

## Checklist for Implementing Third Party Processing:

The following items must be completed **before going live** with your Third Party Vendor Implementation. If you have any questions regarding these items please contact us. Use this checklist to track the progress of your application.

### Complete the following before submitting request:

- Contact Purchasing to see if a RFP is required.
- Obtain Data Flow Chart from Third Party Vendor.
- Obtain the Vendor's signed Attestation of Compliance (AOC).
- Complete the following "Request to Use a Third Party Vendor" Form.
- Complete the "Information Sharing Assessment" form for remote access by the Vendor (if applicable).

### Before Going Live:

- Submit Third Party Contract or Addendum to Legal Counsel for review. Complete *Attestation #3 – Confirmation of Legal Counsel Review*. Give copy of contract and Attestation #3 to Income Accounting and Student Loan Services.
- Complete Internal Scan; fix any associated issues (if applicable).
- Complete applicable testing, including End to End (E2EE) encryption testing, or penetration testing.
- Complete the Department Payment Card Acceptance Procedure and Employee List.
- Complete PCI DSS Annual Training – include all staff involved in maintaining the Third Party System, and those who will run transaction, and those who supervise those who run transactions.

### Notes:

### Contacts:

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# Request to use a Third Party Vendor

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Department Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

ORG Head: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Dean/VP/ Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Data Steward: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Data Custodian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

System Administrator: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## Provide the following checklist items and complete the questions below:

- Provide detailed data flow chart and complete *Addendum 1 – Attestation: Complete Disclosure Flow Chart*.
  - Copy of Third Party Contract – existing or pending.
  - Copy of PCI Certificate and/or appropriate certification (can include a copy of their recent SAQ or Attestation of Compliance & Recent Scan Report, or recent Executive Summary).
  - Complete *Addendum 2 – Attestation: Prohibitive Data Retention* (if applicable).
  - If you will be accepting donations, provide a list of the information you will be collecting and/or storing.
  - Name and phone number of the **Technical Contact** for the Third Party Vendor(s). \_\_\_\_\_
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- **Please describe the business need for accepting credit cards and why the selected vendor best meets the department’s needs:**

- Why will the approved payment applications (i.e. MarketPlace, Third Party Vendor list, dial-up terminal) not meet your needs?
- What is the name of the Third Party Vendor(s) (Company Name, Distributer, or Service Provider)?
- What is the name of the Payment Application the Vendor is providing for you?
- Is there another name for the product?
- Does the payment application use a separate gateway?  Yes  No  
If yes, what is the name of the gateway?
- Will the card information pass through a University Server?  Yes  No  
What is the IP Address(es)? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the flow of information:

- Is card information or other sensitive data stored on a University Server or the Third Party Server?  University Server  Third Party Server. Please provide a flowchart that shows information pass through and storage.

IPs & Flow Chart Reviewed by: _____ Date _____ Chief Information Security Officer
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- Does the vendor have a Re-Direct option (software takes the customer to a hosted order page to gather credit card data)?  Yes  No  
If yes, will you be using this option?  Yes  No

- Describe your implementation timeline and indicate any business-critical dates:
  
- Does the new system replace any existing systems or processes?
  
- Can the vendor integrate with TouchNet as a Touch Ready Partner?  Yes  No  
If so, please describe how you envision that working:
  
- Can the vendor use a Chase Paymentech merchant account?  Yes  No
  
- What is the anticipated average ticket amount? \_\_\_\_\_
  
- Annual dollar volume? \_\_\_\_\_
  
- Is the Third Party Vendor(s) and/or Payment application(s) PCI DSS Compliant?  
Please attach PCI DSS Attestation of Compliance (AOC)  
 Yes  No If No, please explain what measures they are taking to become compliant:
  
- Is this an existing program or system in your department?  Yes  No  
If yes, is payment card acceptance an additional feature that requires a contract addendum?  Yes  No  
If yes, who signed the contract and/or addendum: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
  
- If this is a new contract, has it been reviewed by General Counsel?  Yes  No  
 In Process Which VP or VP designee will sign the contract? \_\_\_\_\_
  
- Will you be accepting donations?  Yes  No If yes, will the donor information be stored on a University system? Please describe.
  
- Does the vendor have a Point to Point Encryption (P2PE) or End to End Encryption (E2EE) solution?  Yes  No If Yes, please attach all solution documentation, including device specifications, and documentation from additional vendors used in the solution.

Please submit this completed form with the items requested from the checklist above, to [sbs-ecommerce@txstate.edu](mailto:sbs-ecommerce@txstate.edu)

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print

Dept. Head Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print

# Third Party Authorization:

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Approved       Declined

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

Explanation and/or Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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## Attestation 1: Complete Disclosure Flow Chart

*This document must be completed by the Department to demonstrate the proposed Third Party Vendors compliance with the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI DSS), and the Department's compliance with the Texas State University PCI DSS Policy (UPPS [03.01.05.07](#)).*

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Merchant/Department Name

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Date

Merchant Confirms:

- The submitted data flow chart fully and correctly discloses all vendors and methods involved in processing cardholder information.
- The submitted data flow chart accurately and completely discloses the flow of data from front end user to the capture and settlement of the transaction.

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Org Head Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Attestation 2: Prohibitive Data Retention

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\_\_\_\_\_  
*Merchant/Department Name*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

Merchant Confirms:

- No evidence of magnetic stripe (i.e., track) data, CVV2 data, or PIN data will be stored on a Texas State University server/computer.
- No cardholder data, including card number and expiration date, will be stored on a Texas State University server/ computer.

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Org Head Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Attestation 3: Confirmation of Legal Counsel Review

*This document must be completed by the Department to demonstrate that University Legal Counsel has reviewed the Third Party Vendor Contract prior to signing. An email from the reviewer should be attached. All Third Party Vendor Contracts must be signed by a Vice President for the department, or by the Vice President's Designee.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Merchant/Department Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Merchant Confirms:

- The Third Party Contract for the applicable merchant services has been reviewed by University Legal Counsel.
- An email or other document from University Legal Counsel is attached, which states the Third Party Contract has been reviewed.
- A copy of the signed contract will be sent to Student Business Services.

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Org Head Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Information Sharing Assessment

A Business Associate Agreement (BAA) is required when information is shared with a company or person who is not a member of the Texas State University AND who, on behalf of Texas State University performs, or assists in the performance of, an activity involving the use or disclosure of sensitive data.

This assessment must be completed prior to entering into a Business Associate arrangement.

**Completion of this process may take up to 3 weeks after signed BAA is received from vendor.**

**We will notify you when the BAA has been fully executed and our website updated.**

**If you have any questions, please contact us at (512) 245-8326.**

1. Will University information be sent to a third party, or will the third party have access to systems at the University?
2. What is the third party doing for us or on our behalf where this information needs to be shared?
3. How will the information be accessed, sent to, and received from, the third party?
4. Is access to this data or system critical for the performance of your own, or your departments, job functions?
5. Which of the options below best describes the Texas State University's relationship with the third party/vendor:

- \_\_\_\_\_ The vendor will be working with data on-site at Texas State University and will never access it remotely or remove it from the premises.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The vendor will be working remotely with Texas State University data and/or will be transporting or transmitting Texas State University data to and from a remote site.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The vendor will be hosting software that you will access (i.e., software as a service, web hosting, etc.).
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other, please describe:

6. Please complete the following information:

<b>Department Name</b>	
<b>Point of Contact</b>	
<b>Phone &amp; Email</b>	
<b>Vendor Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City:</b>	
<b>State, Zip Code:</b>	
<b>Point of Contact</b>	
<b>Phone Number:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>	