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Request from: Office of Education, Outreach, and Enforcement

Question:

(VEGETATION INVOICES) Explain why vegetation invoice costs do not agree to the requested recovery amounts. As part of the response, please provide an example of the relevant calculations and system screenshots supporting the reported differences.

Response:

The vegetation invoices and supporting documentation are indicative of the pretax total cost and do not include the 3.335% tax included in the recovery amounts. See, Conn. Gen. Stat. § 12-407(2)(i)(V)-1.

Please refer to EOE-131, Attachment 1 CONFIDENTIAL, for examples of the relevant system screenshots supporting the pre- and post-tax differences. These examples are from invoices charged to MS24A, as referenced in Exhibit ACCT-2 (CLP-1)(MS24A), "Outside Contractors-Vendors" tab, Lines 38-40.