(f) Pre-inventory scrap determinations, as appropriate;
(g) Evaluating the adequacy of the contractor’s procedures for property disposal and providing feedback to the Property Administrator regarding the contractor’s performance in property disposal activities;
(h) Determining the method of disposal;
(i) Surveillance of any contractor conducted sales;
(j) Accounting for all contractor inventory reported by the contractor;
(k) Advising and assisting, as appropriate, the contractor, the Supply and Equipment Management Officer (SEMO) and other Federal agencies in all actions relating to the proper and timely disposal of contractor inventory;
(l) Approving the method of sale, evaluating bids, and approving sale prices for any contractor-conducted sales; and
(m) Recommending the reasonableness of selling expenses related to any contractor-conducted sales.

Subpart 1845.6—Reporting, Redistribution, and Disposal of Contractor Inventory

1845.604 Restrictions on purchase or retention of contractor inventory.

(1) No contractor may sell contractor inventory to persons known by it to be NASA or DOD personnel who have been engaged in administering or terminating NASA contracts.
(2)(i) The contractor’s or subcontractor’s authority to approve the sale, purchase, or retention of Government property on a contract which is excess to needs after Government reutilization screening at less than cost by a subcontractor, and the subcontractor’s authority to sell, purchase, or retain such property at less than cost with the approval of the contractor or next higher-tier subcontractor does not include authority to approve—
   (A) A sale by a subcontractor to the contractor, the next higher-tier subcontractor, or their affiliates; or
   (B) A sale, purchase, or retention by a subcontractor affiliated with the contractor or next higher-tier subcontractor.

(ii) Each excluded sale, purchase, or retention requires the written approval of the plant clearance officer.

1845.606–70 Contractor’s approved scrap procedure.

(a) When a contractor has an approved scrap procedure, certain property may be routinely disposed of in accordance with that procedure and not processed under this section.
(b) (c) [Reserved]
(d) Property in scrap condition, other than that disposed of through the contractor’s approved scrap procedure, shall be reported on appropriate inventory schedules for disposition in accordance with the provisions of FAR Part 45 and NFS 1845.

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1845.607 Scrap.

1845.607-1 General.

1845.607-170 Contractor’s approved scrap procedure.

(a) When a contractor has an approved scrap procedure, certain property may be routinely disposed of in accordance with that procedure and not processed under this section.
(b)–(c) [Reserved]
(d) Property in scrap condition, other than that disposed of through the contractor’s approved scrap procedure, shall be reported on appropriate inventory schedules for disposition in accordance with the provisions of FAR part 45 and 1845.


1845.607–2 Recovering precious metals. (NASA supplements paragraph (b)).

(b) Silver, gold, platinum, palladium, rhodium, iridium, osmium, and ruthenium; scrap bearing such metals; and items containing recoverable quantities of them shall be reported to the Defense Reutilization and Marketing Service, DRMS-R, Federal Center, Battle Creek, MI 49017–3092, for instructions regarding disposition.