The Department of Finance and Administration is Now Accepting RFPs for Construction of Mississippi's New Alcoholic Beverage Control Distribution Center

The Mississippi Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) is accepting RFPs on the design and construction of the State's new Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) distribution center. The deadline for proposals is Thursday, July 11, 2024, at 2:00 p.m.

Mississippi's ABC is a division under the Mississippi Department of Revenue (DOR) and is tasked with enforcing liquor laws and distributing alcohol products within the state. In the 2022 Regular Legislative Session, Senate Bill 2844 authorized \$55 million for the DOR to work through the DFA to construct and equip a new distribution center within 50 miles of the state capitol. This year, House Bill 1354 authorized an additional \$40 million.

The current distribution center was established in 1983 and is located in Gluckstadt. To store the amount of inventory needed, increase efficiency and improve distribution, a modern, larger warehouse is needed to accommodate demand.

ABC currently distributes over 3.5 million cases of spirits and wines annually from its 211,000 square foot warehouse, serving over 650 off-premise accounts and 1,800 on-premise accounts and offering over 3,800 stocked items and 14,400 special order items in various sizes.

To submit an RFP and learn more, please go to the DFA website here.