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**From:** Heather Stanford  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 23, 2022 4:22 PM  
**To:** Heather Stanford  
**Cc:** Amy Earheart  
**Subject:** PLEASE READ: Critical Performance Management Information  
**Attachments:** Competency User Scenarios.docx; DOHR's Selecting Competencies Guide.pdf

**Importance:** High

All TDOT Employees,

Please read this entire email as it contains critical information about the current Performance Management Cycle:

Edison will be performing a mass reopen of performance documents with incorrect competencies listed. These documents either contained the wrong competencies for the employee's assigned role, listed no competencies, or had too many or too few competencies listed. Your documents may be impacted by this process. This mass reopen will allow the rater to select the correct competencies (3) for employees. Previously entered information such as the work outcomes and comments should be retained during this process. If you have documents impacted, please follow the instructions below in this email and on the attachments exactly as written.

For your convenience below are the approved competencies for the Department of Transportation:

<b>Employee Role (If your employee is a/an...)</b>	Individual Contributor	Manager Influencer	Executive
<b>Definition (which is defined as a...)</b>	Preferred Service Employees	Preferred service employees with direct reports	Executive service employees
<b>Coordinating Competencies (Then you will select these competencies in Edison...)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Drive for Results</li><li>• Integrity &amp; Trust</li><li>• Customer Focus</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Conflict Management</li><li>• Integrity &amp; Trust</li><li>• Customer Focus</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Integrity &amp; Trust</li><li>• Strategic Agility</li><li>• Customer Focus</li></ul>

Example on how to use the table above: If your employee is a **Manager influencer**, which is defined as a **preferred service employee with direct reports**, then you will select **Conflict Management, Integrity & Trust, and Customer Focus** competencies in Edison.

### Interim 1 Updates:

The performance management spreadsheet will be notated that the document was identified as a Mass Competency Reopen, therefore, it will not against the completion totals for Interim 1. The document will not be considered past due.

### What are the Next Steps:

#### EMPLOYEES:

1. If you are notified that your performance document has been reopened, do not take any action in Edison until you are contacted by your rater to do so.

2. Once contacted by your rater, please check your document to ensure it contains the correct competencies for your role from the table above. If correct, you may acknowledge the document.
3. Your Interim 1 review can be held thirty (30) days after the document is acknowledged. This will not be considered a late review.

**RATERS:**

1. Contact your employee if one of your documents is impacted in the mass reopen
  - a. This is important because if they acknowledge or do anything to the document before it is corrected, it will have to be recreated.
2. Recommendation: Save work outcomes in a Word document or PDF.
  - a. You should not have to re-enter work outcomes after they are reopened, however, it is a good practice to save this information just in case.
3. Edison will perform the mass reopen Wednesday, February 23, 2022 – this will reopen impacted documents back to the IPP procedural step.
4. Use the “Competency User Scenarios” (attachment) to make corrections to the competencies section affected.  
**PLEASE follow all steps exactly as listed.**
5. Ensure that your employee’s document has the correct three competencies listed for that employee’s role in the table above.
6. Share the IPP > Hold the conversation with your employee > Have them acknowledge the new document with correct competencies.
7. Wait a minimum of 30 days before completing the Interim 1 review to avoid a procedural violation.
  - a. Example: If the corrected IPP is completed on Thursday, February 24, 2022, you may start the Interim 1 review no earlier than Monday, March 28, 2022.

As always, the Performance Management Coordinators are prepared to assist employees and raters as needed with documents. If you have issues, please reach out to your assigned PMC:

Headquarters: Amy Earheart  
Region 1: Paul Bettis  
Region 2: Jason Lyell  
Region 3: Robert Hanning  
Region 4: Teri Wells


Thank you and have a great rest of the week!

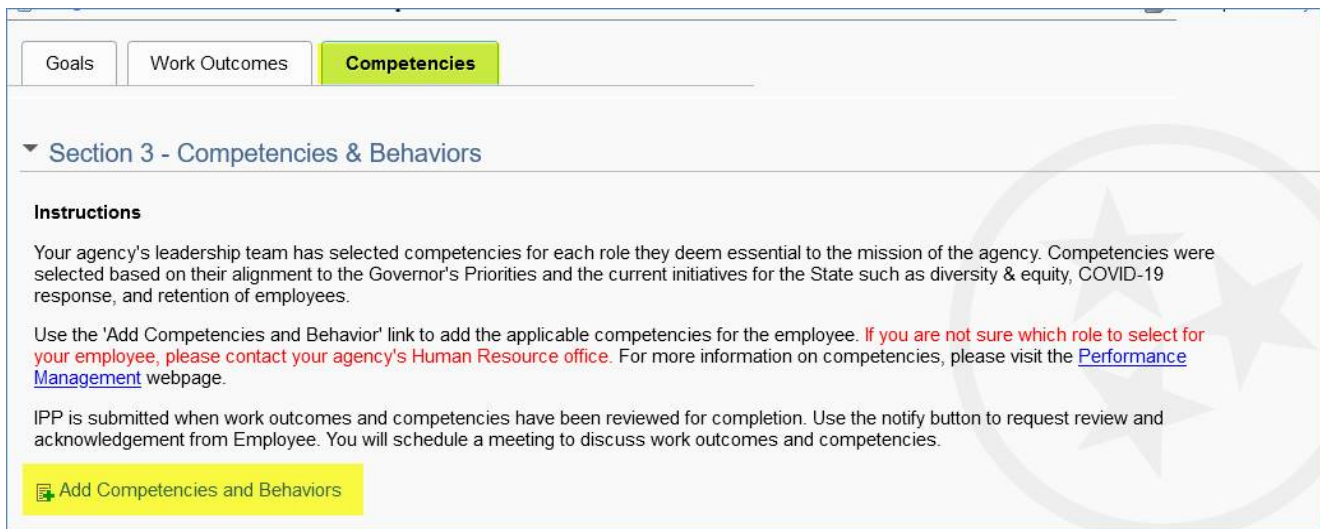


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## Selecting Competencies and Behaviors

Competencies and Behaviors will be added in the same section of the Performance Document as before, under the 'Competencies' tab

Under the 'Competencies' tab, click  [Add Competencies and Behaviors](#) for the search page to display.



The screenshot shows the 'Competencies' tab selected in the top navigation bar. Below the tabs, there is a section titled 'Section 3 - Competencies & Behaviors'. Under this section, there are instructions for adding competencies and behaviors. A yellow button labeled 'Add Competencies and Behaviors' is visible at the bottom of the instructions.

**Instructions**

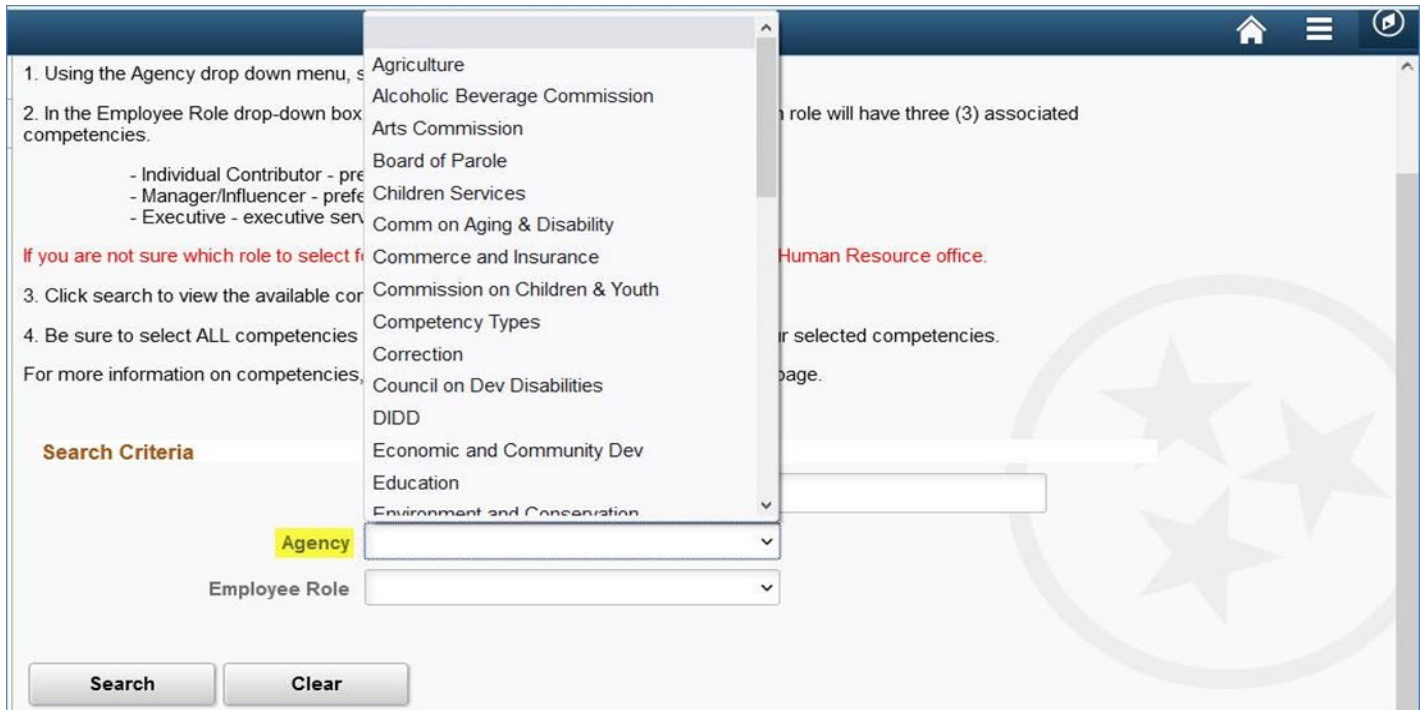
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IPP is submitted when work outcomes and competencies have been reviewed for completion. Use the notify button to request review and acknowledgement from Employee. You will schedule a meeting to discuss work outcomes and competencies.

[Add Competencies and Behaviors](#)

After the search page displays, managers will need to select their Agency from the drop-down menu.



The screenshot shows the search page for adding competencies and behaviors. On the left, there are instructions for using the Agency drop-down menu and the Employee Role drop-down box. The main area contains a search criteria section with a list of agencies and a search button. The Agency drop-down menu is open, showing a list of agencies including Agriculture, Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Arts Commission, Board of Parole, Children Services, Comm on Aging & Disability, Commerce and Insurance, Commission on Children & Youth, Competency Types, Correction, Council on Dev Disabilities, DIDD, Economic and Community Dev, Education, and Environment and Conservation. The Employee Role drop-down menu is also visible.

**1. Using the Agency drop down menu, s**

**2. In the Employee Role drop-down box competencies.**

- Individual Contributor - pre
- Manager/Influencer - prefe
- Executive - executive ser

**If you are not sure which role to select fi**

**3. Click search to view the available cor**

**4. Be sure to select ALL competencies**

For more information on competencies,

**Search Criteria**

**Agency**

**Employee Role**

**Search** **Clear**



Subsequently the agency name will display. The manager then selects the Employee Role using another drop-down menu and submitting the search. There will be three options available for the employee role: Individual Contributor, Manager Influencer, and Executive.

**Search Criteria**

Agency Education ▼

**Employee Role** ▼

- Executive
- Individual Contributor
- Manager Influencer

[Return](#)

Once the search is complete, the manager will be prompted to select their agency identified competencies for that employee role to be added to their direct report's performance document.

**Search Results**

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	Competencies
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Drive for Results
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mission Driven
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Customer Focus

[Select All](#) [Deselect All](#)

Please be sure to Save the selected Competencies by clicking 'Save Selected Comp'.



Competencies and Behaviors will be removed in the same section of the Performance Document under the 'Competencies' tab.

Long Format

Goals Work Outcomes **Competencies**

▼ Section 1 - Strategic & Operational Goals

+ Add Agency Strategic & Operational Goal

Click the Delete icon

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Expand | Collapse | + Add Competencies and Behaviors

▼ **Competency 1: Strategic Agility**

**Competency Description:** Anticipates future consequences and trends accurately recognizing strategic opportunities for change

- Sees ahead clearly
- Has broad knowledge and perspective
- Is future-oriented
- Can articulately paint credible pictures and visions of possibilities and likelihoods
- Can create competitive and breakthrough strategies and plans

When prompted, select Yes-Delete and the Competency will be removed from the Performance Document.

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**Delete Confirmation**

? Are you sure you want to delete (Strategic Agility)?

**Yes - Delete** **No - Do Not Delete**

Performance Document has zero Competencies

When document displays, click **Competencies** tab

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Add Agency Strategic & Operational Goal

Click **Add Competencies and Behaviors**

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Add Competencies and Behaviors

Select your **Agency**

Search Criteria

Environment and Conservation

Finance and Administration

Financial Institutions

General Services

Agency

Employee Role

Select **Employee Role**

Search Criteria

Agency

Employee Role

Executive

Individual Contributor

Manager Influencer

Click **Search**

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Clear

Select all three **Competencies** and then click **Save Selected Comp.** Competencies have now been added.

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Search Results

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	Competencies
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Strategic Agility
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Integrity & Trust
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mission Driven

Select All

Deselect All

Save Selected Comp.

Return

Performance Document has too many Competencies (4 or more)

When document displays, click **Competencies** tab

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Add Agency Strategic & Operational Goal

Click **Expand**

Expand | Collapse | Add Competencies and Behaviors

Competency 1: Peer Relations

Competency 2: Integrity & Trust

Competency 3: Customer Focus

Competency 4: Strategic Agility

Competency 5: Innovative

Click **Delete** icon

Expand | Collapse | Add Competencies and Behaviors

Competency 1: Peer Relations

Competency Description: Is seen as a team player and is cooperative. Can quickly find common ground and solve problems for the good of all

- Can represent his/her own interest and yet be fair to other groups

- Can solve problems with peers with minimum of noise

- Easily gains trust and support of peers

- Encourages collaboration

- Can be candid with peers

Click **Yes – Delete**. Competency is now removed from Performance Document. Repeat until all competencies are deleted, then follow instructions on how to add Competencies.

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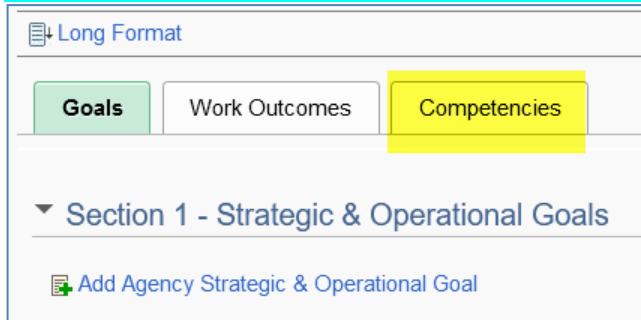
Yes - Delete

No - Do Not Delete




### Performance Document does not have enough Competencies (1 or 2 Competencies only)

Determine if the competencies that are listed are correct. If so, you will need to add the missing ones for that employee role. If any competency listed is not correct **Delete the unwanted competency first**. When document displays, click **Competencies** tab



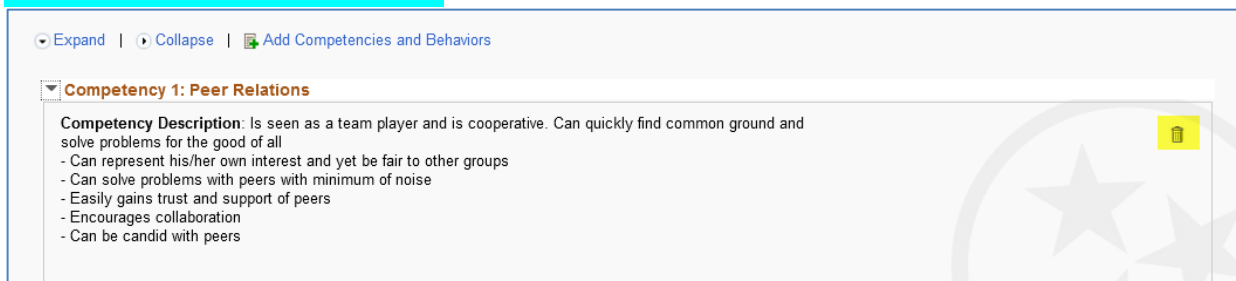
The screenshot shows the 'Long Format' view of a Performance Document. At the top, there are three tabs: 'Goals', 'Work Outcomes', and 'Competencies'. The 'Competencies' tab is highlighted in yellow. Below the tabs, there is a section titled 'Section 1 - Strategic & Operational Goals' with a dropdown arrow. Under this section, there is a link that says '+ Add Agency Strategic & Operational Goal'.

Click **Expand**



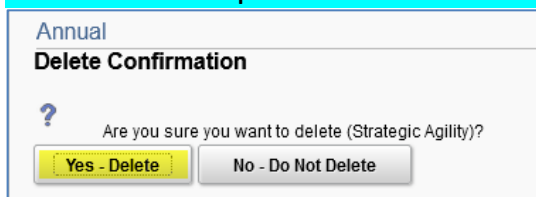
The screenshot shows the 'Competencies' section expanded. At the top, there are three buttons: 'Expand' (highlighted in yellow), 'Collapse', and '+ Add Competencies and Behaviors'. Below these buttons, there are two competency entries: 'Competency 1: Integrity & Trust' and 'Competency 2: Customer Focus'. At the bottom, there is a 'Competency Section Summary' section with a 'Section Weight' of 30% (not less than 30%).

IF NEEDED - Click **Delete** icon 



The screenshot shows the 'Competency 1: Peer Relations' section expanded. It includes a 'Competency Description' and a list of bullet points. A yellow box highlights the 'Delete' icon (a trash can) in the top right corner of the section.

Click **Yes – Delete**. Competency is now removed from Performance Document. Repeat until all **unwanted** competencies are deleted, then follow instructions on how to add Competencies.



The screenshot shows a 'Delete Confirmation' dialog box. It asks the user 'Are you sure you want to delete (Strategic Agility)?' and provides two buttons: 'Yes - Delete' (highlighted in yellow) and 'No - Do Not Delete'.

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