

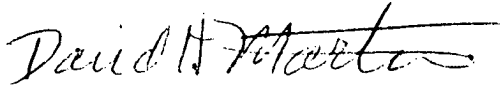
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MEMORANDUM

**Office of
Government Ethics**
MAY 20 1985

Subject: Acceptance of Special Commercial Discounts Offered to Government Employees

From: David H. Martin
Director



To: Designated Agency Ethics Officials

In light of the variety of special rates and commercial discounts that are offered to government employees, this Office recognizes the need to provide guidance to government employees concerning the acceptance of these discounts. As we attempt to develop a workable government-wide policy in this area, we would like to have input from the agencies. We have attached to this memorandum a short questionnaire, which we would like you to complete. Your responses will aid us in understanding your agency's current policy in the area and give us an indication of the approach you think OGE should take in providing guidance on a government-wide basis.

Please return the completed questionnaire to this Office by June 15, 1985. If you have any questions about the questionnaire, please contact Nancy Feathers of this Office at 632-0569.

Thank you for your assistance.