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(b) The Contractor shall bear full responsibility for the proper and safe performance of all work and services involving the use of human subjects under this contract.

(End of clause)

[49 FR 8867, Mar. 8, 1984, as amended at 78 FR 46291, July 31, 2013]

1552.223–71 EPA Green Meetings and Conferences.

As prescribed in 1523.703–1, insert the following provision or language substantially the same as the provision in solicitations for meetings and conference services.

EPA GREEN MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES (MAY 2007)

(a) The mission of the EPA is to protect human health and the environment. We expect that all Agency meetings and conferences will be staged using as many environmentally preferable measures as possible. Environmentally preferable means products or services that have a lesser or reduced effect on the environment when compared with competing products or services that serve the same purpose.

(b) As a potential meeting or conference provider for EPA, we require information about environmentally preferable features and practices your facility will have in place for the EPA event described in the solicitation.

(c) The following list is provided to assist you in identifying environmentally preferable measures and practices used by your facility. More information about EPA’s Green Meetings Initiative may be found on the Internet at http://www.epa.gov/partners/index.htm. Information about EPA voluntary partnerships in which you participate, support of a green suppliers network, or other initiatives? Include “Green Meetings” information in your quotation so that we may consider environmental preferability in selection of our meeting venue.

[72 FR 18404, Apr. 12, 2007]

1552.223–72 Care of laboratory animals.

As prescribed in 1523.303–72, insert the following clause:

CARE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS (OCT 2000)

(a) Before undertaking performance of any contract involving the use of laboratory animals, the Contractor shall register with the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States in accordance with section 6, Public Law 89–544, Laboratory Animals Welfare Act, August 24, 1966, as amended by Public Law 91–579, Animal Welfare Act of 1970, December 24, 1970. The Contractor shall furnish evidence of such registration to the contracting officer.

(b) The Contractor shall acquire animals used in research and development programs from a dealer licensed by the Secretary of Agriculture, or from exempted sources in accordance with the Public Laws enumerated in (a), above, of this provision.

(c) In the care of any live animals used or intended for use in the performance of this contract, the Contractor shall adhere to the principles enunciated in the Guide for Care and Use of Laboratory Animals prepared by the Institute of Laboratory Animal Resources—National Academy of Sciences (NAS)—National Research Council (NRC), and the United States Department of Agriculture’s (USDA) regulations and standards issued under Public Laws enumerated in (a) above. In case of conflict between standards, the higher standard shall be used. The Contractor’s reports on portions of the contract in which animals were used shall contain a certificate stating that the animals were cared for in accordance with the principles