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To: School Food Authorities

Subject: SFS-16-01 Procurement Update – Franchise Agreements

USDA is working on a memo to send to all Regions and States regarding franchise agreements for view by the Office of General Council (OGC). They have notified State Agencies that School Food Authorities (SFAs) should not enter into contracts or agreements with franchises until further information is provided.

A contract or agreement with franchise means the legal written agreement made between the SFA and the franchise.