

# Does this open market approach need approval from the Chief Executive or can it be approved by an authorised person?



A business is a 'South Australian business' in relation to a procurement if the business:

- operates in South Australia, and
- more than 50% of the workforce delivering the contract resulting from the procurement on behalf of the business are residents of South Australia.

Note: Where the procurement relates to the **establishment of a panel** contract, approval of the procurement outcome (including panel rules) must be obtained from the Chief Executive if one or more of the recommended suppliers are a non-South Australian business.