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Outboard motors, lawn mowers and computer equipment auctioned March 7

COLUMBUS – A wide selection of computers, electronic and heavy equipment will be available for bid at the State of Ohio miscellaneous property auction Saturday, March 7.

The auction will be held at the Ohio Department of Administrative Services, General Services Division headquarters, 4200 Surface Road, Columbus, 43228. The doors open at 8 a.m. The auction begins at 9 a.m.

A selection of outboard motors, utility tools and lawn mowers- as well as a Dewalt table saw- will be auctioned along with a variety of other items. Laptops, monitors, printers and a wide variety of computer parts also will be up for bid as well as a number of electronic appliances such as copiers, digital cameras, DVD players and power supplies.

Inventory is subject to prior sale to governmental entities.

Purchased items must be paid for in full the day of the sale. Cash and credit cards (Visa, Discover and MasterCard only) are accepted. Credit and debit cards are accepted with a 3 percent service fee. Certain methods of payment are subject to IRS regulations. All purchased items must be picked up by 3 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, 2015. Regular warehouse hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Inventory may be inspected Friday, March 6 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. The warehouse is open until 6 p.m. on the day of the auction.

Surplus property auctions provide the general public an opportunity to purchase quality goods at reduced prices and enable the state to recoup a portion of its initial investment.

Public auctions are the last step in the state's surplus program. State agencies declare property as surplus because it is damaged or at the end of its life cycle for government use. In addition, property may include items seized by law enforcement officials as well as items contributed by airline passengers. The property then is made available to other state agencies, state higher education facilities, tax-supported agencies, municipal corporations and other political subdivisions of the state, including public schools. Remaining property is sold at the public auctions. DAS State and Federal Surplus Services collected revenues in excess of \$4.8 million during Fiscal Year 2014.

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