204.7202-1 CAGE codes.

- (a) CAGE codes are assigned or maintained by the Defense Logistics Services Center (DLSC) to identify commercial and Government activities. Their use is prescribed by 253.204–70(b)(5)(ii)(C) and DoD 4000.25–5–M, Military Standard Contract Administration Procedures (MILSCAP).
- (b) CAGE codes have also been known in the past as federal supply codes for manufacturers (FSCM) and federal supply codes for nonmanufacturers (FSCNM).
- (c) If the CAGE code is not already available in the contracting office, and the apparent awardee does not respond to the provision at 252.204-7001, Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Code Reporting, use the following procedures in the order listed—
- (1) Use the bimonthly H-8 microfiche or CD ROM publication issued by DLSC. (Their address is: DLSC-RP, Federal Center, 74 N. Washington, Battle Creek, MI 49017-3084. Their telephone numbers are: DSN 932-4725, FTS 552-4725, or commercial (616) 961-4725.);
- (2) Use the on-line access to the CAGE file through the Defense Logistics Information System;
- (3) Use the on-line access to the Defense Logistics Agency CAGE file through the DLA Network or dial-up capability; or
- (4) Ask DLSC to assign a CAGE code. Submit a DD Form 2051, Request for Assignment of a CAGE Code, (or electronic equivalent) to the address in paragraph (c)(1) of this subsection, ATTN: DLSC-SBB. The contracting activity completes Section A of the DD Form 2051, Request for Assignment of a Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Code, and the contractor completes section B. The contracting activity must verify section B before the form is submitted.
- (5) Direct questions on obtaining computer tapes, electronic updates, or code assignments to DLSC (DLSC-SBB) at DSN 932-4358, FTS 552-4358, or commercial (616) 961-4358.

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204.7202-2 Contractor identification number.

Use of the contractor identification number for contract data reporting is prescribed by 253.204-70(b)(5)(ii)(A). A Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number, which is a nine-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet Information Services to an establishment, is the contractor identification number for Federal contractors. When the contractor identification number is not already available to the contracting activity, use the following procedures in the order listed:

(a) Contact the offeror and obtain the

DUNS number.

(b)(1) Dun & Bradstreet Information Services for a DUNS number by— $\,$

(i) Telephone (610) 882–7741.

(ii) Facsimile (610) 882-7140.

- (iii) Writing to FPDC Department, Dun & Bradstreet Information Services, 899 Eaton Avenue, Bethlehem, PA 18025–0013.
- (2) All requesters should provide the following information:
- (i) Name of requesting contracting office;
- (ii) Contracting office code (Block A3 on the DD Form 350) assigned by the departmental data collection point;
- (iii) Appropriate agency code as follows:
- (A) Army activities—2100;
- (B) Navy activities—1700;
- (C) Air Force activities—5700;
- (D) Defense Logistics Agency—97AS;
- (E) Other DoD contracting activities—9700.
- (iv) Contracting office area code and commercial telephone number;
- (v) Name of individual making the request;
- (vi) Total number of DUNS requests, if more than one: and
- (vii) Contractor establishment name, street address, P.O. Box, city/town, state, ZIP code, and telephone number (if available). For foreign offerors, include province, country, and postal code.

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204.7202-3 Taxpayer identification numbers.

The taxpayer identification number (TIN) is prescribed in FAR subpart 4.9.