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NEWS UPDATE

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Subject: E-Verify for Federal Contractors

Below please find a link to the latest materials from USCIS on Federal Contractors and E-Verify called the "Supplemental Guide For Federal Contractors."

As previously advised, the E-Verify program for Federal Contractors went into effect as of 9/8/09. The Federal E-Verify rules apply to Federal Contractors who are awarded a new contract on or after September 8, 2009. Federal government contracting officers are required to begin including an E-Verify requirement in certain federal contracts that are awarded on or after 9/8/09.

The Federal E-Verify rules require that an employer E-Verify all new hires, as well as any existing employees who are currently assigned to a Federal contract. Employers have the option of verifying the entire workforce regardless of whether they are assigned to a Federal contract.

[http://www.uscis.gov/USCIS/Controlled%20Vocabulary/Native%20Documents/Supplemental%20Guidance%20for%20Federal%20Contractors%20090109%20FINALa\(1\).pdf](http://www.uscis.gov/USCIS/Controlled%20Vocabulary/Native%20Documents/Supplemental%20Guidance%20for%20Federal%20Contractors%20090109%20FINALa(1).pdf)

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