

## Are there certain contracts that do not require Form 1295?

Yes. Form 1295 is not required for the following contracts if entered into or amended on or after January 1, 2018:

- (1) a sponsored research contract of an institution of higher education;
- (2) an interagency contract of a state agency or an institution of higher education;
- (3) a contract related to health and human services if:
  - (a) the value of the contract cannot be determined at the time the contract is executed; and
  - (b) any qualified vendor is eligible for the contract;
- (4) a contract with a publicly traded business entity, including a wholly owned subsidiary of the business entity;\*
- (5) a contract with an electric utility, as that term is defined by [Section 31.002, Utilities Code](#);\* or
- (6) a contract with a gas utility, as that term is defined by [Section 121.001, Utilities Code](#).\*