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Please note that pursuant to applicable statute which ties the base amount for triggering bidding requirements under the Procurement Code to the consumer price index, the bid threshold amount for 2020 has increased from \$20,600 to \$21,000 effective January 1, 2020. As a reminder, this amount applies to all procurements, including construction. The only exception is for contracts for the retention of architects and engineers (threshold remains at \$10,000) and consultative services (threshold remains at \$5,000 under §20-2010-A(13) of Act 188). A corrected notice of the increase was published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin on December 14, 2019.

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