

NJ Business Registration Certificate

Purchasing and Payables

IMPORTANT

Business Registration Requirement effective September 1, 2004

In accordance with public purchasing laws, the College cannot issue a Purchase Order, nor can any payments be processed to vendors, unless a valid Business Registration Certificate (BRC) is provided.

RE: Business Registration Certificate (BRC)

Notice to Vendor

In accordance with provisions of P.L. 2004C.57, N.J.S.A. 52:32-44, any business entering into a contract (i.e. Purchase Order, Blanket Purchase Order, Fair and Open Bid, etc.) with a local contracting agency is required to be registered with the New Jersey Division of Revenue and must provide proof of a Business Registration Certificate (BRC).

Ocean County College is required to obtain, and maintain record of, BRCs from all vendors with **contracts exceeding \$6,735.00**. The mandatory collection and record-keeping of this information promotes transparency in the process of awarding public contracts.

- If you are a registered vendor, please furnish a copy. You may obtain a certificate online by accessing the following link:
 https://www1.state.nj.us/TYTR_BRC/jsp/BRCLoginJsp.jsp
- If you are not registered, you will need to complete FORM NJ-REG.

For more information on how to obtain a certificate, visit: http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/revenue/busregcert.shtml or by calling NJ State Treasury Department at (609) 292-9292.