### SOUTH DAKOTA SCHOOL OF MINES AND TECHNOLOGY

# **Policy Manual**

SUBJECT: Authorizing Third Party Service Providers in Compliance with Payment Card

Industry Data Security Standards (PCI DSS)

**NUMBER: Policy 8-7** (formerly Policy VIII-04-3)

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# **POLICY**

To add a new Service Provider, a department must:

- 1. Discuss the reasons for adding the Service Provider with the Controller or Vice President for Finance and Administration.
- 2. The credentials of the Service Provider must be researched with the contracted BOR PCI assessor. To be considered, the Service Provider should be a Level 1 processer and be named on the list of processors approved by Visa and MasterCard.
- 3. Obtain a copy of the proposed contract from the Service Provider.
- 4. Submit the contract to the Controller and Vice President for Finance and Administration.

# **PURPOSE**

In accordance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards (PCI DSS) requirements, South Dakota Mines has established formal procedures regarding the addition of an authorized third party service provider. This policy will be evaluated on an annual basis.

### **SCOPE**

This policy applies to the addition of any third party service provider to the list of authorized service providers.

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