(2) The purpose of the acquisition is clearly to determine or solve specific problems associated with the major weapon system or equipment.

(ii) Do not apply the weighted guidelines method to CPAF contracts for either the base (fixed) fee or the award fee.

(iii) The base fee shall not exceed 3 percent of the estimated cost of the contract exclusive of the fee.

(S–70) See PGI 216.405–2 for guidance on the use of CPAF contracts.

10. Section 216.470 is revised to read as follows:

216.470 Other applications of award fees.

See PGI 216.470 for guidance on other applications of award fees.

11. Section 216.703 is revised to read as follows:

216.703 Basic ordering agreements.

(c) Limitations. The period during which orders may be placed against a basic ordering agreement may not exceed 5 years.

(d) Orders. Follow the procedures at PGI 216.703(d) for issuing orders under basic ordering agreements.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

48 CFR Part 219

[DFARS Case 2006–D010]

Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Extension of Contract Goal for Small Disadvantaged Businesses and Certain Institutions of Higher Learning

AGENCY: Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: DoD has issued a final rule amending the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to implement Section 842 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2006. Section 842 extends, through fiscal year 2009, DoD’s goal to award five percent of contract and subcontract dollars to small disadvantaged businesses, historically black colleges and universities, and minority institutions.

DATES: Effective Date: July 11, 2006.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Background

10 U.S.C. 2323 establishes a goal for DoD to award five percent of contract and subcontract dollars to small disadvantaged businesses, historically black colleges and universities, and minority institutions. Section 842 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2006 (Pub. L. 109–163) extended the period for applicability of the goal through fiscal year 2009. This final rule amends DFARS 219.800 to reflect the extension.

This rule was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

B. Regulatory Flexibility Act

This will not have a significant cost or administrative impact on contractors or offerors, or a significant effect beyond the internal operating procedures of DoD. Therefore, publication for public comment is not required, however, DoD will consider comments from small entities concerning the affected DFARS subpart in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 610. Such comments should cite DFARS Case 2006–D010.

C. Paperwork Reduction Act

The Paperwork Reduction Act does not apply, because the rule does not impose any information collection requirements that require the approval of the Office of Management and Budget under 44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.

List of Subjects in 48 CFR Part 219

Government procurement.

Michele P. Peterson, Editor, Defense Acquisition Regulations System.

Therefore, 48 CFR part 219 is amended as follows:

PART 219–SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAMS

1. The authority citation for 48 CFR part 219 continues to read as follows:


219.000 [Amended]

2. Section 219.000 is amended in the introductory text by removing “2006” and adding in its place “2009”.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

48 CFR Parts 225 and 252

Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Technical Amendments

AGENCY: Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: DoD is making technical amendments to the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to add a reference to guidance documents, update an Internet address, and add paragraph designations in a contract clause.

DATES: Effective Date: July 11, 2006.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This final rule amends DFARS text as follows:

• Section 225.7002–1. Adds a reference to guidance found in the DFARS companion resource, Procedures, Guidance, and Information (PGI).

• Section 225.7401. Updates an Internet address.

• Section 252.212–7001. Adds paragraph designations to the DFARS clauses listed within this contract clause. No substantive change is made to the content of the clause.

List of Subjects in 48 CFR Parts 225 and 252

Government procurement.

Michele P. Peterson, Editor, Defense Acquisition Regulations System.

Therefore, 48 CFR parts 225 and 252 are amended as follows:

1. The authority citation for 48 CFR parts 225 and 252 continues to read as follows:

PART 225—FOREIGN ACQUISITION

2. Section 225.7002–1 is amended in paragraph (b) by adding, after the period, a parenthetical sentence to read as follows:

225.7002–1 Restrictions.

(b) * * * * *(For guidance on dealing with noncompliance with this requirement, see PGI 225.7002–1(b).) * * * * *

3. Section 225.7401 is amended in paragraph (b) by revising the second sentence to read as follows:

225.7401 General.

(b) * * * * *(Follow the procedures in Army in Europe Regulation 715–9, available at http://www.per.hqsareur.army.mil/cpd/docper/GermanyDefault.aspx. * * * * *

PART 252—SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES

4. Section 252.212–7001 is revised to read as follows:

252.212–7001 Contract terms and conditions required to implement statutes or Executive orders applicable to Defense acquisitions of commercial items.

As prescribed in 212.301(f)(iii), use the following clause:

Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders Applicable to Defense Acquisitions of Commercial Items (Jul 2006)

(a) The Contractor agrees to comply with the following Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clause which, if checked, is included in this contract by reference to implement a provision of law applicable to acquisitions of commercial items or components.


(8) 252.225–7016, Restriction on Acquisition of Ball and Roller Bearings [MAR 2006] (Section 8065 of Public Law 107–117 and the same restriction in subsequent DoD appropriations acts).


(13) 252.225–7038, Restriction on Acquisition of Air Circuit Breakers [JUN 2005] (10 U.S.C. 2534(a)(3)).


(c) In addition to the clauses listed in paragraph (e) of the Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders—Commercial Items clause of this contract (FAR 52.212–5), the Contractor shall include the terms of the following clauses, if applicable, in subcontracts for commercial items or commercial components, awarded at any tier under this contract:


(END of clause)

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

48 CFR Part 239

[DFARS Case 2003–D094]

Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Exchange or Sale of Government-Owned Information Technology

AGENCY: Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: DoD has issued a final rule amending the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to delete obsolete procedures for the exchange or sale of Government-owned information technology. This rule is a result of a transformation initiative undertaken by DoD to dramatically change the purpose and content of the DFARS.

DATES: Effective Date: July 11, 2006.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Background

DFARS Transformation is a major DoD initiative to dramatically change the purpose and content of the DFARS. The objective is to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the acquisition process, while allowing the acquisition workforce the flexibility to innovate. The transformed DFARS will contain only requirements of law, DoD-wide policies, delegations of FAR authorities, deviations from FAR requirements, and policies/procedures