Daniel C. Kim was appointed director of the Department of General Services (DGS) on May 29, 2015.

Director Kim oversees a $1.3 billion annual budget and over 3,600 staff who perform a vast array of services for Californians. DGS provides procurement and acquisition solutions; real estate services; facilities management; design and construction services; environmentally friendly fleet management; professional printing, design and web services; administrative hearings; legal services; building standards; oversight for structural safety, fire-life safety and accessibility for the design and construction of K-12 public schools and community colleges; and funding for school construction.

Prior to his appointment at DGS, Kim served as chief deputy director of operations at the California Department of Public Health. He also served as deputy director at the Sacramento County Department of Human Assistance, and as budget and legislative affairs manager at the San Francisco Department of Human Services. His experience also includes time with Price Waterhouse and the California Legislative Analyst’s Office.

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