**R33. Government Operations, Purchasing and General Services.**

**R33-119. General Provisions Related to Protest or Appeal.**

**R33-119-101. Encouraged to Obtain Legal Advice from Legal Counsel.**

(1) This rule provides additional requirements and procedures and must be used in conjunction with the Title 63G, Chapter 6a, Utah Procurement Code. Definitions in the Utah Procurement shall apply to this rule.

(2) Due to the complex nature of protests and appeals, any person involved in the procurement process, protest, or appeal, is encouraged to seek advice from the person's own legal counsel.

(3) The procurement unit will not assist in writing or provide statutory interpretation to the vendor in the filing of a protest or appeal.

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