

The only revisions presented in this BP are including hyperlinks to Public Contract Code Sections as highlighted below.

## **BP 6345      Bids and Contracts - UPCCAA**

Reference:      ***Education Code Section 81641 et seq.; Labor Code Sections 1770 et seq.; Public Contract Code Sections 20110 et seq., 20650 et seq., 22000 et seq. (Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (Act))***

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In awarding contracts for public works projects involving District facilities, the Board desires to obtain the best value to the District and ensure the qualifications of contractors to complete the project in a satisfactory manner. The Board has, by resolution, adopted the procedures set forth in the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (UPCCAA) pursuant to Public Contract Code [22030-22045](#), including the informal bidding procedures when allowed by law. Bids and awards of contracts for public works projects shall comply with the provisions of UPCCAA and other applicable laws.

The Board delegates to the Vice Chancellor - Business Services or designee the responsibilities to award any contract eligible for informal bidding procedures and to develop plans, specifications, and working details for all public projects requiring formal bidding procedures.

No work, project, service, or purchase shall be split or separated into smaller work orders or projects for the purpose of evading legal requirements for competitive bidding (Public Contract Code [22033](#)).

Projects awarded through the UPCCAA shall be subject to the cost accounting procedures established by the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission (Public Contract Code [22030](#)).