

**TSGP Conference Call Summary**  
**October 5, 2011**  
**1:00PM EDT**

**Opening Comments:**

Hello, everyone thank you for calling into what is now our monthly Fiscal Year (FY) 2012 Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP) conference call. At this time we do not have a congressionally appropriated Federal budget. The government is currently on a Continuing Resolution (CR) until November 18, 2011. There will be no start of the grant program prior to that date unless Congress passes a budget sooner.

As most of you know we held two After Action Workshops this year to discuss the FY11 TSGP. One was held in Oakland, CA and the other in Arlington, VA earlier this week.

We have posted the slide presentation offered at those workshops on the TSA website (<http://www.tsa.gov/grants>). Once in the website it can be found by navigating to the left and then to FY2011, Transit Security (Tier I & Tier II). We are working with FEMA to finalize the summary of the feedback provided at the workshops. Once those are available we will advise you via email thru ASKCSID ([ASKCSID@dhs.gov](mailto:ASKCSID@dhs.gov)) and TSA Grants ([TSAGrants@tsa.dhs.gov](mailto:TSAGrants@tsa.dhs.gov)).

There was a glitch in the award process within ND Grants. You may have received multiple emails that your award was ready. We have been informed that the glitch will be fixed by 5 a.m. tomorrow [October 6, 2011]. At that time you should receive one email detailing the fact that you have been granted an award and you should also then be able to access the award. You do not need to sign and print the award acceptance letter; you can accept and "sign" the award electronically. It is one of the process improvements this year with ND Grants.

**Questions and Answers:**

**Q:** If we go in and download the award does that mean we have automatically accepted it?

**A:** Yes, that is correct. The person who received the announcement is the designee to accept the award. That is all that is required this year as part of the updated ND grants system.

**Q:** Will we still have to complete SF 1199A?

**A:** Yes

**Closing Comments:**

Thank you for calling. Unless Congress passes an appropriations bill this month, we will continue on a monthly conference call schedule. We will inform you of any changes via email. Our next call will be Wednesday November 2, 2011. The call in number 888-323-4702 and the passcode is Wednesday.

If you do have any questions, you may submit them via an email to ASKCSID ([ASKCSID@dhs.gov](mailto:ASKCSID@dhs.gov)) and carbon copy TSA Grants ([TSAGrants@tsa.dhs.gov](mailto:TSAGrants@tsa.dhs.gov)).

Thank you. This concludes the call.