by Procurement
- Are not required for services
- Match errors may occur if the requirement for receipts is not set up correctly on a PO. Please contact DBF or DPCGA for assistance, as needed. The PO may need to be modified.



Creating a Receipt Against a PO





LAST REVISED DATE: 03/10/2021

General Information

Task	Process Information			
	A receipt indicates that goods/services have been received. A receipt is created against a Purchase Order. Receipts are not required for Express POs created by AOC Field Users for purchases less than or equal to \$2,500. Exception: Receipts are required for Express POs for District Court.			
Creating a Receipt against a PO (Purchase Order)	NOTE - for AOC, District Court, Circuit Courts, Appellate Courts, and Programs: Per the Department of Procurement, Contracts and Grants Administration (DPCGA) procedures, all POs created by DPCGA for the purchase of Goods will be set to Receipt Required. This means that receipts must be completed in GEARS to support these purchases and to successfully complete the matching requirement within the system. (Receipts are not required for the purchase of Services.) If there is any question by DPCGA as to whether the item is considered Goods or Services, the PO will default to Receipt Required. The Line Details on your PO will indicate if receiving is required.			

GEARS Navigation

Purchasing > Receipts > Add/Update Receipts

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Associating a Receipt to a Voucher



LAST REVISED DATE: 11/13/2020

General Information

Task	Process Information		
Associating a Receipt to a Voucher.	Steps to associating a Receipt to a Voucher that was linked to a PO and not to a Receipt. Note: The receipt must already be created in GEARS first before completing this process and you should have the receipt number		

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Vouchers





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- Creating a PO Receipt Voucher (Updated 03-21-18)
- Creating a PO Voucher (Updated 03-21-18)
- Creating a Non-PO Voucher (Updated 09-21-20)
- Creating an Expense Voucher (Updated 03-21-18)

Gather Required Documents



What to Pay

- Pay current activity A voucher should represent only the current activity/balance displayed on the supporting invoice. All past due balances on invoices must be reviewed to determine if they have already been processed for payment or if further action is required. Sometimes, calls to the vendor are required to obtain copies of missing invoices.
- Remove sales tax & late fees- Please make a note on the invoice before scanning and notify the vendor so they can adjust your account.

Voucher (Invoice) Tips (Last Revised Date: 08/25/17)

Invoice Number - Please use in GEARS, the invoice numbers exactly as provided on the invoice. However, if your invoice does not provide a specific number, please follow the below standardizations to create an invoice number.

Vendor Invoice Standardization:

Date of the invoice, YYYYMMDD, followed by the initials of the company name in capital letters.

Example: An invoice is received and dated March 15, 2015 from the Office Supply Network without a specific invoice number provided. The user should enter the invoice number as 201503150SN.

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Employee Expense Reimbursement Standardization:

Enter only the earliest date of travel on which reimbursable expenses are incurred, followed by the traveler's first and last initials as capital letters. The format should read as follows: yyyymmddXX.

Example: if Tammy Sitar traveled from 7/08/2015 to 7/12/2015, the entry would be 20150708TS.

Interpreter Invoice Standardization:

Enter the First and Last Initial of the Vendor/Payee, Assignment Date (MMDDYY), and Docket Time in hours/minutes (HHMM). The format would be XXMMDDYYHHMM for all court locations.

Example: if Tammy Sitar interpreted for a case on 8/16/17 with a docket time of 8:30, the entry would be TS0816170830.

Note:

Where hyphenated or multiple last names are used, the last "last name" is to be utilized in the invoice number for all invoices.

Example: John Andrews-Sanders, invoice number would utilize the initials JS. Andy Jon De Smith, invoice number would utilize the initials AS.

Invoice Line and PO Descriptions - Please note, the field for "invoice line description" in vouchers will not accept the punctuation marks of a backtick ('), colon (:), apostrophe ('), forward slash (/) or back slash (\). This is impacted in all areas of voucher entry, Regular Entry, Quick Entry and Interpreter Entry. The system will issue a warning upon trying to save the voucher, if you have one of the invalid punctuation marks in the voucher line description. If you receive the warning, simply change your invoice line description removing these punctuation marks and the voucher will then successfully save. The description field should be used to record serial numbers and other information that will help identify and process your invoices. Additional Information - Please note that PO line descriptions (both from Express PO's and DPCA PO's) default into the voucher invoice line descriptions when copying from these source documents into vouchers. Therefore, please avoid use of these special punctuation marks in these PO lines as well to avoid additional issues with the voucher.

Invoice Number Tips

Duplicate Warning Popup

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PO-Receipt Voucher





LAST REVISED DATE: 03/21/2018

General Information

Task	Process Information			
Creating a PO (Purchase Order) Receipt Voucher	A voucher that is entered with PO Receipt information (i.e., voucher entry for PO goods/services received in GEARS).			
NOTE: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	NOTE: It is recommended that you create only <u>one</u> voucher for each receipt. If you believe an exception is necessary, please call the Help Desk.			

Before you Begin

If you do NOT know the GEARS Vendor ID to be used on the voucher, you can look it up using the vendor's Tax ID Number. If the Vendor ID is known and has been reviewed for accuracy, you can skip this step and enter the Vendor ID in step 2 below.

NOTE: Please verify the vendor address to be sure it is accurate. If not, please complete a Vendor Maintenance Form and send it to the Department of Budget and Finance (DBF). The form is available on the GEARS website: http://mdcourts.gov/gears/forms.html



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PO Voucher



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Last Revised Date: 03/21/2018

General Information

Task	Process Information				
Creating a PO (Purchase Order) Voucher Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	A voucher that is entered from an Express Purchase Order or Purchase Order without having a receipt.				

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Non-PO Voucher

Types of invoices that do not require a PO.

- Employee Expense Report
- Interpreter Invoices (standard)
- Non-recurring Invoices under \$2,500 (Circuit Courts/AOC)

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Petty Cash

Credit Invoices

INVOICE

- You may receive a credit invoice because of a return of an item to the vendor.
- On your credit invoice, reference the voucher number that the credit originated from.
- Code the credit invoice using the same vendor ID#, PCA and account code as the original invoice.
- Key in the credit invoice as a negative amount into GEARs.
- If possible, process the original invoice and the credit invoice at the same time, but with separate voucher numbers.
 - When processed together, the check will be issued for the difference.
 - Both the original invoice and the credit memo will be on the remittance of the check for the vendor to credit accordingly.




Non-PO Voucher



Last Revised Date: 09/21/2020

General Information

Task	Process Information
Creating a Non-PO (Purchase Order) Voucher Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	A non-PO voucher is a voucher that is entered with no corresponding source documentation (e.g. Receipt and /or Purchase Order). You can do a non-PO voucher for any order less than or equal to \$2500 (less than or equal to \$500 for District Court) that is NOT covered by a Blanket Contract.

Before you Begin

If you do NOT know the GEARS Vendor ID to be used on the voucher, you can look it up using the vendor's Tax ID Number. If the Vendor ID is known and has been reviewed NEWGW VE for accuracy, you can skip this step and enter the Vendor ID in step 2 below. Note: Please verify the vendor address to be sure it is accurate. If not, please complete a Vendor Maintenance Form and send it to the Department of Budget and Finance (DBF). The form is available on the A Real Property in Lot 1 and 1 GEARS website: http://mdcourts.gov/gears/forms.html NOL NOT THERE ARE -

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Expense Account Forms

Judicial Branch Expense Account Form - Travel taken on or after January 1, 2021

Judicial Branch Expense Account Form - Travel taken before January 1, 2021

Judicial Branch Expense Account Form Instructions - (Step-by-Step)

Judicial Branch Expense Account Form - Instruction Template

GEARS Checklist for Processing the Expense Reimbursement

Travel Form & Instructions

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https://mdcourts.gov/administration/travel

Travel Form Overview

JUDICIAL BRANCH EXPENSE ACCOUNT FORM For Travel Taken after XXXXX, XXXX

(Please refer to Instructions)

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(2)	Unit or Division								
(3)	Social Security Number (last 4 digits on	ily)							
(4)	GEARS Vendor Number (if known)				(9) Mileag	e Reimbursem	nent Rate (cent	s per mile) =	
(5)	Employee/Payee Name	10			(10) Total C	ommute Miles	(round trip to of	fice) =	
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Receipts required, except as noted in the Travel Policy.

Reduce the Daily Allowance by the Standard Meal Allowance for each meal that was provided to you. If meal reimbursement is requested for an event not held at the JECC, attach a copy of the agenda as provided.

(16) Purpose of Travel :

Judicial Branch Expense Account Form Instructions

Steps for completing the Judicial Branch Expense Account Form (numbered steps match attached expense account):

- Enter Department name (e.g., Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County, Administrative Office of the Courts, etc.).
- 2. Enter Unit or Division name (e.g., Civil Division, Department of Human Resources).
- 3. Enter the last four numbers of your social security number.
- 4. If known, enter the GEARS Vendor number.
- 5. Enter your full name.
- 6. Enter your work phone number.
- 7. Enter your assigned Office location (town/city).
- 8. Enter your full home address (street, city, state and zip).
- Enter the reimbursable mileage rate as cents per mile, if it is not already entered. The format should be \$0.00. The current rate is available on the Judiciary website under the Travel Policy page.
- 10. Enter the <u>total</u> roundtrip Commute miles from your residence to the Office and back to your residence. This represents your daily total roundtrip Commute miles, which are not eligible for reimbursement and will be deducted from your total miles traveled for reimbursement. (No Commute miles should be listed if you are a senior judge, non-employee, volunteer, or applicant.)

11. Answer yes or no as to whether you are a Recalled/ Senior Judge.

The complete form can be located at

https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/import/administration/pdfs/judicialbranchexpenseacctformtemplate.pdf

Creating an Expense Voucher



GEARS General Enterprise And Resource Support Quick Reference Tip Sheet

Last Revised Date: 03/21/2018

General Information

Task	Process Information
Creating an Expense Voucher Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	A direct entry (i.e. non-source) voucher that is entered from an Expense Report for all offices except for District Court. District court <u>only</u> will use the "Quick Invoice Entry" to process travel expenses. Employee expenses reimbursements should be processed under the appropriate method for your court/department.

Before you Begin

If you do NOT know the GEARS Vendor ID to be used on the voucher, you can look it up using the vendor's Tax ID Number. If maynes Va the Vendor ID is known and has been reviewed for accuracy, you can skip this step and enter the Vendor ID in step 2 below. Note: Please verify the vendor address to be sure it is accurate. If not, please complete a Vendor Maintenance Form and - Beard Char . send it to the Department of Budget and THE R. LEWIS CO., LANS. Finance (DBF). The form is available on the GEARS website: http://mdcourts.gov/gears/forms.html

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Voucher Validation







Double Check your Voucher



Summary | Related Documents | Invoice Information | AOC MD Payment | Payments | Voucher Attributes | Error Summary

Voucher statuses if completed correctly:

Match Status:

- No Match=non-PO voucher
- Matched=PO voucher

Approval Status:

- Pending=Submitted for Approval
- Approved=Approv al is complete

Requires Immediate Response (RIR) Notification

Workflow Notifications:

- Accounts Payable has identified that a correction is required before the voucher can be processed.
- Once you have revised the voucher, please reply to the RIR email using the <u>DBFAccountsPayable@mdcourts</u>, so that processing can continue in a timely manner.

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Workflow Notification

Processing of this voucher has stopped due to the following:

The invoice number has been entered incorrectly. The correct invoice number should be 123456.

Vendor Invoice Standardization:

• If the vendor has not provided an invoice number, please use the following standardization to create the invoice #: Date of the invoice, YYYYMMDD, followed by the initials of the company name in capital letters. Example for Office Depot 201606080D.

Submit for Approval



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Summary | Related Documents | Invoice Information | AOC MD Payment | Payments | Voucher Attributes | Error Summary

Exceptions

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PO BOX 827598					/
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19182-7598					
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Why do I have an exception?

Exception Reasons

- Not enough funds for a line in the PO
- PO needs a receipt
- PO is not dispatched and/or valid
- PO is in error status
- Unit Price has a rounding issue
- PO set up as Quantity of 1

Tips to Avoid Exceptions

- Verify your PO with the PO Buydown Report for each line amount.
- Verify if your PO requires a receipt.
- Verify that PO is Dispatched and Valid.
- Verify that the PO is set up correctly in Quantity

Outstanding Balances on Vendor Accounts

Why is it important to resolve outstanding balances on vendor accounts?

- To avoid a disruption of services.
- To avoid late fees being applied to the account.
- To avoid collection calls and emails.
- To avoid receiving a follow up call from the Accounts Payable team.





Reasons for Outstanding Balances



Misapplied Payment

The vendor applied the payment to the wrong account.

Liability Offset

The Judiciary payment was intercepted due to the vendor owing the State or Federal government for taxes or other obligations. In these situations, the company should still record the Judiciary's payment against the invoice.

Payment Not Received

- The check is lost in the mail or the ACH is unidentified in the vendor's bank account.
- The voucher was entered into GEARS, but not approved.
- The vendor address is not updated in the State system (FMIS).

Invoice Not Received

- The invoice was mailed to the wrong location or misplaced in the office.
- The vendor never sent the invoice to the Judiciary.

How to Resolve Outstanding Balances on Vendor Invoices



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Verify in GEARS that a voucher was processed for the invoice.

- Check the voucher for a warrant number or liability offset number.
- This can be located under the MD AOC Payment tab.
- Contact the vendor with the payment information.

If a voucher has not been done:

- Check to see if the invoice is in the office and if not, contact the vendor to get a new invoice.
- Verify that late fees and/or sales tax are not applied to the invoice. If so, contact the vendor to request the fees/taxes to be removed from the invoice and account.
- Process a voucher in GEARS for the new invoice.

If the vendor has denied services until payment is received:

 Contact Accounts Payable to request that the payment be processed as soon as possible.

Vendor Questions

Where's my Payment?

What is a Liability Offset?

How to Query a Vendor or a Voucher?



Payment Information

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Liability Offset

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Liability Offset Letter



- Invoices can sometimes be caught in the liability offset process at the State Treasurer's Office (STO) during the payment process. The IRS flags all vendors that owe funds to the State of Maryland or the Federal Government.
- In GEARS, on the MD AOC payment tab, in the warrant field, instead of a check number there will be a capture number (LOxxxxx).
- When the invoices are flagged with a capture number, the funds will be held for 10 days.
- If the vendor does not contact the STO regarding their outstanding debt within the 10-day window, the funds will be applied to the outstanding debt owed.
- Only vendors can contact the Liability Offset department to resolve their outstanding debt issue. All the information the vendor needs is on a letter that is sent to them in place of the check.
- For reference, a copy of the liability offset letter is added as an attachment to the voucher in GEARS.







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How to Look Up Vendor Information



GEARS General Enterprise And Resource Support Quick Reference Tip Sheet

LAST REVISED DATE: 05/01/2017

General Information

Task	Process Information
	Search for a vendor(s) using the search criteria in GEARS to validate if a Vendor is in the system and review information relating to that vendor.
Looking Up Vendor Information in GEARS	This tip sheet will review the steps to looking up vendor information using the search criteria.
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please	Tip: Once you locate the Vendor ID, make a list of your most commonly used vendors so you can have that information on hand for future use, but remember at times, vendor information does change.
or the JIS Service Desk.	If the vendor has not been established in GEARS, you may need to complete a Vendor Maintenance Form and send it to the Department of Budget and Finance (DBF). The form is available on the GEARS website: http://mdcourts.gov/gears/forms.html

GEARS Navigation

 Main Menu> Vendors > Vendor Information >
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 Review Verdors

Reports Matrix

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GEARS Reports Matrix

Module	No.	Question	Report/Inquiry Name	Used When?	Description	Navigation
\langle	16	How do I know what payments I made to a vendor?	Detailed (Summary) Payment History by Vendor Report (APY2000)	Vendors	This report provides a register of payments for a vendor. It uses the Print Options radio buttons on the Payment History by Vendor page to generate either a Detail, or a Summary version of the report. The report output is limited by PCA Security. NoTE: Output must be viewed via Payort Manager.	Main Menu > Accounts Payable > Reports > Vendor > Pymt Hist by Vendor w/PCA Secy
	17	How do I know which vouchers have a specific Chartfield value?	Voucher Listing by Chartfield (AP5X8003)	Vouchers	This report lists vouchers by business unit, Chartfield, and Voucher ID.	Main Menu > Accounts Payable > Reports > Vouchers > Vouchers Listing by Chartfield

Report Detailed/Summary Payment History by Vendor with PCA Security

Main Menu, Accounts Payable, Reports, Vendors, Payment History by Vendor w/PCA security

APY2000 Detailed (Summary) Payment History by Vendor Report (with PCA Security)

Explanation:	This report provides a register of payments for a vendor. It uses the Print Options radio buttons on the Payment History by Vendor page to generate either a Detail, or a Summary
	version of the report. The output is limited by PCA security.

Navigation: Accounts Payable > Reports > Vendor > Pymt Hist by Vendor w/PCA Secy

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How to Find an Existing Voucher



Updated: 05/01/2017

General Information



Task	Process Information
How to Find an Existing Voucher	There are several methods to locate an existing voucher so that vouchers can be modified or reviewed as needed: • Via the Voucher Add/Update Page • Via the Voucher Activity Inquiry Page
NOTE: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	IMPORTANT NOTE : It is critical that an existing voucher be modified when needed, rather than creating a new voucher. Duplicate vouchers (or two vouchers having the same invoice number) cause a number of issues, and delays processing. If you have entered duplicate vouchers by mistake, please contact the Help Desk for assistance. It might also be necessary for a voucher to be recycled or for a voucher to be deleted.

Method 1: Voucher Add/Update Page

GEARS Navigation

Main Menu > Accounts Payable > Vouchers > Add/Update > Regular	Favorites -	Main Menu 🕶	>	Accounts Payable •	2	Vouchers -	×	Add/Update 🕶	2	Regular Entry
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How to Run a Voucher Activity Inquiry



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General Information

Task	Process Information
Running a Voucher Activity Inquiry Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	The Voucher Activity Inquiry Page will allow users to inquire on voucher information using a variety of criteria. Criteria might include Voucher ID, PO Number, Project ID, PCA, Entered By, Budget Status, Approval Status, Match Status, etc. Please note that voucher drilldown capability is secured via the user's PCA access in the system.

GEARS Navigation

Accounts Payable > Review Accounts Payable Info > Vouchers > Voucher	Favorites *	Main Menu 🔹	> Accounts Payable *	> Review Accounts Payable Info +	> Vouchers + > Voucher Activity Inquiry
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This is the process that closes purchase orders that meet certain criteria.



Purchasing Inquiry Report

This report is used to assist in the PO Close Request Process by helping to identify POs that have NOT been 'Dispatched'.

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Quick Reference Tip Sheet: <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/fil</u> <u>es/import/gears/tipsheets92/ptp/mo</u> <u>nitoring/92usingpoinquirypage.pdf</u>

- This report may include the following types of situations:
 - Pos created in GEARS that are no longer needed
 - Pos with a PO Status of Approved, Canceled, Denied, Open, Pending Approval, and Pending Cancelation
 - POs with Budget Errors

Purchase Order Inquiry

General Information

Task	Process Information
Using the Purchase Order Inquiry Page	The Purchase Order Inquiry page can be used to assist in the PO Close Request process. Use the Purchase Order Inquiry to help identify POs that have NOT been 'Dispatched' which may include the following: 1) POs created in GEARS by mistake or no longer needed 2) POs with PO Status of Approved. Canceled. Denied. Open. Pending
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	Approval, and Pending Cancelation 3) POs with Budget Error(s) After you have identified POs that have NOT been Dispatched that are eligible to be closed, notify DPCGA (Procurement) which POs should be closed (via email to DPCGA). Procurement will then close the requested POs and any associated Requisitions.

GEARS Navigation

Purchasing > Purchase Orders > Review PO Information > Purchase Orders	Main Menu 🕶	> Purchasing • > Purchase Orders • > Review PO Information • > Purchase (rders

1.0 Process

This document is intended to provide a quick reference to using the Purchase Order Inquiry Page within GEARS.



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PO Buydown Report

- This report can be run at any time to view the detail of transactions associated with a purchase order and any remaining open balance.
- Quick Reference Tip Sheet can be found at <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/f</u> <u>iles/import/gears/tipsheets92/ptp/</u> <u>monitoring/92runningpobuydownre</u> <u>port.pdf</u>
- Purchase Order Buydown Report
 Run Date
 Pebnary 15, 2017

 Run Time
 1036 AM

 Poprint Critteria:
 Select: PO_DT Between 07-01-2016 and 02-16-2017
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 Exclude:
 ACCOUNT Between 0100 and 0899 and PRODUCT = 60001 and Zero Balance PO's and Exclude Closed PO's
 Filler

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								POT	ptals:	48,000.00	20,242.31	27,757.69

This report helps with the management of your open Pos by showing what you have left, what you have been spending what is unpaid, and what vouchers have been posted against the PO.



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PO Close Request Page

- The PO Close Request page was created to assist in the PO Close Request process.
- Quick Reference Tip Sheet: <u>https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/import/gears/tipsheets92/ptp/monitoring</u> /92runningpobuydownreport.pdf
- Use the PO Close Request page to select Pos that have a status of 'Dispatched' and are eligible to be closed. This process sends an automatic notification to DPCGA who will then close the request PO.

PO Close Request

Task	Process Information
Using the PO Close Request Page	The PO Close Request page was customized for GEARS Field Users to assist in the PO Close Request process. Use the PO Close Request page to select POs that
Note: If additional assistance is needed, please contact the respective AOC Department staff or the JIS Service Desk.	have 'Dispatched' status and that are eligible to be closed. The process will automatically send a notification to Procurement. Procurement will then close the requested POs and any associated Requisitions.

GEARS Navigation

Purchasing > Purchase Orders > Review PO Information > PO Close Request	Favorites *	Main Menu +	\rightarrow Purchasing \star \rightarrow	Purchase Orders * >	Review PO Information *	> PO Close Request

1.0 Process

This document is intended to provide a quick reference to using the PO Close Request Page within GEARS.

STEP	ACTION	DETAILS
1.	<u>Create the Run Control ID</u> . The first time you run the PO Close Request, you must create a new Run Control ID.	PO Close Request
	Click on the Add a New Value tab.	Eind an Existing Value Add a New Value
	NOTE: A Run Control ID is the name that will be given to the saved parameters you select for the report.	Select Value
	You can run the same report again in the future by selecting the same Run	Add
	Control ID when using the Find an Existing Value tab. No spaces are allowed in the Run Control ID. In	To use a Run Control ID that you previously created, click the
	addition, the report parameters for a Run Control ID can also be changed after selecting the ID.	Find an Existing Value tab, and then click the Search button. A list of Run Control IDs appears.


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