

Q. INFORMATION SYSTEMS**PUB 46.0 (RE: B-69, Personal Computer Infrastructure)****PUB 46.4**

What are the specifications of the PCs and Laptop computers currently being used by those individuals who will receive the replacement computers to be purchased in 2005.

- A. The table below provides a summary of the specifications of the PCs that are to be replaced in 2005.

PC Specifications (Units to be Retired in 2005)				
Units to be Retired	Processor Speed	Memory	Disk Space	Quantity to be Retired
Dell Optiplex GX110 Desktop PC	733Mhz	256MB	12GB	88
Dell CPxH500GT Laptop PC	500Mhz	256MB	11.2GB	3
Dell C600 Laptop PC	750Mhz	256MB	12GB	22
Total				113

The actual individuals who will receive the replacement computers to be purchased in 2005 are unlikely to be the same individuals currently using these units. The Company routinely “cascades” PCs in a manner that results in employees with higher requirements receiving newer PCs and employees with lower requirements receiving PCs that were formerly used by employees with higher requirements.

By adopting this method of PC management, the Company is able to ensure that its PC requirements are met on a least cost basis.