



CTR JOB AID

Using DocuSign for Standard Contract Form-Vendor

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OVERVIEW

This job aid provides details on how to:

- Electronically fill out, sign, and submit Standard Contract Form (SCF)

BEFORE YOU BEGIN

DocuSign is a cloud-based application for the electronic signature and submission of select CTR forms. This creates efficiencies for both departments and CTR.

DocuSign Key Terms

- **Envelope:** a container or "package" that is used to send documents to recipients and manage transactions.
- **Template:** a pre-set envelope with official CTR forms, set recipient roles, tabs, and other business logic. Templates are reusable blueprints for any DocuSign workflow you do repeatedly.
- **PowerForm:** a template that is accessed from a unique, secure URL to generate an envelope.

To access the PowerForm (secure link), users must be behind the MAGNET firewall to access the DocuSign link. All that is needed to use the PowerForm is access to a web browser and a valid email address. PowerForms can be filled out using either a PC or mobile device.

DIRECTIONS

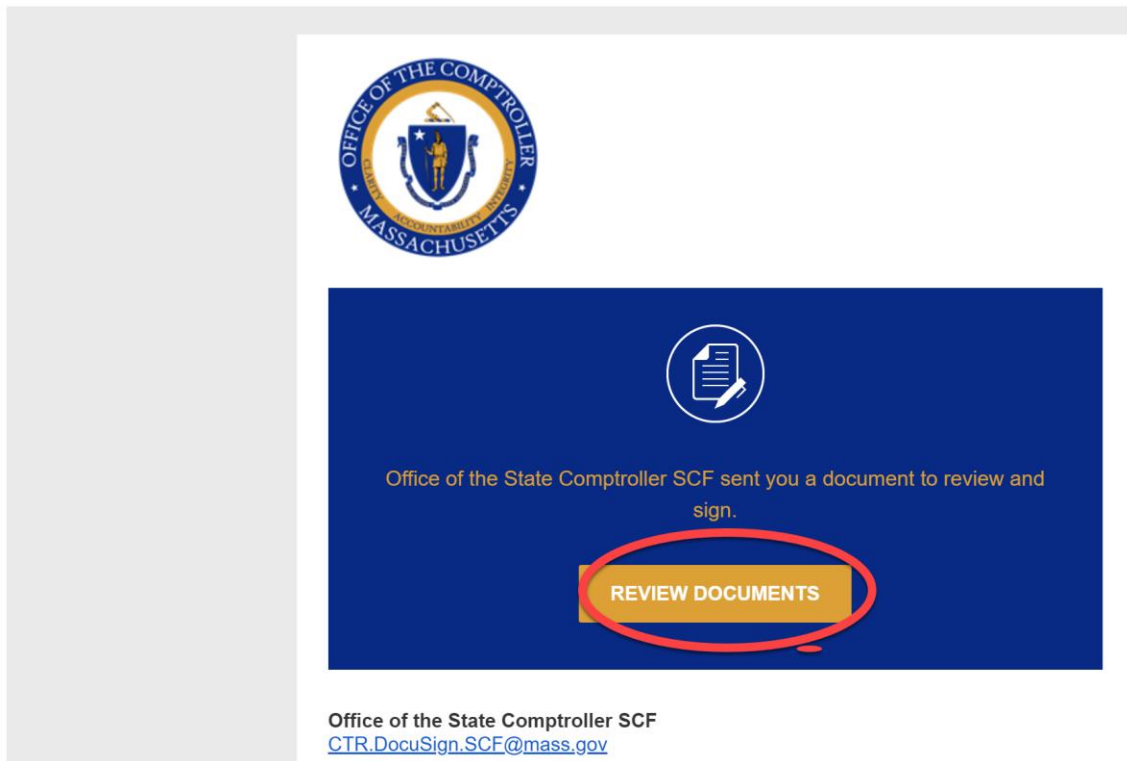
Step 1: For the Vendor Electronically Signing the Form

1. An email from **Massachusetts Office of the Comptroller via DocuSign** with the subject **DocuSign: Massachusetts Standard Contract Form from [[Commonwealth Department Sender_UserName]]** will arrive in the email box the Department provided for the Vendor.
2. Open the email and select **Review Document**.

Please DocuSign: Contract Form Draft.docx 

Office of the State Comptroller SCF via DocuSign <dse_demo@docusign.net>
to me ▾

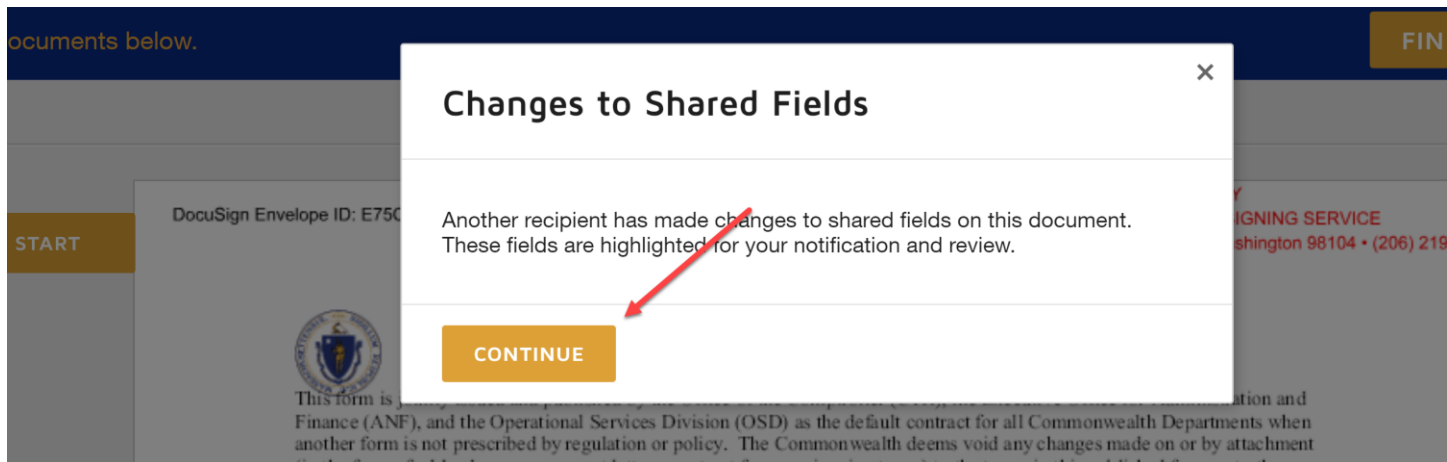
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3. The SCF form will open in a new page. To begin filling out the form, select **Continue**.



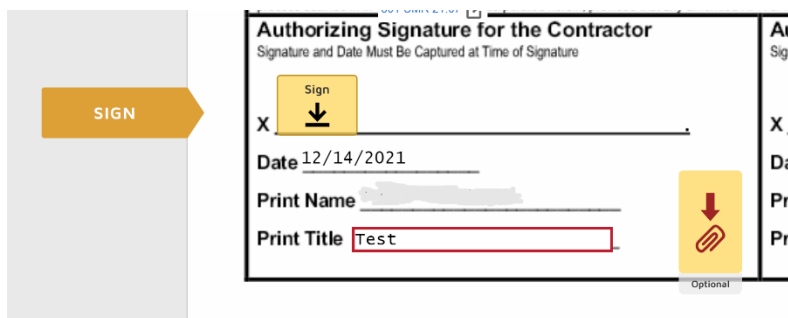
4. A box will appear about the changes to the shared fields to begin reviewing the form, select **Continue**.



5. Once the SCF has been viewed for accuracy, the **Authorized Signatory for the Vendor can electronically sign** the document. If the person who was sent the form as the Vendor role is not an Authorized Signatory, then the form will need to be reassigned to the Authorized Signatory. There are three options when signing the form:

i. Vendor Role to Sign

- a. If the person who was sent the form as the Vendor role and who has filled out the form is an Authorized Signatory, then select the **Sign** button on the Authorized Signature line. The **Date** field is automatically prefilled with today's date and cannot be edited.



- b. The Office of the Comptroller has elected to accept two forms of electronic signature via DocuSign. You can either draw your signature using your mouse or finger (if working from a touch screen device); or you can upload a picture of your wet signature. The typed text of a signature is NOT an acceptable form of electronic signature.

c. Verify your First and Last Name are typed into the **Full Name Box** as well as your initials in the **Initials Box**. Then choose either to **Draw** or **Upload** your signature, confirm it is legible, then select **Adopt and Sign**.

Adopt Your Signature x

Confirm your name, initials, and signature.

* Required

Full Name* **Initials***

DRAW **UPLOAD**

DRAW YOUR SIGNATURE [Clear](#)

By selecting Adopt and Sign, I agree that the signature and initials will be the electronic representation of my signature and initials for all purposes when I (or my agent) use them on documents, including legally binding contracts - just the same as a pen-and-paper signature or initial.

ADOPT AND SIGN **CANCEL**

d. If you need to attach a document, scroll down to bottom of page 3 and select the paper clip. A pop-up box will appear, select **Upload a File** and navigate to and select the file you wish to select. Once the file has been uploaded select **Done**. *Note: This is optional, please only attach documents that are required as part of the contract.*

SIGN

Authorizing Signature for the Contractor
Signature and Date Must Be Captured at Time of Signature

Sign ↓

X X

Date 12/14/2021

Print Name

Print Title

Optional

Upload Attachment x

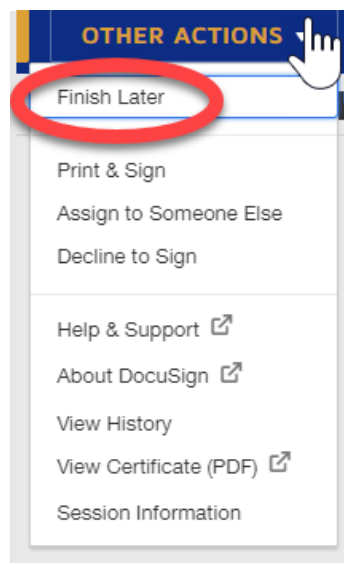
UPLOAD A FILE

DONE

- e. Select **Finish** in the upper right corner or at the bottom of the page. The envelope has now been routed to the **Commonwealth Department Reviewer** for review.

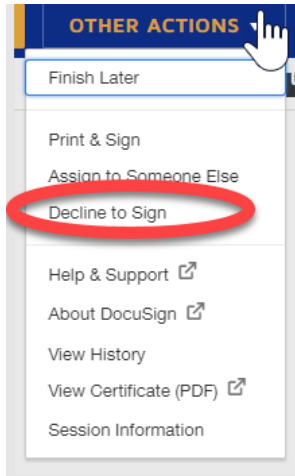


- f. A pop-up box will appear asking if you would like to save a copy of the document. You can either **Download** or **Print**. If you do not wish to save a copy, you can select **Close**.
- g. If you need to come back to the form to finish filling it out later, you can select **Other Actions** in the upper right corner and then select **Finish Later**. To access the form again, go back to the original email and select **Review Document** again.



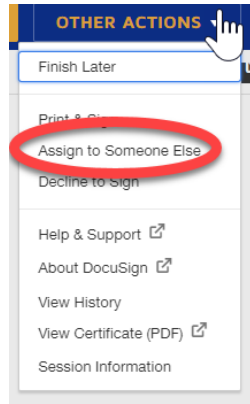
ii. Decline to Sign

- i. If the Vendor does not want this process to continue and wishes to void the envelope, they can select **Decline to Sign**. Select **Other Actions** in the upper right corner, then select **Decline to Sign** from the Drop-down menu then select **Continue**. A Notification will be sent to the Commonwealth Department Sender that the Vendor has declined to signed and the envelope is void.



iii. Assign to Someone Else

- a. To assign to someone else, select **Other Actions** in the upper right corner, then select **Assign to Someone Else** from the Drop-down menu.



- b. Fill in the required information in the Assign to Someone Else box. Fill in the **email address** and **first and last name** of the **Authorized Signatory for the Vendor (New Signer)**. To reduce the likelihood of errors, please copy and paste the email address into the correct field. Please also provide a reason for changing signing responsibility. Select **Assign to Someone Else**. An email will now be sent to the Authorized Signatory with a link to open for them to review and sign the form.

A screenshot of a dialog box titled "Assign to Someone Else" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The dialog contains the following fields and text:

- A red asterisk icon followed by the text "Required".
- A label "Email Address for the New Signer *" above an empty text input field.
- A label "New Signer's Name *" above an empty text input field.
- A label "Please provide a reason for changing signing responsibility" above a larger text area.
- Below the text area, it says "250 characters remaining".
- At the bottom, there is a paragraph of text: "Selecting the Assign to Someone Else button will send a notification to the person to whom you assigned this envelope. The original sender will also receive a notification. You will be added as a Carbon Copy (CC) recipient."
- At the bottom, there are two buttons: "ASSIGN TO SOMEONE ELSE" (highlighted in orange) and "CANCEL".

- c. The Authorized Signatory should now follow the direction in **Vendor Role to Sign** section (2.5.i) above, steps a through e.

DISCLOSURE

Warning: You are responsible for actions made under your signature.