

## 32.702 Policy.

No officer or employee of the Government *may* create or authorize an obligation in excess of the funds available, or in advance of appropriations (Anti-Deficiency Act, [31 U.S.C. 1341](#)), unless otherwise authorized by law. Before executing any contract, the *contracting officer shall*-

- (a) Obtain written assurance from responsible fiscal authority that adequate funds are available or
- (b) Expressly condition the contract upon availability of funds in accordance with [32.703-2](#).

**Parent topic:** [Subpart 32.7 - Contract Funding](#)