

3500-P013 – Web Cookie Use Policy

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to establish the conditions for use of cookies in web sites and web applications.

II. SCOPE

This policy applies to all web sites and web applications in Executive Branch agencies, boards, and commissions.

POLICY

- A. A visitor to a state web site should not be required to accept a cookie in order to view public information.
- B. All cookies must be encrypted.
- C. The use of persistent cookies should be avoided. If they are used, they must not store confidential information.
- D. For persistent cookies, a unique name identifying the site or application must be used as the cookies name.

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