

OUR RESPONSIBILITY:

The new regulations by the Canada Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) and the New West Partnership Trade Agreement (NWPTA) require any buying group, such as the Trading Company, to complete Request for Proposals (RFP) for any supplier with sales over 75,000.00. The RFP is posted on Merx.

YOUR RESPONSIBILITY: Read and follow steps at : [Notice of Planned Procurement](#)

Being Trade compliant is IMPORTANT.

'Stiffer **Penalties** for Infractions. **CFTA** increased the level of financial **penalties** that can be imposed in cases where governments act against the agreement. The **finest** are tied to population, and while the Agreement on Internal Trade's maximum **penalty** was \$5 million, the new maximum fine is \$10 million.'