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Keeping our Safety and Environmental Practitioners informed

Update of GMP01 – ‘Contracting for Safety and Environmentally Sound Products, Systems and Services’ to Version 4.0

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Description

This SEB announces the update of [GMP01](#) from Version 3.3 to 4.0. The guidance has been reviewed and updated, in which Version 4.0 supersedes all previous versions with immediate effect.

Background

A review has been completed of GMP01, changes to the guidance include:

- Title change from ‘*Contracting for Safety*’ to ‘*Contracting for Safety and Environmentally Sound Products, Systems and Services*’;
- Mandating of Def Stans including 00-051 and 00-056, and where appropriate, 00-027 and 00-055, as stated in Paragraph 1.5.0.1;
- Changes to ensure equal representation of both Acquisition Safety and Environmental Protection when contracting for Products, Systems, and Services;
 - New Paragraph added at 1.2.0.3, separating Safety management practices from Environmental management practices.
 - Paragraphs 1.3.1.2-1.3.1.7 regarding assumptions drawn from the generic Delivery Team structure for this guidance have been combined into a single paragraph (Paragraph 1.3.1.3).
 - Paragraphs 1.6.1.5-1.6.1.7 now cover both Safety and Environmental Performance.
- Formatting of the page to improve readability and consistency.

Actions to be taken

1. [For cascading as appropriate]

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