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**Subject:** FW: UPDATE - New Guidance Issued (OMB Update)

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For your awareness. Some impact on OIS, specifically the NRC' web site

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Heads up!

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**Subject:** [CFO-COUNCIL] UPDATE - New Guidance Issued (OMB Update)

One additional update, further to my email this morning. This afternoon, OMB issued new guidance on "Promoting Efficient Spending to Support Agency Operations". The guidance can be found at:

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/memoranda/2012/m-12-12.pdf>

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**Subject:** OMB Update

Below is the latest installment of OMB's update to the CFOC and CIGIE communities, which provides information on our relevant priorities and activities in the area of Financial Management. This report provides updates on the Do-Not-Pay launch and the JFMIP conference.

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*Friday, May 11 2012*

**Do Not Pay**

On April 12<sup>th</sup>, Acting Director Zients issued M-12-11, *Reducing Improper Payments through the "Do not Pay List."* The memo announced the launch of Treasury's Do Not Pay solution and directed agencies to develop plans to begin using the solution to prevent improper payments this year. OMB hosted a Town Hall on the Memo on April 18<sup>th</sup> with agency personnel from CFO and Acquisition offices to provide an overview of the memo. Treasury's Do Not Pay team also hosted 3 webinars that week to provide details about the tool and the onboarding process. Agency draft plans are due to OMB by June 30<sup>th</sup>. OMB will provide comments in July and final plans will be due August 31<sup>st</sup>. OMB and Treasury are continuing to meet with agencies and answer questions while plans are being formulated.

Click [here](#) for more information on the Do Not Pay tool, to contact to Do Not Pay team's agency relationship managers, or to review any of the materials from the Town Hall or webinars.

### **JFMIP Conference**

The Joint Financial Management Improvement Program (JFMIP) held its 41st annual conference at the Ronald Reagan Building on May 7th. The JFMIP is a cooperative undertaking of the Department of Treasury, GAO, OMB and OPM that works to improve and coordinate financial management policies and practices throughout the government. This year's conference theme was "Government Financial Management in Lean Times: The New Normal," and included 14 unique sessions relevant to financial management. Special guests Steve VanRoekel (OMB) and Rafael Borrás (DHS) discussed "innovating with less" with respect to information technology as well as managing risk within financial management, respectively. Peggy Sherry (DHS) was the recipient of the 2012 Scantlebury Award. This award recognizes senior financial management executives for distinguished leadership in financial management in the public sector.

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