



**FEMA**

**FISCAL YEAR 2016 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG)  
PROGRAM  
NOTICE OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITY (NOFO) – KEY CHANGES**

**CONTROLLED AND PROHIBITED EQUIPMENT**

On January 16, 2015, President Barack Obama issued Executive Order 13688, *Federal Support for Local Law Enforcement Equipment Acquisition*, to identify actions that can improve federal support for the appropriate use, acquisition, and transfer of controlled equipment by state, local, tribal, and territorial law enforcement agencies. The Executive Order specifically prohibits certain equipment from being purchased with federal funds. The prohibited and controlled equipment rules have been included in this year's NOFO following the direction of Executive Order 13688.