Prior to award of any contract/purchase order with a value of $1,000 or greater, the successful bidder/contractor must certify in writing that the bidder/contractor is not currently engaged in, and agrees that for the aggregate term of the contract will not engage in, a boycott of Israel.

Prior to issue of any contract/purchase order with a value of $1,000 or greater, the issuing Agency shall obtain a written statement from the intended awardee that the intended awardee does not currently engage in, and agrees for the aggregate term of the contract, that they will not engage in a boycott of Israel.

Agencies should require the successful bidder/contractor to fill out, sign and date (in ink) and return the “RESTRICTION OF BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL CERTIFICATION” form located on the Office of State Procurement website under FORMS/REPORTING - Solicitation Templates/Boycott of Israel Certification Form. This signed certification must be attached to the AASIS contract/purchase order or a printed version must be kept in the bid record.

If the contractor violates the above certification or is found to not be in compliance during the term of the contract, the state may require the contractor to remedy the violation within 60 days of discovery of that violation. Failure to remedy the violation within the 60 day period may result in termination for breach of contract, and the contractor may be liable to the State for the State’s actual damages.

\* This rule applies to written contracts only and is to be applied prospectively. Any written contract entered into prior to August 1, 2017, and its subsequent renewals, do not require certification.

\*\* Certification is required at the time a written contract is entered into. Renewals or extensions of contracts do not require certification.

\*\*\* Exceptions:

1. This Rule does not apply to: (1) A company that fails to meet the requirements under Act 710 subdivision (a)(1) of this section but offers to provide the goods or services for at least twenty percent (20%) less than the lowest certifying business; or (2) Contracts with a total potential value of less than one thousand dollars ($1,000).
2. Vendors are not required to submit a certificate for commodity purchases made with a p-card as they do not require a written contract.