

<b>SOLICITATION, OFFER AND AWARD</b>			<b>1. This Contract Is A Rated Order Under DPAS (15 CFR 700)</b>	<b>Rating</b> DXA5	<b>Page</b> 1 of 47
<b>2. Contract No.</b>	<b>3. Solicitation No.</b> DAAE20-98-R-0140		<b>4. Type of Solicitation</b> Negotiated (RFP)	<b>5. Date Issued</b> 1998DEC17	<b>6. Requisition/Purchase No.</b> SEE SCHEDULE
<b>7. Issued By</b> ACALA AMSTA-AC-PCF-B ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630		<b>Code</b> W52H09	<b>8. Address Offer To (If Other Than Item 7)</b> ACALA ACQUISITION CENTER ATTN AMSTA-AC-PC P O BOX 2008 ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630		

**SOLICITATION** NOTE: In sealed bid solicitations 'offer' and 'offeror' mean 'bid' and 'bidder'.

9. Sealed offers in original and 1 Signed copies for furnishing the supplies or services in the Schedule will be received at the place specified in item 8, or if handcarried, in the depository located in AMSTA-AC-PC BLDG 104 RCP AREA until 03:45 (hour) local time 1999JAN19 (Date).

Caution - Late Submissions, Modifications, and Withdrawals: See Section L, Provision No. 52.214-7 or 52.215-1. All offers are subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation.

<b>10. For Information Call:</b>	<b>Name</b> GAIL BINDEWALD <b>E-mail address:</b> BINDEWALDG@RIA.ARMY.MIL	<b>Telephone No. (Include Area Code) (NO Collect Calls)</b> (309) 782-3656
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**OFFER (Must be fully completed by offeror)**

NOTE: Item 12 does not apply if the solicitation includes the provisions at 52.214-16, Minimum Bid Acceptance Period.

12. In compliance with the above, the undersigned agrees, if this offer is accepted within \_\_\_\_ calendar days (60 calendar days unless a different period is inserted by the offeror) from the date for receipt of offers specified above, to furnish any or all items upon which prices are offered at the price set opposite each item, delivered at the designated point(s), within the time specified in the schedule.

13. Discount For Prompt Payment   
(See Section I, Clause No. 52.232-8)

14. Acknowledgment of Amendments (The offeror acknowledges receipt of amendments to the Solicitation for offerors and related documents numbered and dated:	<b>Amendment Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Amendment Number</b>	<b>Date</b>

<b>15A. Contractor/Offeror/Quoter</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Facility</b>	<b>16. Name and Title of Person Authorized to Sign Offer (Type or Print)</b>
<b>15B. Telephone Number (Include Area Code)</b>	<b>15C. Check if Remittance Address is Different From Blk 15A-Furnish Such Address In Offer</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		<b>17. Signature</b>
			<b>18. Offer Date</b>

**AWARD (To be completed by Government)**

<b>19. Accepted As To Items Numbered</b>	<b>20. Amount</b>	<b>21. Accounting And Appropriation</b>	
<b>22. Authority For Using Other Than Full And Open Competition:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)( ) <input type="checkbox"/> 41 U.S.C. 253(c)( )		<b>23. Submit Invoices To Address Shown In (4 copies unless otherwise specified)</b>	<b>Item</b>
<b>24. Administered By (If other than Item 7)</b> SCD PAS ADP PT		<b>25. Payment Will Be Made By</b>	<b>Code</b>
<b>26. Name of Contracting Officer (Type or Print)</b>		<b>27. United States Of America</b>  (Signature of Contracting Officer)	<b>28. Award Date</b>

**IMPORTANT - Award will be made on this Form, or on Standard Form 26, or by other authorized official written notice.**

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## SECTION A - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

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A-1	HQ, DA NOTICE TO OFFERORS - USE OF CLASS I OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCES	JUL/1993
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(a) In accordance with Section 326 of P.L. 102-484, the Government is prohibited from awarding any contract which includes a specification or standard that requires the use of a Class I ozone-depleting substance (ODS) identified in Section 602(a) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7671a(a), or that can be met only through the use of such a substance unless such use has been approved, on an individual basis, by a senior acquisition official who determines that there is no suitable substitute available.

(b) To comply with this statute, the Government has conducted a best efforts screening of the specifications and standards associated with this acquisition to determine whether they contain any ODS requirements. To the extent that ODS requirements were revealed by this review they are identified in Section C with the disposition determined in each case.

(c) If offerors possess any special knowledge about any other ODSs required directly or indirectly at any level of contract performance, the U.S. Army would appreciate if such information was surfaced to the Contracting Officer for appropriate action. To preclude delay to the procurement, offerors should provide any information in accordance with FAR 52.214-6 or 52.215-14 as soon as possible after release of the solicitation and prior to the submission of offers to the extent practicable. It should be understood that there is no obligation on offerors to comply with this request and that no compensation can be provided for doing so.

(AA7020)

A-2	52-201-4501 NOTICE ABOUT ACALA OMBUDSMAN ACALA	NOV/1995
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a. We have an Ombudsman Office here at the U.S. Armament and Chemical Acquisition and Logistics Activity (ACALA). Its purpose is to open another channel of communication with ACALA contractors.

b. If you think that this solicitation:

1. has inappropriate requirements; or
2. needs streamlining; or
3. should be changed

you should first contact the buyer or the Procurement Contracting Officer (PCO).

c. The buyer's name, phone number and address are on the cover page of this solicitation.

d. If the buyer or PCO doesn't respond to the problem to your satisfaction, or if you want to make comments anonymously, you can contact the Ombudsman Office. The address and phone number are:

U.S. Army ACALA  
AMSTA-AC-PC (OMBUDSMAN)  
Rock Island IL 61299-7630  
Phone: (309) 782-3224  
Electronic Mail Address: AMSTA-AC-PC@ria.army.mil

e. If you contact the Ombudsman, please provide him with the following information:

- (1) ACALA solicitation number;
- (2) Name of PCO;
- (3) Problem description;
- (4) Summary of your discussions with the buyer/PCO.

(End of clause)



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2. THE GOVERNMENT'S PROJECTED BUY QUANTITIES, BY ORDERING PERIOD, AS SET FORTH IN THE TABLE BELOW, PREPSENT THE BEST ESTIMATE OF ACTUAL PROJECTED REQUIREMENTS, BASED ON A COMBINATION OR ORDER HISTORY, ACTUAL ORDERS ON HAND, AND PROJECTED DEMAND. THESE QUANTITIES MAY BE IMPACTED BY MANY UNFORESEEN FACTORS, INCLUDING MOBLILIZATION REQUIREMENTS, BUDGETARY INFLUENCE, AND CHANGING TECHNOLOGIES. THEREFORE, AN ORDERING RANGE OF BETWEEN 50 AND 150 PERCENT OF THE ESTIMATED PROJECTED BUY REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED AS A REASONABLE QUANTITY RANGE TO SUPPORT ACTUAL DEMAND.

ORDERING PERIOD	PROJECTED BUY
1	500
2	538
3	511
4	523
5	510

\*\*\* END OF NARRATIVE A001 \*\*\*

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0001	<p>SECTION B - SUPPLIES OR SERVICES AND PRICES/COSTS</p> <p><u>Supplies or Services and Prices/Costs</u></p> <p><u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY WITHOUT FIRST ARTICLE/OV</u></p> <p>NOUN: DEFLECTOR ASSEMBLY                      FSCM: 00000                      PART NR: 12929075                      SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified                      NSN: 1015-01-355-5597</p> <p>THIS IS A 5 YEAR "REQUIREMENTS" CONTRACT. THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS CONTRACT IS FROM THE DATE OF AWARD TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2003.</p> <p>THE ORDERING PERIODS AND ESTIMATED QUANTITIES ARE SET FORTH IN SECTION A OF THIS CONTRACT.</p> <p>PRICING SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ATTACHMENT 001 (SEE SECTION J). PRICES SHOULD BE SHOWN ON THE PRICING ATTACHMENT AND <u>NOT</u> ON THIS PAGE.</p> <p>THE QUANTITIES TO BE ORDERED SHALL BE PROVIDED IN EACH INDIVIDUAL ORDER PLACED AGAINST THIS "REQUIREMENTS" CONTRACT.</p> <p>THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY IS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUED ORDERS UNDER THIS CONTRACT:</p> <p>ARMAMENT AND CHEMICAL ACQUISITION AND LOGISTICAL ACTIVITY (ACALA)                      AMSTA-AC-PCF-B                      ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630</p> <p>PACKING SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION D REQUIREMENTS.</p> <p>(End of narrative B001)</p> <p><u>Packaging and Marking</u>                      PACKAGING/PACKING/SPECIFICATIONS:                      P12929075                      LEVEL PROTECTION: A LEVEL PACK: B</p> <p><u>Inspection and Acceptance</u>                      INSPECTION: Origin ACCEPTANCE: Origin                      FOB IS DESTINATION</p> <p>DELIVERY SCHEDULE DATE WILL BE STATED IN EACH INDIVIDUAL ORDER. DELIVERIES WILL COMMENCE 120 DAYS AFTER AWARD OF THE ORDER. THE DELIVERY WILL BE AT AN APPROXIMATE RATE OF 42 UNITS PER MONTH. (ORDER QUANTITY/12 = PER MONTH QUANTITY)</p>			<p>\$ _____</p>	<p>\$ _____</p>

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0002	<p>THE SHIP TO ADDRESS WILL BE PROVIDED                      IN EACH INDIVIDUAL ORDER.</p> <p>(End of narrative F001)</p> <p><u>Supplies or Services and Prices/Costs</u></p> <p><u>DD FORM 1423</u></p> <p>NOUN: DD FORM 1423                      SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified                      CONTRACTOR WILL PREPARE AND DELIVER THE                      TECHNICAL DATA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE                      REQUIREMENTS, QUANTITIES, AND SCHEDULES                      SET FORTH IN THE CONTRACT DATA                      REQUIREMENTS LISTS (DD FORM 1423),                      EXHIBIT A. SUBMISSIONS CAN BE ELECTRONIC                      IF SO DESIRED BY THE CONTRACTOR.</p> <p>A DD 250 IS NOT REQUIRED.</p> <p>(End of narrative B001)</p> <p><u>Inspection and Acceptance</u>                      INSPECTION: Destination ACCEPTANCE: Destination</p>				

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B-1	252.225.7008 DFARS	SUPPLIES TO BE ACCORDED DUTY-FREE ENTRY	MAR/1998

In accordance with paragraph (a) of the Duty-Free Entry clause and/or paragraph (b) of the Duty-Free Entry--Qualifying Country End Products and Supplies clause of this contract, the following supplies are accorded duty-free entry:

NONE

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## SECTION C - DESCRIPTION/SPECIFICATIONS/WORK STATEMENT

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C-1	52.210-4501 ACALA	DRAWINGS/SPECIFICATION	MAR/1988

In addition to the drawing(s) and/or specifications listed below, other documents which are part of this procurement and which apply to Preservation/Packaging/Packing and Inspection and Acceptance are contained elsewhere.

The following drawing(s) and specifications are applicable to this procurement.

Drawings and Specifications in accordance with inclosed Technical Data Package Listing TDPL 12929075 with revisions in effect as of 22 JAN 98 (except as follows):

DOCUMENT	DELETE	REPLACE WITH
10910174	MIL-S-18729	N/A
12913742	MIL-S-18729	AMS 6350
12913743	MIL-S-18729	AMS 6350
12913740	MIL-STD-1261	ANSI/AWS D1.1
12913741	MIL-STD-1261	ANSI/AWS D1.1

(CS6100)

THIS TDP CANNOT BE RELEASED UNTIL A NON-DISCLOSURE STATEMENT IS SIGNED AND RETURNED TO: ACALA, ATTN: AMSTA-AC-PCF-B/GAIL BINDEWALD, ROCK ISLAND, IL 61299-7630

OFFERORS ARE CAUTIONED THAT IN THE PAST CONTRACTORS HAVE HAD DIFFICULTY MEETING DIMENSIONAL/ANGULAR REQUIREMENTS.

C-2	52.210- 4502ACALA	PHOSPHATE COATING REQUIREMENT	MAR/1995
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The following requirements regarding phosphate coating are applicable to this solicitation and any resultant contract in addition to those requirements set forth in specification DOD-P-16232F, and Interim Amendment 1 (AR), dated 9 Sep 92.

The appropriate address to which phosphate coating procedures should be sent by the contractor is Commander, Armament and Chemical Acquisition and Logistics Activity, ATTN: AMSTA-AC-PCF-B/GAIL BINDEWALD, Rock Island, IL 61299-7630. The contract number must be cited on all phosphate coating procedures being submitted to ACALA for review and approval. Procedures shall include product name and manufacturer of all chemicals to be used. All processes, equipment, and controls used for phosphating shall be described in detail.

(end of clause)

(CS6508)

C-3	52.248-4502 ACALA	VALUE ENGINEERING CHANGE PROPOSALS, ENGINEERING CHANGE PROPOSALS, WAIVERS AND DEVIATIONS	JAN/1997
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The contractor may submit Engineering Change Proposals (ECPs), Value Engineering Change Proposals (VECPs), Request for Deviations (RFDs), Request for Waivers (RFWs), Notice of Revisions (NORs) for the documents in the Technical Data Package (TDP). The contractor shall prepare these documents in accordance with MIL-STD-973 including Interim Change Notices 1, 2, and 3, as tailored on the Document Summary List, and the accompanying DD Form 1423, Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).

(a) A contractor who developed the TDP shall submit ECPs in accordance with 5.4.2, RFDs in accordance with 5.4.3, and RFWs in accordance with 5.4.4 of MIL-STD-973.

(b) A contractor who did NOT develop the TDP shall submit ECPs in accordance with 5.4.8.2, RFDs in accordance with 5.4.8.3, and RFWs shall be submitted in accordance with 5.4.8.4 of MIL-STD-973.

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(c) For each document affected by an ECP, the contractor shall submit a NOR in accordance with 5.4.7 of MIL-STD-973.

(d) If the Government receives the same or substantially the same VECs from two or more contractors, the contractor whose VEC is received and time and date stamped first by AMSTA-AR-EDT-R will be entitled to share with the Government in all instant, concurrent, future, and collateral savings.

(e) Duplicate VECs which are received subsequently will be returned to the contractor(s) without formal evaluation, regardless of whether or not the first VEC has been approved and accepted by the Government. If the first VEC submitter's proposal is accepted by the Government, subsequent submitters will receive no VEC savings under their or other contracts.

End of Clause

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## SECTION D - PACKAGING AND MARKING

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D-1	52.211-4501 ACALA	PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS	SEP/1997

(a) Packaging shall be in accordance with the requirements of the Packaging Data Sheet or the Special Packaging Instruction P12929075, revision A, dated 14 APR 97. Packing Level B is required and shall be in accordance with MIL-STD-2073-1, revision C, date 1 OCT 96.

(b) Marking shall be in accordance with MIL-STD-129, "Standard Practice for Military Marking," revision N, dated 15 MAY 97. Bar coding requirements apply. When lot numbering is required, no more than one lot shall be packaged in an outer shipping container.

EXCEPTION: NONE

(End of clause)

(DS6400)

D-2	52.247-4521 ACALA	UNITIZATION/PALLETIZATION	JUL/1998
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Shipments of identical items going to the same destination shall be palletized if they have a total cubic displacement of 50 cubic feet or more, unless skids or other forklift handling features are included on the container. Pallet loads must be stable and to the greatest extent possible provide a level top for ease in stacking. A palletized load shall not exceed 52 inches in length or width, or 54 inches of height. When LEVEL A packing is required, a four-way entry pallet or pallet box shall be used to contain the load in a manner that will permit safe multiple rehandling during storage and shipment.

(End of clause)

(DS7204)

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## SECTION E - INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

This document incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at these addresses:

<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or [www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars](http://www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars)

If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.

(EA7001)

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
E-1	52.246-2	INSPECTION OF SUPPLIES - FIXED-PRICE	AUG/1996
E-2	52.246-16	RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUPPLIES	APR/1984
E-3	52.246-11	HIGHER-LEVEL CONTRACT QUALITY REQUIREMENT (GOVERNMENT SPECIFICATION)	APR/1984

(a) Definition. 'Contract date,' as used in this clause, means the date set for bid opening or, if this is a negotiated contract or a modification, the effective date of this contract or modification.

(b) The Contractor shall comply with the specification titled ANSI/ISO/ASQC Q9003 OR EQUIVALENT, in effect on the contract date, which is hereby incorporated into this contract.

(EP6001)

E-4	52.246-4540 ACALA	CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CP)2 CLAUSE	MAR/1997
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a. The (CP)2 program is a voluntary program open to all contractors. The program is a unified effort between the Government and the Contractor to confirm the development, use and continuous improvement of quality operations. Implementation and continuous improvement are measured and documented through independent audits and follow on reporting. For more information on the (CP)2 program, please contact the Contracting Officer.

b. The Government will not delay processing of this solicitation to afford any offeror additional time to complete the (CP)2 certification process.

c. You may provide the following information relative to (CP)2 certification:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ NOT CERTIFIED

(2) \_\_\_\_\_ CERTIFIED

(i) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF CERTIFICATION

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_ CERTIFYING ACTIVITY

d. For Contractor facilities currently certified under the (CP)2 program, the following shall apply:

(1) Provided the process is in a state of statistical control and the minimum process performance index of 1.33 is met, the Contractor may eliminate acceptance inspections and acceptance testing for unlisted, minor, and major characteristics and parameters by providing written notice to the Contracting Officer and providing a copy furnished to the Administrative Contracting Officer. The provisions of the Statistical Process Control (SPC) clause of this contract still apply for reduction or elimination of acceptance inspection or acceptance testing for characteristics and parameters identified as critical or 'special.'

(2) Design approvals for acceptance equipment and test equipment will be waived for unlisted, minor and major characteristics and parameters by providing written notice to the Contracting Officer. The provisions of the 'Acceptance Inspection Equipment (AIE)' clause of this contract still apply for acceptance equipment and test equipment design approvals utilized for 'critical' or 'special' characteristics or parameters.

(3) First Article Test Requirements shall be waived by the Contracting Officer when supplies identical or similar to those called for in the schedule have been previously furnished by the Contractor and have been accepted by the Government.

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e. The Government reserves the right to rescind, at no increase in contract price, the rights and benefits granted to the Contractor under this clause if the Contractor's quality performance deteriorates from the level specified within the (CP)2 agreement between the Government and the Contractor.

End of Clause

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## SECTION F - DELIVERIES OR PERFORMANCE

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If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
F-1	52.242-17	GOVERNMENT DELAY OF WORK	APR/1984
F-2	52.247-34	F.O.B. DESTINATION	JAN/1991

F-3	52.247-48	F.O.B. DESTINATION - EVIDENCE OF SHIPMENT (DEVIATION)	JUL/1995
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(a) If this contract is awarded on a f.o.b. destination basis, and if transportation is accomplished by common carrier, parcel post, or other than common carrier, the Contractor agrees not to invoice until the supplies are shipped, and to retain the following evidence of shipment (EOS) documentation for a period of 4 years after completion of the contract.

(1) If transportation is accomplished by common carrier, the Contractor will retain a signed copy of the commercial bill of lading of the supplies covered by the invoice, indicating the carrier's intent to ship said supplies to the destination specified in the contract.

(2) If transportation is accomplished by parcel post, the Contractor will retain a copy of the mailing certificate, or

(3) If transportation is by other than common carrier or parcel post, the Contractor will retain the receipt copy of the appropriate delivery document showing receipt at the destination in the contract.

(b) Retention of the above EOS documentation and having the documentation available for subsequent review, if needed, eliminates the requirement to provide these documents with the Contractor's paper, or electronically transmitted, invoices.

(End of clause)

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F-4	52.247-4531 ACALA	COGNIZANT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	MAY/1993
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(a) The contract administration office designated at the time of contract award, or the office servicing the point of shipment if subsequently designated by the original office, will be the contact point to which the contractor will:

(1) Submit, as necessary, DD Form 1659, Application for U.S. Government Bill(s) of Lading/Export Traffic Release, in triplicate at least ten days prior to date supplies will be available for shipment;

(2) Obtain shipping instructions as necessary for F.O.B. Destination delivery; and

(3) Furnish necessary information for MILSTRIP/MILSTAMP or other shipment documentation and movement control, including air and water terminal clearances.

(4) For FMS, at least 10 days in advance of actual shipping date the contractor should request verification of "Ship to" and "Notification" address from the appropriate DCMAO.

(b) The contract administration office will provide to the contractor data necessary for shipment marking and freight routing.

(c) The contractor shall not ship directly to a Military air or water port terminal without authorization by the designated point of contact.

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SECTION G - CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION DATA

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G-1	52.232-4503 ACALA	CONTRACTOR'S REMITTANCE ADDRESS	AUG/1994

Offerors are requested to indicate below the address to which payment should be mailed, if such address is different from that shown for the Offeror on the face of this Solicitation.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City & State \_\_\_\_\_

(Do not include any bank account information. If necessary, please submit this information under separate cover.)

(End of Clause)

(GS7015)

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SECTION H - SPECIAL CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

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<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
H-1 52.246-4500 ACALA	MATERIAL INSPECTION AND RECEIVING REPORTS (DD FORM 250)	MAR/1988

Material Inspection and Receiving Report (DD Form 250), required to be prepared and furnished to the Government under the clause of this contract entitled 'Material Inspection and Receiving Report', will be distributed by the Contractor in accordance with DOD FAR Supplement Appendix F, Part 4.

Send copies to:

1. Purchasing Office

Director  
Armament and Chemical Acquisition and Logistics Activity  
ATTN: AMSTA-AC-PCF-B/GAIL BINDEWALD  
Rock Island, IL 61299-7630

(End of clause)

(HS6502)

H-2	252.247-7023 DFARS	TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA	NOV/1995
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(a) Definitions. As used in this clause--

(1) ''Components'' means articles, materials, and supplies incorporated directly into end products at any level of manufacture, fabrication, or assembly by the Contractor or any subcontractor.

(2) ''Department of Defense'' (DoD) means the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and defense agencies.

(3) ''Foreign flag vessel'' means any vessel that is not a U.S.-flag vessel.

(4) ''Ocean transportation'' means any transportation aboard a ship, vessel, boat, barge, or ferry through international waters.

(5) ''Subcontractor'' means a supplier, materialman, distributor, or vendor at any level below the prime contractor whose contractual obligation to perform results from, or is conditioned upon, award of the prime contract and who is performing any part of the work or other requirement of the prime contract. However, effective May 1, 1996, the term does not include a supplier, materialman, distributor, or vendor of commercial items or commercial components.

(6) ''Supplies'' means all property, except land and interests in land, that is clearly identifiable for eventual use by or owned by the DoD at the time of transportation by sea.

(i) An item is clearly identifiable for eventual use by the DoD if, for example, the contract documentation contains a reference to a DoD contract number or a military destination.

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(ii) "Supplies" include (but is not limited to) public works; buildings and facilities; ships; floating equipment; and vessels of every character, type, and description, with parts, subassemblies, accessories, and equipment; machine tools; material; equipment; stores of all kinds; end items; construction materials; and components of the foregoing.

(7) "U.S.-flag vessel" means a vessel of the United States or belonging to the United States, including any vessel registered or having national status under the laws of the United States.

(b) The Contractor shall employ U.S.-flag vessels in the transportation by sea of any supplies to be furnished in the performance of this contract. The Contractor and its subcontractors may request that the Contracting Officer authorize shipment in foreign-flag vessels, or designate available U.S.-flag vessels, if the Contractor or a subcontractor believes that--

- (1) U.S.-flag vessels are not available for timely shipment;
- (2) The freight charges are inordinately excessive or unreasonable; or
- (3) Freight charges are higher than charges to private persons for transportation of like goods.

(c) The Contractor must submit any request for use of other than U.S.-flag vessels in writing to the Contracting Officer at least 45 days prior to the sailing date necessary to meet its delivery schedules. The Contracting Officer will process requests submitted after such date(s) as expeditiously as possible, but the Contracting Officer's failure to grant approvals to meet the shipper's sailing date will not of itself constitute a compensable delay under this or any other clause of this contract. Requests shall contain at a minimum--

- (1) Type, weight, and cube of cargo;
- (2) Required shipping date;
- (3) Special handling and discharge requirements;
- (4) Loading and discharge points;
- (5) Name of shipper and consignee;
- (6) Prime contract number; and

(7) A documented description of efforts made to secure U.S.-flag vessels, including points of contact (with names and telephone numbers) with at least two U.S.-flag carriers contacted. Copies of telephone notes, telegraphic and facsimile message or letters will be sufficient for this purpose.

(d) The Contractor shall, within 30 days after each shipment covered by this clause, provide the Contracting Officer and the Division of National Cargo, Office of Market Development, Maritime Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, Washington, DC 20590, one copy of the rated on board vessel operating carrier's ocean bill of lading, which shall contain the following information--

- (1) Prime contract number;
- (2) Name of vessel;
- (3) Vessel flag of registry;
- (4) Date of loading;
- (5) Port of loading;
- (6) Port of final discharge;
- (7) Description of commodity;
- (8) Gross weight in pounds and cubic feet if available;
- (9) Total ocean freight in U.S. dollars; and
- (10) Name of the steamship company.

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(e) The Contractor agrees to provide with its final invoice under this contract a representation that to the best of its knowledge and belief--

(1) No ocean transportation was used in the performance of this contract;

(2) Ocean transportation was used and only U.S.-flag vessels were used for all ocean shipments under the contract;

(3) Ocean transportation was used, and the Contractor had the written consent of the Contracting Officer for all non-U.S.-flag ocean transportation; or

(4) Ocean transportation was used and some or all of the shipments were made on non-U.S.-flag vessels without the written consent of the Contracting Officer. The Contractor shall describe these shipments in the following format:

Item	Contract	Description	Line Item	Quantity	Total
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(f) If the final invoice does not include the required representation, the Government will reject and return it to the Contractor as an improper invoice for the purposes of the Prompt Payment clause of this contract. In the event there has been unauthorized use of non-U.S.-flag vessels in the performance of this contract, the Contracting Officer is entitled to equitably adjust the contract, based on the unauthorized use.

(g) The Contractor shall include this clause, including this paragraph (g) in all subcontracts under this contract, which exceed the simplified acquisition threshold in Part 13 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.

(HA7502)

H-3	252.247-7024	NOTIFICATION OF TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA			NOV/1995
	DFARS				

(a) The Contractor has indicated by the response to the solicitation provision, Representation of Extent of Transportation by Sea, that it did not anticipate transporting by sea any supplies. If, however, after the award of this contract, the Contractor learns that supplies, as defined in the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause of this contract, will be transported by sea, the Contractor--

(1) Shall notify the Contracting Officer of that fact; and

(2) Hereby agrees to comply with all the terms and conditions of the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause of this contract.

(b) The Contractor shall include this clause, including this paragraph (b), revised as necessary to reflect the relationship of the contracting parties, in all subcontracts hereunder, except (effective May 1, 1996) subcontracts for the acquisition of commercial items or components.

(End of clause)

(HA7503)

H-4	52.247-4545	PLACE OF CONTRACT SHIPPING POINT, RAIL INFORMATION			MAY/1993
	ACALA				

The bidder/offeror is to fill in the 'Shipped From' address, if different from 'Place of Performance' indicated elsewhere in this section.

Shipped From:

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For contracts involving F.O.B. Origin shipments furnish the following rail information:

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Does Shipping Point have a private railroad siding? \_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_ NO

If YES, give name of rail carrier serving it: \_\_\_\_\_

If NO, give name and address of nearest rail freight station and carrier serving it:

Rail Freight Station Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Serving Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_

(End of Clause)

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<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or [www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars](http://www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars)

If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.

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I-1	52.203-3	GRATUITIES	APR/1984
I-2	52.203-5	COVENANT AGAINST CONTINGENT FEES	APR/1984
I-3	52.203-8	CANCELLATION, RECISSION, AND RECOVERY OF FUNDS FOR ILLEGAL OR IMPROPER ACTIVITY	JAN/1997
I-4	52.203-10	PRICE OR FEE ADJUSTMENT FOR ILLEGAL OR IMPROPER ACTIVITY	JAN/1997
I-5	52.203-12	LIMITATION ON PAYMENTS TO INFLUENCE CERTAIN FEDERAL TRANSACTIONS	JUN/1997
I-6	52.204-4	PRINTING/COPYING DOUBLE-SIDED ON RECYCLED PAPER	JUN/1996
I-7	52.211-5	MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS	OCT/1997
I-8	52.211-15	DEFENSE PRIORITY AND ALLOCATION REQUIREMENTS	SEP/1990
I-9	52.215-2	AUDIT AND RECORDS - NEGOTIATION	AUG/1996
I-10	52.215-14	INTEGRITY OF UNIT PRICES	OCT/1997
I-11	52.219-6	NOTICE OF TOTAL SMALL BUSINESS SET-ASIDE	JUL/1996
I-12	52.219-8	UTILIZATION OF SMALL, SMALL DISADVANTAGED AND WOMEN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS	JAN/1999
I-13	52.219-14	LIMITATIONS ON SUBCONTRACTING	DEC/1996
I-14	52.222-35	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR DISABLED VETERANS AND VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA	APR/1998
I-15	52.222-36	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR WORKERS WITH DISABILITIES	JUN/1998
I-16	52.222-37	EMPLOYMENT REPORTS ON DISABLED VETERANS AND VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA	APR/1998
I-17	52.223-2	CLEAN AIR AND WATER	APR/1984
I-18	52.223-6	DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE	JAN/1997
I-19	52.225-10	DUTY-FREE ENTRY	APR/1984
I-20	52.225-11	RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN FOREIGN PURCHASES	AUG/1998
I-21	52.229-3	FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES	JAN/1991
I-22	52.229-5	TAXES - CONTRACTS PERFORMED IN U.S. POSSESSIONS OR PUERTO RICO	APR/1984
I-23	52.232-1	PAYMENTS	APR/1984
I-24	52.232-8	DISCOUNTS FOR PROMPT PAYMENT	MAY/1997
I-25	52.232-11	EXTRAS	APR/1984
I-26	52.232-16	PROGRESS PAYMENTS - ALTERNATE I	AUG/1987
I-27	52.232-17	INTEREST	JUN/1996
I-28	52.232-18	AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS	APR/1984
I-29	52.232-23	ASSIGNMENT OF CLAIMS - ALTERNATE I	APR/1984
I-30	52.232-25	PROMPT PAYMENT	JUN/1997
I-31	52.233-3	PROTEST AFTER AWARD	OCT/1995
I-32	52.242-13	BANKRUPTCY	JUL/1995
I-33	52.243-1	CHANGES - FIXED PRICE	AUG/1987
I-34	52.247-63	PREFERENCE FOR U.S. - FLAG AIR CARRIERS	JAN/1997
I-35	52.249-2	TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE OF THE GOVERNMENT (FIXED-PRICE)	SEP/1996
I-36	52.249-8	DEFAULT (FIXED-PRICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE)	APR/1984
I-37	52.253-1	COMPUTER GENERATED FORMS	JAN/1991
I-38	252.203-7001	SPECIAL PROHIBITION ON EMPLOYMENT	JUN/1997
	DFARS		
I-39	252.204-7003	CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL WORK PRODUCT	APR/1992
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I-40	252.204-7004	REQUIRED CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION	MAR/1998
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I-41	252.205-7000	PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT HOLDERS	DEC/1991
	DFARS		
I-42	252.209-7000	ACQUISITION FROM SUBCONTRACTORS SUBJECT TO ON-SITE INSPECTION UNDER THE INTERMEDIATE-RANGE NUCLEAR FORCES (INF) TREATY	NOV/1995
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I-43	252.225-7001 DFARS	BUY AMERICAN ACT AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM	MAR/1998
I-44	252.225-7009 DFARS	DUTY-FREE ENTRY--QUALIFYING COUNTRY SUPPLIES (END PRODUCTS AND COMPONENTS)	MAR/1998
I-45	252.225-7010 DFARS	DUTY-FREE ENTRY -- ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS	MAR/1998
I-46	252.225-7012 DFARS	PREFERENCE FOR CERTAIN DOMESTIC COMMODITIES	SEP/1997
I-47	252.225-7031 DFARS	SECONDARY ARAB BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL	JUN/1992
I-48	252.231-7000 DFARS	SUPPLEMENTAL COST PRINCIPLES	DEC/1991
I-49	252.232-7004 DFARS	DOD PROGRESS PAYMENT RATES	FEB/1996
I-50	252.232-7009 DFARS	PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (CCR)	JUN/1998
I-51	252.242-7000 DFARS	POSTAWARD CONFERENCE	DEC/1991
I-52	252.243-7001 DFARS	PRICING OF CONTRACT MODIFICATIONS	DEC/1991
I-53	252.243-7002 DFARS	REQUESTS FOR EQUITABLE ADJUSTMENT	MAR/1998
I-54	252.246-7000 DFARS	MATERIAL INSPECTION AND RECEIVING REPORT	DEC/1991
I-55	52.216-18	ORDERING	OCT/1995

(a) Any supplies and services to be furnished under this contract shall be ordered by issuance of delivery orders or task orders by the individuals or activities designated in the Schedule. Such orders may be issued from DATE OF AWARD through THE EFFECTIVE PERIOD OF THIS CONTRACT FOR CLIN 0001.

(b) All delivery orders or task orders are subject to the terms and conditions of this contract. In the event of conflict between a delivery order or task order and this contract, the contract shall control.

(c) If mailed, a delivery order or task order is considered "issued" when the Government deposits the order in the mail. Orders may be issued orally, by facsimile, or by electronic commerce methods only if authorized in the Schedule.

End of Clause

(IF6155)

I-56	52.216-19	ORDER LIMITATIONS	OCT/1995
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(a) Minimum order. When the Government requires supplies or services covered by this contract in an amount of less than 25 EA, the Government is not obligated to purchase, nor is the Contractor obligated to furnish, those supplies or services under the contract.

(b) Maximum order. The Contractor is not obligated to honor -

(1) Any order for a single item in excess of 1,000 EA;

(2) Any order for a combination of items in excess of 1,000 EA; or

(3) A series of orders from the same ordering office within 60 days that together call for quantities exceeding the limitation in subparagraph (1) or (2) above.

(c) If this is a requirements contract (i.e., includes the Requirements clause at subsection 52.216-21 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)), the Government is not required to order a part of any one requirement from the Contractor if that requirement exceeds the maximum-order limitations in paragraph (b) above.

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(d) Notwithstanding paragraphs (b) and (c) above, the Contractor shall honor any order exceeding the maximum order limitations in paragraph (b), unless that order (or orders) is returned to the ordering office within 30 days after issuance, with written notice stating the Contractor's intent not to ship the item (or items) called for and the reasons. Upon receiving this notice, the Government may acquire the supplies or services from another source.

(End of Clause)

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I-57                    52.216-21                    REQUIREMENTS                    OCT/1995

(a) This is a requirements contract for the supplies or services specified, and effective for the period stated, in the Schedule. The quantities of supplies or services specified in the Schedule are estimates only and are not purchased by this contract. Except as this contract may otherwise provide, if the Government's requirements do not result in orders in the quantities described as "estimated" or "maximum" in the Schedule, that fact shall not constitute the basis for an equitable price adjustment.

(b) Delivery or performance shall be made only in accordance with the Ordering clause. Subject to any limitations in the Order Limitations clause or elsewhere in this contract, the Contractor shall furnish to the Government all supplies or services specified in the Schedule and called for by orders issued in accordance with the Ordering clause. The Government may issue orders requiring delivery to multiple destinations or performance at multiple locations.

(c) Except as this contract otherwise provides, the Government shall order from the Contractor all the supplies or services specified in the Schedule that are required to be purchased by the Government activity or activities specified in the Schedule.

(d) The Government is not required to purchase from the Contractor requirements in excess of any limit on total orders under this contract.

(e) If the Government urgently requires delivery of any quantity of an item before the earliest date that delivery may be specified under this contract, and if the Contractor will not accept an order providing for the accelerated delivery, the Government may acquire the urgently required goods or services from another source.

(f) Any order issued during the effective period of this contract and not completed within that period shall be completed by the Contractor within the time specified in the order. The contract shall govern the Contractor's and the Government's rights and obligations with respect to that order to the same extent as if the order were completed during the contract's effective period; provided, that the Contractor shall not be required to make any deliveries under this contract after 30 SEP 2004.

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I-58                    52.202-1                    DEFINITIONS                    OCT/1995

(a) "Head of the agency" (also called "agency head") or "Secretary" means the Secretary (or Attorney General, Administrator, Governor, Chairperson, or other chief official, as appropriate) of the agency, including any deputy or assistant chief official of the agency; and the term "authorized representative" means any person, persons, or board (other than the Contracting Officer) authorized to act for the head of the agency or Secretary.

(b) Commercial component means any component that is a commercial item.

(c) Commercial item means--

(1) Any item, other than real property, that is of a type customarily used for nongovernmental purposes and that--

(i) Has been sold, leased, or licensed to the general public; or

(ii) Has been offered for sale, lease, or license to the general public;

(2) Any item that evolved from an item described in paragraph (c)(1) of this clause through advances in technology or performance and that is not yet available in the commercial marketplace, but will be available in the commercial marketplace in time to satisfy the delivery requirements under a Government solicitation;

(3) Any item that would satisfy a criterion expressed in paragraphs (c)(1) or (c)(2) of this clause, but for--

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(i) Modifications of a type customarily available in the commercial marketplace; or

(ii) Minor modifications of a type not customarily available in the commercial marketplace made to meet Federal Government requirements. 'Minor' modifications means modifications that do not significantly alter the nongovernmental function or essential physical characteristics of an item or component, or change the purpose of a process. Factors to be considered in determining whether a modification is minor include the value and size of the modification and the comparative value and size of the final product. Dollar values and percentages may be used as guideposts, but are not conclusive evidence that a modification is minor;

(4) Any combination of items meeting the requirements of paragraphs (c)(1), (2), (3), or (5) of this clause that are of a type customarily combined and sold in combination to the general public;

(5) Installation services, maintenance services, repair services, training services, and other services if such services are procured for support of an item referred to in paragraphs (c)(1), (2), (3), or (4) of this clause, and if the source of such services--

(i) Offers such services to the general public and the Federal Government contemporaneously and under similar terms and conditions; and

(ii) Offers to use the same work force for providing the Federal Government with such services as the source uses for providing such services to the general public;

(6) Services of a type offered and sold competitively in substantial quantities in the commercial marketplace based on established catalog or market prices for specific tasks performed under standard commercial terms and conditions. This does not include services that are sold based on hourly rates without an established catalog or market price for a specific service performed;

(7) Any item, combination of items, or service referred to in subparagraphs (c)(1) through (c)(6), notwithstanding the fact that the item, combination of items, or service is transferred between or among separate divisions, subsidiaries, or affiliates of a Contractor; or

(8) A nondevelopmental item, if the procuring agency determines the item was developed exclusively at private expense and sold in substantial quantities, on a competitive basis, to multiple State and local Governments.

(d) Component means any item supplied to the Federal Government as part of an end item or of another component.

(e) Nondevelopmental item means--

(1) Any previously developed item of supply used exclusively for governmental purposes by a Federal agency, a State or local government, or a foreign government with which the United States has a mutual defense cooperation agreement;

(2) Any item described in paragraph (e)(1) of this definition that requires only minor modification or modifications of a type customarily available in the commercial marketplace in order to meet the requirements of the procuring department or agency; or

(3) Any item of supply being produced that does not meet the requirements of paragraph (e)(1) or (e)(2) solely because the item is not in use.

(f) 'Contracting Officer' means a person with the authority to enter into, administer, and/or terminate contracts and make related determinations and findings. The term includes certain authorized representatives of the Contracting Officer acting within the limits of their authority as delegated by the Contracting Officer.

(g) Except as otherwise provided in this contract, the term 'subcontracts' includes, but is not limited to, purchase orders and changes and modifications to purchase orders under this contract.

End of Clause  
(IF7252)

(a) Except as provided in (b) below, the Contractor shall not enter into any agreement with an actual or prospective subcontractor, nor otherwise act in any manner, which has or may have the effect of restricting sales by such subcontractors directly to the Government of any item or process (including computer software) made or furnished by the subcontractor under this

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contract or under any follow-on production contract.

(b) The prohibition in (a) above does not preclude the Contractor from asserting rights that are otherwise authorized by law or regulation.

(c) The Contractor agrees to incorporate the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in all subcontracts under this contract which exceed \$100,000.

End of Clause

(IF7210)

I-60                      52.203-7                      ANTI-KICKBACK PROCEDURES                      JUL/1995

(a) Definitions.

"Kickback," as used in this clause, means any money, fee, commission, credit, gift, gratuity, thing of value, or compensation of any kind which is provided, directly or indirectly, to any prime Contractor, prime Contractor employee, subcontractor, or subcontractor employee for the purpose of improperly obtaining or rewarding favorable treatment in connection with a prime contract or in connection with a subcontract relating to a prime contract

"Person," as used in this clause, means a corporation, partnership, business association of any kind, trust, joint-stock company, or individual.

"Prime contract," as used in this clause, means a contract or contractual action entered into by the United States for the purpose of obtaining supplies, materials, equipment, or services of any kind.

"Prime Contractor" as used in this clause, means a person who has entered into a prime contract with the United States.

"Prime Contractor employee," as used in this clause, means any officer, partner, employee, or agent of a prime Contractor.

"Subcontract," as used in this clause, means a contract or contractual action entered into by a prime Contractor or subcontractor for the purpose of obtaining supplies, materials, equipment, or services of any kind under a prime contract.

"Subcontractor," as used in this clause (1) means any person, other than the prime Contractor, who offers to furnish or furnishes any supplies, materials, equipment, or services of any kind under a prime contract or a subcontract entered into in connection with such prime contract, and (2) includes any person who offers to furnish or furnishes general supplies to the prime Contractor or a higher tier subcontractor.

"Subcontractor employee," as used in this clause, means any officer, partner, employee, or agent of a subcontractor.

(b) The Anti-Kickback of 1986 (41 U.S.C. 51.58) (the Act), prohibits any person from--

(1) Providing or attempting to provide or offering to provide any kickback;

(2) Soliciting, accepting, or attempting to accept any kickback; or

(3) Including, directly or indirectly, the amount of any kickback in the contract price charged by a prime Contractor to the United States or in the contract price charged by a subcontractor to a prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor.

(c)(1) The Contractor shall have in place and follow reasonable procedures designed to prevent and detect possible violations described in paragraph (b) of this clause in its own operations and direct business relationships.

(2) When the Contractor has reasonable grounds to believe that a violation described in paragraph (b) of this clause may have occurred, the Contractor shall promptly report in writing the possible violation. Such reports shall be made to the inspector general of the contracting agency, the head of the contracting agency if the agency does not have an inspector general, or the Department of Justice.

(3) The Contractor shall cooperate fully with any Federal agency investigating a possible violation described in paragraph (b) of this clause.

(4) The Contracting Officer may (i) offset the amount of the kickback against any monies owed by the United States under the prime contract and/or (ii) direct that Prime Contractor withhold from sums owed a subcontractor under the prime

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contract the amount of the kickback. The Contracting Officer may order that monies withheld under subdivision (c)(4)(ii) of this clause be paid over to the Government unless the Government has already offset those monies under subdivision (c)(4)(i) of this clause. In either case, the Prime Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer when the monies are withheld.

(5) The Contractor agrees to incorporate the substance of this clause, including subparagraph (c)(5) but excepting subparagraph (c)(1), in all subcontracts under this contract which exceed \$100,000.

End of Clause

(IF7211)

I-61                      52.209-6                      PROTECTING THE GOVERNMENT'S INTEREST WHEN SUBCONTRACTING WITH                      AUG/1995  
CONTRACTORS DEBARRED, SUSPENDED, OR PROPOSED FOR DEBARMENT

(a) The Government suspends or debar Contractors to protect the Government's interests. The Contractor shall not enter into any subcontract in excess of the small purchase limitation at FAR 13.000 with a Contractor that is debarred, suspended, or proposed for debarment unless there is a compelling reason to do so.

(b) The Contractor shall require each proposed first-tier subcontractor, whose subcontract will exceed the small purchase limitation at FAR 13.000, to disclose to the Contractor, in writing whether as of the time of award of the subcontract, the subcontractor, or its principals is or is not debarred, suspended, or proposed for debarment by the Federal Government.

(c) A corporate officer or a designee of the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer, in writing, before entering into a subcontract with a party that is debarred, suspended, or proposed for debarment (see FAR 9.404 for information on the List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs). The notice must include the following:

(1) The name of the subcontractor.

(2) The Contractor's knowledge of the reasons for the subcontractor being on the List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs.

(3) The compelling reason(s) for doing business with the subcontractor notwithstanding its inclusion on the List of Parties Excluded From Federal Procurement Nonprocurement Programs.

(4) The systems and procedures the Contractor has established to ensure that it is fully protecting the Government's interests when dealing with such subcontractor in view of the specific basis for the party's debarment, suspension, or proposed debarment.

End of Clause

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I-62                      52.215-8                      ORDER OF PRECEDENCE - UNIFORM CONTRACT FORMAT                      OCT/1997

Any inconsistency in this solicitation or contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order: (a) the Schedule (excluding the specifications); (b) representations and other instructions; (c) contract clauses; (d) other documents, exhibits, and attachments; and (e) the specifications.

NOTE: The Order of Precedence within the specifications (paragraph (e) above) is: (1) Detailed specifications (including gage designs) for item(s) being procured; (2) Detailed specifications for material or operations; (3) General Specifications for class or items, and (4) General Specifications for class of materials.

(End of Clause)

(IF7003)

I-63                      52.222-20                      WALSH-HEALEY PUBLIC CONTRACTS ACT                      DEC/1996

(a) All stipulations required by the Act and regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR Chapter 50) are

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incorporated by reference. These stipulations are subject to all applicable rulings and interpretations of the Secretary of Labor that are now, or may hereafter, be in effect.

(b) All employees whose work relates to this contract shall be paid not less than the minimum wage prescribed by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 50-202.2). Learners, student learners, apprentices, and handicapped workers may be employed at less than the prescribed minimum wage (see 41 CFR 50-202.3) to the same extent that such employment is permitted under Section 14 of the Fair Labor Standards Act (41 U.S.C. 40).

(End of clause)

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I-64 52.222-21 PROHIBITION OF SEGREGATED FACILITIES (DEVIATION) APR/1984

(a) "Segregated facilities," as used in this clause, means any waiting rooms, work areas, rest rooms and wash rooms, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, locker rooms and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation, and housing facilities provided for employees that are segregated by explicit directive or are in fact segregated on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin because of written or oral policies, or employee custom. The term does not include separate or single-user restrooms and necessary dressing or sleeping areas, which shall be provided to assure privacy between the sexes.

(b) The Contractor agrees that it does not and will not maintain or provide for its employees any segregated facilities at any of its establishments, and that it does not and will not permit its employees to perform their services at any location under its control where segregated facilities are maintained. The Contractor agrees that a breach of this clause is a violation of the Equal Opportunity clause in this contract.

(c) The Contractor shall include this clause in every subcontract that contains the clause of this contract entitled "Equal Opportunity."

(End of clause)

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I-65 52.222-26 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY (DEVIATION) APR/1984

(a) If, during any 12-month period (including the 12 months preceding the award of this contract), the Contractor has been or is awarded nonexempt Federal contracts and/or subcontracts that have an aggregate value in excess of \$10,000, the Contractor shall comply with subparagraphs(b)(1)below. Upon request, the Contractor shall provide information necessary to determine the applicability of this clause.

(b) During performing this contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

(1) The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Note: It shall not be a violation of E.O.11246 for a contractor to extend a publicly announced preference in employment to Indians living on or near an Indian reservation in connection with employment opportunities on or near an Indian reservation. See 22.807(b)(4).

(2) The Contractor shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. This shall include, but not be limited to--

- (i) Employment;
- (ii) Upgrading;
- (iii) Demotion;
- (iv) Transfer;
- (v) Recruitment or recruitment advertising;
- (vi) Layoff or termination;
- (vii) Rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and

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(viii) Selection fro training, including apprenticeship.

(3) The Contractor shall post in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment the notices to be provided by the Contracting Officer that explain this clause.

(4) The Contractor shall, in all solicitations or advertisement(s) for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

(5) The Contractor shall send, to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, the notice to be provided by the Contracting Officer advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this clause, and post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

(6) The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, as amended, and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor.

(7) The Contractor shall furnish to the contracting agency all information required by Executive order 11246, as amended, and by the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor. The Contractor shall, within 30 days following the award, file Standard Form 100 (EEO-1), or any successor form, unless filed within 12 months preceding the date of award.

(8) The Contractor shall permit access to its premises by the contracting officer or the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) for the purpose of conducting on-site compliance reviews and inspecting such books, records, accounts, and other materials as may be relevant to an investigation to ascertain the Contractor's compliance with the applicable rules, regulations, and orders.

(9) If the OFCCP determines that the Contractor is not in compliance with this clause or any rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts, under the procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246, as amended. In addition, sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked against the Contractor as provided in Executive Order 11246, as amended, in the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor; or as otherwise provided by law.

(10) The Contractor shall include the terms and conditions of subparagraph (b)(1) through (11) of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order that is not exempted by the rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued under Executive order 11246, as amended, so that these terms and conditions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor.

(11) The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the contracting officer may direct as a means of enforcing these terms and conditions, including sanctions for noncompliance, provided, that if the contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of any direction, the Contractor may request this United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interest of the United States.

(c) Notwithstanding any other clause in this contract, disputes relative to this clause will be governed by the procedures in 41 CFR 60-1.1.

(End of Clause)

(IF7118)

I-66 52.223-14 TOXIC CHEMICAL RELEASE REPORTING OCT/1995

(a) Unless otherwise exempt, the Contractor owned or operated facilities used in the performance of this contract shall file by July 1 for the prior calendar year an annual Toxic Chemical Release Inventory Form (Form R) as described in sections 313(a) and (g) of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA) (42 U.S.C. 11023 (a) and (g)), and section 6607 of the Pollution Prevention Act of 1990 (PPA) (42 U.S.C. 13106). Such Contractor facilities shall file the annual Form R throughout the life of the contract.

(b) A Contractor is exempt from the requirement to file an annual Form R if none of the Contractor owned or operated facilities used in the performance of this contract--

(1) Manufacture, process or otherwise use any toxic chemicals listed under section 313(c) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(c);

(2) Have 10 or more full-time employees as specified in section 313(b)(1)(A) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(b)(1)(A);



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(ii) The certification requirement does not apply to issues in controversy that have not been submitted as all or part of a claim.

(iii) The certification shall state as follows: 'I certify that the claim is made in good faith; that the supporting data are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief; that the amount requested accurately reflects the contract adjustment for which the Contractor believes the Government is liable; and that I am duly authorized to certify the claim on behalf of the Contractor.'

(3) The certification may be executed by any person duly authorized to bind the Contractor with respect to the claim.

(e) For Contractor claims of \$100,000 or less, the Contracting Officer must, if requested in writing by the Contractor, render a decision with 60 days of the request. For Contractor-certified claims or \$100,000, the Contracting Officer must, within 60 days, decide the claim or notify the Contractor of the date by which the decision will be made.

(f) The Contracting Officer's decision shall be final unless the Contractor appeals or files a suit as provided in the Act.

(g) If the claim by the Contractor is submitted to the Contracting Officer or a claim by the Government is presented to the Contractor, the parties, by mutual consent, may agree to use ADR. If the Contractor refuses an offer for alternative disputes resolution, the Contractor shall inform the Contracting Officer, in writing, of the Contractor's specific reasons for rejecting the request. When using arbitration conducted pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 575-580, or when using any other ADR technique that the agency elects to handle in accordance with the ADRA, any claim, regardless of amount, shall be accompanied by the certification described in subparagraph (d)(2)(iii) of this clause, and executed in accordance with subparagraph (d)(3) of this clause.

(h) The Government shall pay interest on the amount found due and unpaid from (1) the date that the Contracting Officer receives the claim (certified, if required); or (2) the date that payment otherwise would be due, if that date is later, until the date of payment. With regard to claims having defective certifications, as defined in FAR 33.201, interest shall be paid from the date that the Contracting Officer initially receives the claim. Simple interest on claims shall be paid at the rate, fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury as provided in the Act, which applicable to the period during which the Contracting Officer receives the claim and then at the rate applicable for each 6-month period as fixed by the Treasury Secretary during the pendency of the claim.

(i) The Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of this contract, pending final resolution of any request for relief, claim, appeal, or action arising under the contract, and comply with any decision of the Contracting Officer.

(End of clause)

(IF7249)

I-68 52.244-6 SUBCONTRACTS FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS AND COMMERCIAL COMPONENTS OCT/1998

(a) Definition

Commercial item, as used in this clause, has the meaning contained in the clause at 52.202-1, Definitions.

Subcontract, as used in this clause, includes a transfer of commercial items between divisions, subsidiaries, or affiliates of the Contractor or subcontractor at any tier.

(b) To the maximum extent practicable, the Contractor shall incorporate, and require its subcontractors at all tiers to incorporate, commercial items or nondevelopmental items as components of items to be supplied under this contract.

(c) Notwithstanding any other clause of this contract, the Contractor is not required to include any FAR provision or clause, other than those listed below to the extent they are applicable and as may be required to establish the reasonableness of prices under Part 15, in a subcontract at any tier for commercial items or commercial components:

(1) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (E.O. 11246);

(2) 52.222-35, Affirmative Action for Special Disabled and Vietnam Era Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4212(a));

(3) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (29 U.S.C. 793); and

(4) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flagged Commercial Vessels (46 U.S.C. 1241) (flow down not required for subcontracts awarded beginning May 1, 1996).

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(d) The Contractor shall include the terms of this clause, including this paragraph (d), in subcontracts awarded under this contract.

End of Clause

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I-69                      52.248-1                      VALUE ENGINEERING (DEVIATION)                      MAR/1989

(a) General. The Contractor is encouraged to develop, prepare, and submit value engineering change proposals (VECP's) voluntarily. The Contractor shall share in any net acquisition savings realized from accepted VECP's, in accordance with the incentive sharing rates in paragraph (f) below.

(b) Definitions. "Acquisition savings," as used in this clause, means savings resulting from the application of a VECP to contracts awarded by the same contracting office or its successor for essentially the same unit. Acquisition savings include--

(1) Instant contract savings, which are the net cost reductions on this, the instant contract, and which are equal to the instant unit cost reduction multiplied by the number of instant contract units affected by the VECP, less the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs;

(2) Concurrent contract savings, which are net reductions in the prices of other contracts that are definitized and ongoing at the time the VECP is accepted; and

(3) Future contract savings, which are the product of the future unit cost reduction multiplied by the number of future contract units scheduled for delivery during the sharing period. If this contract is a multiyear contract, future contract savings include savings on quantities funded after VECP acceptance.

"Collateral costs," as used in this clause, means agency cost of operation, maintenance, logistic support, or Government-furnished property.

"Collateral savings," as used in this clause, means those measurable net reductions resulting from a VECP in the agency's overall projected collateral costs, exclusive of acquisition savings, whether or not the acquisition cost changes.

"Contracting office" includes any contracting office that the acquisition is transferred to, such as another branch of the agency or another agency's office that is performing a joint acquisition action.

"Contractor's development and implementation costs", as used in this clause, means those costs the Contractor incurs on a VECP specifically in developing, testing, preparing, and submitting the VECP, as well as those costs the Contractor incurs to make the contractual changes required by Government acceptance of a VECP.

"Future unit cost reduction," as used in this clause, means the instant unit cost reduction adjusted as the Contracting Officer considers necessary for projected learning or changes in quantity during the sharing period. It is calculated at the time the VECP is accepted and applies either (1) throughout the sharing period, unless the Contracting Officer decides that recalculation is necessary because conditions are significantly different from those previously anticipated or (2) to the calculation of a lump-sum payment, which cannot later be revised.

"Government costs," as used in this clause, means those agency costs that result directly from developing and implementing the VECP, such as any net increases in the cost of testing, operations, maintenance, and logistics support. The term does not include the normal administrative costs of processing the VECP or any increase in this contract's cost or price resulting from negative instant contract savings.

"Instant contract," as used in this clause, means this contract, under which the VECP is submitted. It does not include increases in quantities after acceptance of the VECP that are due to contract modifications, exercise of options, or additional orders. If this is a multiyear contract, the term does not include quantities funded after VECP acceptance. If this contract is a fixed-price contract with prospective price redetermination, the term refers to the period for which firm prices have been established.

"Instant unit cost reduction" means the amount of the decrease in unit cost of performance (without deducting any Contractor's development or implementation costs) resulting from using the VECP on this, the instant contract. If this is a service contract, the instant unit cost reduction is normally equal to the number of hours per line-item task saved by using the VECP on this contract, multiplied by the appropriate contract labor rate.

"Negative instant contract savings" means the increase in the cost or price of this contract when the acceptance of a VECP results in an excess of the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs over the product of the instant unit cost reduction multiplied by the number of instant contract units affected.

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'Net acquisition savings' means total acquisition savings, including instant, concurrent, and future contract savings, less Government costs.

'Sharing base,' as used in this clause, means the number of affected end items on contracts of the contracting office accepting the VECP.

'Sharing period,' as used in this clause, means the period beginning with acceptance of the first unit incorporating the VECP and ending at the later of (1) the end of a sharing period of 3-5 years, set at the discretion of the Contracting Officer after the first unit affected by the VECP is accepted or (2) the last scheduled delivery date of an item affected by the VECP under this contract's delivery schedule in effect at the time the VECP is accepted. The contracting officer's determination of the sharing period is final and shall not be subject to the Disputes clause or otherwise subject to litigation under 41 U.S.C.601-613.

'Unit,' as used in this clause, means the item or task to which the Contracting Officer and the Contractor agree the VECP applies.

'Value engineering change proposal (VECP)' means a proposal that--

(1) Requires a change to this, the instant contract, to implement; and

(2) Results in reducing the overall projected cost to the agency without impairing essential functions or characteristics; provided, that it does not involve a change--

(i) In deliverable end item quantities only;

(ii) In research and development (R&D) end items or R&D test quantities that is due solely to results of previous testing under this contract; or

(iii) To the contract type only.

(c) VECP preparation. As a minimum, the Contractor shall include in each VECP the information described in subparagraphs (1) through (8) below. If the proposed change is affected by contractually required configuration management or similar procedures, the instructions in those procedures relating to format, identification, and priority assignment shall govern VECP preparation. The VECP shall include the following:

(1) A description of the difference between the existing contract requirement and the proposed requirement, the comparative advantages and disadvantages of each, a justification when an item's function or characteristics are being altered, the effect of the change on the end item's performance, and any pertinent objective test data.

(2) A list and analysis of the contract requirements that must be changed if the VECP is accepted, including any suggested specification revisions.

(3) Identification of the unit to which the VECP applies.

(4) A separate, detailed cost estimate for (i) the affected portions of the existing contract requirement and (ii) the VECP. The cost reduction associated with the VECP shall take into account the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs, including any amount attributable to subcontracts under the Subcontracts paragraph of this clause, below.

(5) A description and estimate of costs the Government may incur in implementing the VECP, such as test and evaluation and operating and support costs.

(6) A prediction of any effects the proposed change would have on collateral costs to the agency.

(7) A statement of the time by which a contract modification accepting the VECP must be issued in order to achieve the maximum cost reduction, noting any effect on the contract completion time or delivery schedule.

(8) Identification of any previous submissions of the VECP, including the dates submitted, the agencies and contract numbers involved, and previous Government actions, if known.

(d) Submission. The Contractor shall submit VECP's to the Contracting Officer, unless this contract states otherwise. If this contract is administered by other than the contracting office, the Contractor shall submit a copy of the VECP simultaneously to the Contracting Officer and to the Administrative Contracting Officer.

(e) Government action. (1) The Contracting Officer shall notify the Contractor of the status of the VECP within 45 calendar

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days after the contracting office receives it. If additional time is required, the Contracting Officer shall notify the Contractor within the 45-day period and provide the reason for the delay and the expected date of the decision. The Government will process VECP's expeditiously; however, it shall not be liable for any delay in acting upon a VECP.

(2) If the VECP is not accepted, the Contracting Officer shall notify the Contractor in writing, explaining the reasons for rejection. The Contractor may withdraw any VECP, in whole or in part, at any time before it is accepted by the Government. The Contracting Officer may require that the Contractor provide written notification before undertaking significant expenditures for VECP effort.

(3) Any VECP may be accepted, in whole or in part, by the Contracting Officer's award of a modification to this contract citing this clause and made either before or within a reasonable time after contract performance is completed. Until such a contract modification applies a VECP to this contract, the Contractor shall perform in accordance with the existing contract. The Contracting Officer's decision to accept or reject all or part of any VECP and the decision as to which of the sharing rates applies shall be final and not subject to the Disputes clause or otherwise subject to litigation under the Contract Disputes Act of 1978 (41 U.S.C. 601-613).

(f) Sharing rates. If a VECP is accepted, the Contractor shall share in net acquisition savings according to the percentages shown in the table below. The percentage paid the Contractor depends upon (1) this contract's type (fixed-price, incentive, or cost-reimbursement), (2) the sharing arrangement specified in paragraph (a) above (incentive, program requirement, or a combination as delineated in the Schedule), and (3) the source of the savings (the instant contract, or concurrent and future contracts), as follows:

CONTRACTOR'S SHARE OF NET ACQUISITION SAVINGS  
(figures in percent)

Contract Type	Sharing Arrangement			
	Incentive (voluntary)		Program (requirement) (mandatory)	
	Instant contract rate	Concurrent and future contract rate	Instant contract rate	Concurrent and future contract rate
Fixed-price (other than incentive)	***	***	25	25
Incentive (fixed-price or cost)	*	***	*	25
Cost-reimbursement (other than incentive)**	****	***	15	15

\* Same sharing arrangement as the contract's profit or fee adjustment formula.

\*\* Includes cost-plus-award-fee contracts.

\*\*\* A rate between 50 and 75 percent set by the Contracting Officer for each VECP. This decision is final and shall not be subject to the Disputes clause or otherwise subject to litigation under 41 U.S.C. 601-613.

\*\*\*\* A rate abetween 25 and 50 percent set by the Contracting Officer for each VECP. This decision is final and shall not be subject to the Disputes clause or otherwise subject to litigation under 41 U.S.C. 601-603.

(g) Calculating net acquisition savings. (1) Acquisition savings are realized when (i) the cost or price is reduced on the instant contract, (ii) reductions are negotiated in concurrent contracts, (iii) future contracts are awarded, or (iv) agreement is reached on a lump-sum payment for future contract savings (see subparagraph (i)(4) below). Net acquisition savings are first realized, and the Contractor shall be paid a share, when Government costs and any negative instant contract savings have been fully offset against acquisition savings.

(2) Except in incentive contracts, Government costs and any price or cost increases resulting from negative instant contract savings shall be offset against acquisition savings each time such savings are realized until they are fully offset. Then, the Contractor's share is calculated by multiplying net acquisition savings by the appropriate Contractor's percentage sharing rate (see paragraph (f) above). Additional Contractor shares of net acquisition savings shall be paid to the Contractor at the time realized.

(3) If this is an incentive contract, recovery of Government costs on the instant contract shall be deferred and offset against concurrent and future contract savings. The Contractor shall share through the contract incentive structure in savings on the instant contract items affected. Any negative instant contract savings shall be added to the target cost or to the target price and ceiling price, and the amount shall, be offset against concurrent and future contract savings.

(4) If the Government does not receive and accept all items on which it paid the Contractor's share, the Contractor

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shall reimburse the Government for the proportionate share of these payments.

(h) Contract adjustment. The modification accepting the VECP (or a subsequent modification issued as soon as possible after any negotiations are completed) shall--

(1) Reduce the contract price or estimated cost by the amount of instant contract savings, unless this is an incentive contract;

(2) When the amount of instant contract savings is negative, increase the contract price, target price and ceiling price, target cost, or estimated cost by that amount;

(3) Specify the Contractor's dollar share per unit on future contracts, or provide the lump-sum payment;

(4) Specify the amount of any Government costs or negative instant contract savings to be offset in determining net acquisitions savings realized from concurrent or future contract savings; and

(5) Provide the Contractor's share of any net acquisition savings under the instant contract in accordance with the following:

(i) Fixed-price contracts--add to contract price.

(ii) Cost-reimbursement contracts--add to contract fee.

(i) Concurrent and future contract savings. (1) Payments of the Contractor's share of concurrent and future contract savings shall be made by a modification to the instant contract in accordance with subparagraph (h)(5) above. For incentive contracts, shares shall be added as a separate firm-fixed-price line item on the instant contract. The Contractor shall maintain records adequate to identify the first delivered unit for 3 years after final payment under this contract.

(2) The Contracting Officer shall calculate the Contractor's share of concurrent contract savings by (i) subtracting from the reduction in price negotiated on the concurrent contract any Government costs or negative instant contract savings not yet offset and (ii) multiplying the result by the Contractor's sharing rate.

(3) The Contracting Officer shall calculate the Contractor's share of future contract savings by (i) multiplying the future unit cost reduction by the number of future contract units scheduled for delivery during the sharing period, (ii) subtracting any Government costs or negative instant contract savings not yet offset, and (iii) multiplying the result by the Contractor's sharing rate.

(4) When the Government wishes and the Contractor agrees, the Contractor's share of future contract savings may be paid in a single lump sum rather than in a series of payments over time as future contracts are awarded. Under this alternate procedure, the future contract savings may be calculated when the VECP is accepted, on the basis of the Contracting Officer's forecast of the number of units that will be delivered during the sharing period. The Contractor's share shall be included in a modification to this contract (see subparagraph (h)(3) above) and shall not be subject to subsequent adjustment.

(5) Alternate no-cost settlement method. When, in accordance with subsection 48.104-3 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, the Government and the Contractor mutually agree to use the no-cost settlement method, the following applies:

(i) The Contractor will keep all the savings on the instant contract and on its concurrent contracts only.

(ii) The Government will keep all the savings resulting from concurrent contracts placed on other sources, savings from all future contracts, and all collateral savings.

(j) Collateral savings. If a VECP is accepted, the instant contract amount shall be increased, as specified in subparagraph (h)(5) above, by between 20 and 100 percent, as determined by the Contracting Officer, of any projected collateral savings determined to be realized in a typical year of use after subtracting any Government costs not previously offset. However, the Contractor's share of collateral savings shall not exceed (1) the contract's firm-fixed-price, target price, target cost, or estimated cost, at the time the VECP is accepted, or (2) \$100,000, whichever is greater. The Contracting Officer shall be the sole determiner of the amount of collateral savings, and that amount shall not be subject to the Disputes clause or otherwise subject to litigation under 41 U.S.C. 601-613.

(k) Relationship to other incentives. Only those benefits of an accepted VECP not rewardable under performance, design-to-cost (production unit cost, operating and support costs, reliability and maintainability), or similar incentives shall be rewarded under this clause. However, the targets of such incentives affected by the VECP shall not be adjusted because of VECP acceptance. If this contract specifies targets but provides no incentive to surpass them, the value engineering sharing shall apply only to the amount of achievement better than target.

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(l) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall include an appropriate value engineering clause in any subcontract of \$100,000 or more and may include one in subcontracts of lesser value. In calculating any adjustment in this contract's price for instant contract savings (or negative instant contract savings), the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs shall include any subcontractor's allowable development and implementation costs, and any value engineering incentive payments to a subcontractor, clearly resulting from a VECP accepted by the Government under this contract. The Contractor may choose any arrangement for subcontractor value engineering incentive payments; provided, that the payments shall not reduce the Government's share of concurrent or future contract savings or collateral savings.

(m) Data. The Contractor may restrict the Government's right to use any part of a VECP or the supporting data by marking the following legend on the affected parts:

'These data, furnished under the Value Engineering clause of contract \_\_\_\_\_, shall not be disclosed outside the Government or duplicated, used, or disclosed, in whole or in part, for any purpose other than to evaluate a value engineering change proposal submitted under the clause. This restriction does not limit the Government's right to use information contained in these data if it has been obtained or is otherwise available from the Contractor or from another source without limitations.'

If a VECP is accepted, the Contractor hereby grants the Government unlimited rights in the VECP and supporting data, except that, with respect to data qualifying and submitted as limited rights technical data, the Government shall have the rights specified in the contract modification implementing the VECP and shall appropriately mark the data. (The terms 'unlimited rights' and 'limited rights' are defined in Part 27 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.)

(End of clause)

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I-70                    52.252-6                    AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN CLAUSES                    APR/1984

(a) The use in this solicitation or contract of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation or contract of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the name of the regulation.

(End of clause)

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I-71                    252.211-7005                    SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY OR FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS                    AUG/1997  
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(a) Definition. 'SPI process,' as used in this clause, means a management or manufacturing process that has been accepted previously by the department of defense under the Single Process Initiative (SPI) for use in lieu of specific military or Federal specification or standard. Under SPI, these processes are reviewed and accepted by a Management Council, which includes representatives from the Defense Contract Management Command, the Defense Contract Audit Agency, and Military departments.

(b) Offerors are encouraged to propose SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in the solicitation.

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process shall--

(1) Identify the specific military or Federal specification or standard for which the SPI process has been accepted, and the specific paragraph or other location in the solicitation where the military or Federal specification or standard is required;

(2) Provide a copy of the Department of Defense acceptance of the SPI process;

(3) Identify each facility at which the offeror proposes to use the specific SPI process; and

(4) Unless provided in response to paragraph (c)(2) of this clause, provide the name and telephone number of the cognizant Administrative Contracting Officer for each facility where the SPI process is proposed for use.

(d) Absent a determination at the head of the contracting activity or program executive officer level that an SPI process is not acceptable for this procurement, the Contractor shall use the following SPI processes in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards:

(Offeror insert information for each SPI process)

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SPI Process: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

Military or Federal Specification or Standard: \_\_\_\_\_

Affected Contract Line Item and Subline Item Number and Requirement Citation: \_\_\_\_\_

Cognizant Administrative

Contracting Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

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## SECTION K - REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND OTHER STATEMENTS OF OFFERORS

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
K-1	52.203-11	CERTIFICATION AND DISCLOSURE REGARDING PAYMENTS TO INFLUENCE CERTAIN FEDERAL TRANSACTIONS	APR/1991
K-2	52.204-6	DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER	APR/1998
K-3	252.209-7001 DFARS	DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY	MAR/1998
K-4	252.209-7004 DFARS	SUBCONTRACTING WITH FIRMS THAT ARE OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY	MAR/1998
K-5	52.219-1	SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS	OCT/1998

(a)(1) The standard industrial classification (SIC) code for this acquisition is 3499.

(2) The small business size standard is 500.

(3) The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.

(b) Representations. (1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it \_\_\_\_\_ is, \_\_\_\_\_ is not a small business concern.

(2) (Complete only if offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it \_\_\_\_\_ is, \_\_\_\_\_ is not a small disadvantaged business concern.

(3) (Complete only if offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it \_\_\_\_\_ is, \_\_\_\_\_ is not a women-owned small business concern.

(c) Definitions. Joint venture, for purposes of a small disadvantaged business (SDB) set-aside or price evaluation preference (as prescribed at 13 CFR 124.321), is a concern that is owned and controlled by one or more socially and economically disadvantaged individuals entering into a joint venture agreement with one or more business concerns and is considered to be affiliated for size purposes with such other concern(s). The combined annual receipts or employees of the concerns entering into the joint venture must meet the applicable size standard corresponding to the SIC code designated for the contract. The majority of the venture's earnings must accrue directly to the socially and economically disadvantaged individuals in the SDB concern(s) in the joint venture. The percentage of the ownership involvement in a joint venture by disadvantaged individuals must be at least 51 percent.

Small business concern, as used in this provision, means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (a) of this provision.

Small disadvantaged business concern, as used in this provision, means a small business concern that (1) is at least 51 percent unconditionally owned by one or more individuals who are both socially and economically disadvantaged, or a publicly owned business having at least 51 percent of its stock unconditionally owned by one or more socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, and (2) has its management and daily business controlled by one or more such individuals. This term also means a small business concern that is at least 51 percent unconditionally owned by an economically disadvantaged Indian tribe or Native Hawaiian Organization, or a publicly owned business having at least 51 percent of its stock unconditionally owned by one or more of these entities, which has its management and daily business controlled by members of an economically disadvantaged Indian tribe or Native Hawaiian Organization, and which meets the requirements of 13 CFR Part 124.

Women-owned small business concern, as used in this provision, means a small business concern--

(1) Which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51

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percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and

(2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

(d) Notice. (1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.

(2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a small or small disadvantaged business concern in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to sections 8(a), 8(d), 9, or 15 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall--

(i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;

(ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and

(iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act.

End of provision

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K-6                    52.203-2                    CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION                    APR/1985

(a) The offeror certifies that-

(1) The prices in this offer have been arrived at independently, without, for the purpose of restricting competition, any consultation, communication, or agreement with any other offeror or competitor relating to (i) those prices, (ii) the intention to submit an offer, or (iii) the methods or factors used to calculate the prices offered;

(2) The prices in this offer have not been and will not knowingly be disclosed by the offeror, directly or indirectly, to any other offeror or competitor before bid opening (in the case of a sealed bid solicitation) or contract award (in the case of a negotiated solicitation) unless otherwise required by law; and

(3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the offeror to induce any other concern to submit or not to submit an offer for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) Each signature on the offer is considered to be a certification by the signatory that the signatory-

(1) Is the person in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices being offered in this bid or proposal, and that the signatory has not participated and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraph (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; or

(2) (i) Has been authorized, in writing, to act as agent for the following principals in certifying those principals have not participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above \_\_\_\_\_ (insert full name of person(s) in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices offered in this bid or proposal, and the title of his or her position in the offeror's organization);

(ii) As an authorized agent, does certify that the principals named in subdivision (b)(2)(i) above have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraph (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; and

(iii) As an agent, has not personally participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above.

(c) If the offeror deletes or modifies subparagraph (a)(2) above, the offeror must furnish with its offer a signed statement setting forth in detail the circumstances of the disclosure.

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K-7 52.204-3 DELETED 5 NOV 98 AND REPLACED BY KF7044, TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION JUN/1997

## (a) Definitions.

"Common parent", as used in this solicitation provision, means that corporate entity that owns or controls an affiliated group of corporations that files its Federal income tax returns on a consolidated basis, and of which the offeror is a member.

"Corporate status", as used in this solicitation provision, means a designation as to whether the offeror is a corporate entity, an unincorporated entity (e.g., sole proprietorship or partnership), or a corporation providing medical and health care services.

"Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)", as used in this solicitation provision, means the number required by the IRS to be used by the contractor in reporting income tax and other returns.

(b) All Offerors are required to submit the information required in paragraphs (c) through (e) of this solicitation provision in order to comply with reporting requirements of 26 U.S.C. 6041, 6041A and 6050M and implementing regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). If the resulting contract is subject to reporting requirements described in FAR 4.903, the failure or refusal by the Offeror to furnish the information may result in a 31 percent reduction of payments otherwise due under the contract.

## (c) Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN).

- ( ) TIN: \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) TIN has been applied for.
- ( ) TIN is not required because
- ( ) Offeror is a nonresident alien, foreign corporation or foreign partnership that does not have income effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business in the U.S. and does not have an office or place of business or a fiscal paying agent in the U.S.;
  - ( ) Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of a foreign government;
  - ( ) Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of a Federal, state, or local government;
  - ( ) Other. State basis. \_\_\_\_\_

## (d) Corporate Status.

- ( ) Corporation providing medical and health care services or engaged in the billing and collecting of payments for such services;
- ( ) Other corporate entity;
- ( ) Not a corporate entity;
- ( ) Sole proprietorship
- ( ) Partnership
- ( ) Hospital or extended care facility described in 26 CFR 501(c)(3) that is exempt from taxation under 26 CFR 501(a).

## (e) Common Parent.

- ( ) Offeror is not owned or controlled by a common parent as defined in paragraph (a) of this provision.
- ( ) Name and TIN of common parent:
- Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- TIN: \_\_\_\_\_

(KF7043)

K-8 52.204-5 WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESS OCT/1995

## (a) Representation. The offeror represents that it \_\_\_\_\_ is, \_\_\_\_\_ is not a women-owned business concern.

(b) Definition. "Women-owned business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

End of provision

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K-9                    52.207-4                    ECONOMIC PURCHASE QUANTITY - SUPPLIES                    AUG/1987

(a) Offerors are invited to state an opinion on whether the quantity(ies) of supplies on which bids, proposals or quotes are requested in this solicitation is (are) economically advantageous to the Government.

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(b) Each offeror who believes that acquisitions in different quantities would be more advantageous is invited to recommend an economic purchase quantity. If different quantities are recommended, a total and a unit price must be quoted for applicable items. An economic purchase quantity is that quantity at which a significant price break occurs. If there are significant price breaks at different quantity points, this information is desired as well.

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<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>PRICE QUOTATION</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>

(c) The information requested in this provision is being solicited to avoid acquisitions in disadvantageous quantities and to assist the Government in developing a data base for future acquisitions of these items. However, the Government reserves the right to amend or cancel the solicitation and resolicit with respect to any individual item in the event quotations received and the Government's requirements indicate that different quantities should be acquired.

(KF7003)

K-10                    52.209-5                    CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, PROPOSED DEBARMENT, AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS                    MAR/1996

(a)(1) The Offeror certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that-

(i) The Offeror and/or any of its Principals-

(A) Are ( )  
are not ( )

presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency;

(B) Have ( )  
have not ( ),

within a 3-year period preceding this offer, been convicted of or had a civil judgement rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, state, or local) contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasions, or receiving stolen property; and

(C) Are ( )  
are not ( )

presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity with, commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subdivision (a)(1)(i)(B) of this provision.

(ii) The Offeror has ( )  
has not ( ),

within a 3-year period preceding this offer, had one or more contracts terminated for default by any Federal agency.

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(2) "Principals," for the purposes of this certification, means officers; directors; owners; partners; and, persons having primary management or supervisory responsibilities within a business entity (e.g., general manager, plant manager, head of a subsidiary, division, or business segment, and similar positions).

This certification concerns a matter within the jurisdiction of an agency of the United States and the making of a false, fictitious or fraudulent certification may render the subject to prosecution under section 1001 title 18 United States Code.

(b) The Offeror shall provide immediate written notice to the Contracting Officer if, at any time prior to contract award, the Offeror learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

(c) A certification that any of the items in paragraph (a) of this provision exists will not necessarily result in withholding of an award under this solicitation. However, the certification will be considered in connection with a determination of the Offeror's responsibility. Failure of the Offeror to furnish a certification or provide such additional information as requested by the Contracting Officer may render the Offeror nonresponsible.

(d) Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render, in good faith, the certification required by paragraph (a) of this provision. The knowledge and information of an Offeror is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

(e) The certification in paragraph (a) of this provision is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making award. If it is later determined that the Offeror knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Government, the Contracting Officer may terminate the contract resulting from this solicitation for default.

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K-11                    52.215-4                    DELETED 5 NOV 98 WITHOUT REPLACEMENT                    OCT/1997  
The offeror or respondent, by checking the applicable box, represents that--

- (a) It operates as,
- ( ) an individual,
  - ( ) a partnership,
  - ( ) a nonprofit organization,
  - ( ) a joint venture, or
  - ( ) a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_.

- (b) If the offeror or respondent is a foreign entity, it operates as
- ( ) an individual,
  - ( ) a partnership,
  - ( ) a nonprofit organization,
  - ( ) a joint venture, or
  - ( ) a corporation, registered for business in (country)\_\_\_\_\_.

(End of Provision)

(KF7022)

K-12                    52.222-22                    PREVIOUS CONTRACTS AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS (DEVIATION)                    APR/1984

The offeror represents that -

(a) It ( ) has, ( ) has not participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation;

(b) It ( ) has, ( ) has not, filed all required compliance reports; and

(c) Representations indicating submission of required compliance reports, signed by subcontractors, will be obtained before subcontract awards.

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K-13                    52.222-25                    AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMPLIANCE                    APR/1984

The offeror represents that (a) it  
( ) has developed and has on file,  
( ) has not developed and does not have on file,  
at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 60-1 and 60-2), or (b) it  
( ) has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.

(KF7020)

K-14                    52.223-1                    CLEAN AIR AND WATER CERTIFICATION                    APR/1984

The Offeror certifies that -

(a) Any facility to be used in the performance of this proposed contract is ( ),  
is not ( )  
listed on the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) List of Violating Facilities;

(b) The Offeror will immediately notify the Contracting Officer, before award, of the receipt of any communication from the Administrator, or a designee, of the EPA, indicating that any facility that the Offeror proposes to use for the performance of the contract is under consideration to be listed on the EPA List of Violating Facilities; and

(c) The Offeror will include a certification substantially the same as this certification, including this paragraph (c), in every nonexempt subcontract.

(KF7021)

K-15                    52.223-13                    CERTIFICATION OF TOXIC CHEMICAL RELEASE REPORTING                    OCT/1995

(a) The offeror, by signing this offer, certifies that--

(Note: The offeror must check the appropriate paragraph(s).)

\_\_\_\_\_ (1) To the best of its knowledge and belief, it is not subject to the filing and reporting requirements described in Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA) sections 313(a) and (g) and Pollution Prevention Act of 1990 (PPA) section 6607 because none of its owned or operated facilities to be used in the performance of this contract currently--

\_\_\_\_\_ (i) Manufacture, process or otherwise use any toxic chemicals listed under section 313(c) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(c).

\_\_\_\_\_ (ii) Have 10 or more full-time employees as specified in section 313(b)(1)(A) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(b)(1)(A).

\_\_\_\_\_ (iii) Meet the reporting thresholds of toxic chemicals established under section 313(f) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(f) (including the alternate thresholds at 40 CFR 372.27, provided an appropriate certification form has been filed with EPA).

\_\_\_\_\_ (iv) Fall within Standard Industrial Classification Code (SIC) designations 20 through 39 as set forth in FAR section 19.102.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2) If awarded a contract resulting from this solicitation, its owned or operated facilities to be used in the performance of this contract, unless otherwise exempt, will file and continue to file for the life of the contract the Toxic Chemical Release Inventory Form (Form R) as described in EPCRA sections 313(a) and (g) and PPA section 6607 (42 U.S.C. 13106).

(b) Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this contract imposed by Executive Order 12969, August 8, 1995 (60 FR 40989-40992).

End of Provision





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## SECTION L - INSTRUCTIONS, CONDITIONS, AND NOTICES TO OFFERORS

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L-1	52.211-2	AVAILABILITY OF SPECIFICATIONS LISTED IN THE DOD INDEX OF SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS (DODISS) AND DESCRIPTIONS LISTED IN THE ACQUISITION MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS AND DATA REQUIREMENTS CONTROL LIST, DOD 5010.12-L	JUN/1998
L-2	52.232-13	NOTICE OF PROGRESS PAYMENTS	APR/1984
L-3	252.204-7001 DFARS	COMMERCIAL AND GOVERNMENT ENTITY (CAGE) CODE	DEC/1991
L-4	52.211-14	NOTICE OF PRIORITY RATING FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE USE	SEP/1990

Any contract awarded as a result of this solicitation will be a DX rated order certified for national defense use under the Defense Priorities and Allocations System (DPAS)(15 CFR 700), and the Contractor will be required to follow all of the requirements of this regulation.

(LF6014)

L-5	52.216-1	TYPE OF CONTRACT	APR/1984
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The Government contemplates award of a FIRM FIXED PRICE contract resulting from this solicitation.  
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L-6	52.233-2	SERVICE OF PROTEST	OCT/1995
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(a) Protests, as defined in section 33.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, that are filed directly with an agency, and copies of any protests that are filed with the General Accounting Office (GAO) or the General Services Administration Board of Contract Appeals (GSBCA), shall be served on the Contracting Officer (addressed as follows) by obtaining written and dated acknowledgment of receipt from TACOM-ACALA, AMSTA-AC-PCF-B/DAVE ELLIOTT, ROCK ISLAND, IL 61299-7630. A protest to be filed with HQ, AMC, in accordance with the clause in Section A entitled HQ, AMC-Level Protest Program, shall be addressed to: HQ, Army Materiel Command, Office of Command Counsel, ATTN: AMCCC-PL, 5001 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22333-0001. (Facsimile number (703) 617-5680/617-4999.)

(b) The copy of any protest shall be received in the office designated above on the same day a protest is filed with the GSBCA or within one day of filing a protest with the GAO.

(c) In this procurement, you may not protest to the GSBCA because of the nature of the supplies or services being procured.

End of Clause

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L-7	52.222-24	PREAWARD ON-SITE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMPLIANCE EVALUATION (DEVIATION)	APR/1984
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An award in the amount of \$10 million or more will not be made under this solicitation unless the offeror and each of its known first-tier subcontracts (to whom it intends to award a subcontract of \$10 million or more) are found, on the basis of a

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compliance evaluation, to be able to comply with the provisions of the Equal Opportunite clause of this solicitation. If the offeror's proposal is for a contract of \$10 million or more, each of the offeror and its known first-tier subcontractors to whom the offeror intends to award a subcontract of \$10 million or more shall be subject to a compliance evaluation, unless within the preceding 24 months of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Clearance has conducted a compliance evaluation and found them to be in compliance with Executive Order 11246.

(End of provision)

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52.252-5

AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN PROVISIONS

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(a) The use in this solicitation of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the name of the regulation.

(End of provision)

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