

lost business opportunities for some companies, including small businesses.

2. Statement of the significant issues raised by the public comments in response to the initial regulatory flexibility analysis, a statement of the assessment of the agency of such issues, and a statement of any changes made to the rules as a result of such comments.

There were no significant issues raised by the public in response to the Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis provided in the interim rule.

3. Description of and an estimate of the number of small entities to which the rule will apply.

This final rule impacts all entities that do business with the Federal Government, including the approximately 400,000 small business registrants in the System for Award Management.

4. Description of projected reporting, recordkeeping, and other compliance requirements of the rule.

The final rule does not impose any new reporting, recordkeeping, or other compliance requirements for small entities.

5. Description of the steps the agency has taken to minimize the significant economic impact on small entities consistent with the stated objectives of applicable statutes.

There are no known significant alternative approaches to the final rule, and no further steps available to minimize impact on small entities—there is no significant economic impact on them.

Interested parties may obtain a copy of the FRFA from the Regulatory Secretariat Division. The Regulatory Secretariat Division has submitted a copy of the FRFA to the Chief Counsel for Advocacy of the Small Business Administration.

## IX. Paperwork Reduction Act

The Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501–3521) applies to the information collection described in this rule; however, these changes to the FAR do not impose additional information collection requirements to the paperwork burden previously approved under Office of Management Budget Control Number 9000–0189, Certain Federal Acquisition Regulation Part 4 Requirements.

## List of Subjects in 48 CFR Part 52

Government procurement.

### William F. Clark,

Director, Office of Government-wide Acquisition Policy, Office of Acquisition Policy, Office of Government-wide Policy.

## Interim Rule Adopted as Final Without Change

## PART 52—SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES

■ Accordingly, the interim rule amending 48 CFR part 52, which published in the **Federal Register** at 89

FR 89472 on November 12, 2024, is adopted as a final rule without change.

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### 48 CFR Parts 32, 43, and 52

[FAC 2025-05; Item II; Docket No. FAR-2025-0052; Sequence No. 2]

### Federal Acquisition Regulation; Technical Amendments

**AGENCY:** Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP), Office of Management and Budget; Department of Defense (DoD); General Services Administration (GSA); and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document amends the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to make needed editorial changes.

**DATES:** Effective August 7, 2025.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For clarification of content, contact FAR Policy at 202-969-4075 or by email at [FARPolicy@gsa.gov](mailto:FARPolicy@gsa.gov). For information pertaining to status or publication schedules, contact the Regulatory Secretariat Division at 202-501-4755 or [GSARegSec@gsa.gov](mailto:GSARegSec@gsa.gov). Please cite FAC 2025-05, Technical Amendments.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This document makes editorial changes to 48 CFR parts 32, 43, and 52.

### List of Subjects in 48 CFR Parts 32, 43, and 52

Government procurement.

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Director, Office of Government-wide Acquisition Policy, Office of Acquisition Policy, Office of Government-wide Policy.

Therefore, OFPP, DoD, GSA, and NASA amend 48 CFR parts 32, 43, and 52 as set forth below:

## PART 32—CONTRACT FINANCING

■ 1. The authority citation for 48 CFR part 32 is revised to read as follows:

**Authority:** 41 U.S.C. 1121(b); 40 U.S.C. 121(c); 10 U.S.C. chapter 4 and 10 U.S.C. chapter 137 legacy provisions (see 10 U.S.C. 3016); and 51 U.S.C. 20113.

chapter 137 legacy provisions (see 10 U.S.C. 3016); and 51 U.S.C. 20113.

### 32.907 [Amended]

■ 2. Amend section 32.907 in paragraph (e) by removing the last sentence.

## PART 43—CONTRACT MODIFICATIONS

■ 3. The authority citation for 48 CFR part 43 is revised to read as follows:

**Authority:** 41 U.S.C. 1121(b); 40 U.S.C. 121(c); 10 U.S.C. chapter 4 and 10 U.S.C. chapter 137 legacy provisions (see 10 U.S.C. 3016); and 51 U.S.C. 20113.

■ 4. Revise section 43.101 to read as follows:

### 43.101 Definitions.

As used in this part—

*Administrative change* means a unilateral (see 43.103(b)) contract change, in writing, that does not affect the substantive rights of the parties (e.g., a change in the paying office or the appropriation data).

*Effective date* means—

(1) For a solicitation amendment, change order, or administrative change, the effective date shall be the issue date of the amendment, change order, or administrative change.

(2) For a supplemental agreement, the effective date shall be the date agreed upon by the contracting parties.

(3) For a modification issued as a confirming notice of termination for the convenience of the Government, the effective date of the confirming notice shall be the same as the effective date of the initial notice.

(4) For a modification converting a termination for default to a termination for the convenience of the Government, the effective date shall be the same as the effective date of the termination for default.

(5) For a modification confirming the termination contracting officer's previous letter determination of the amount due in settlement of a contract termination for convenience, the effective date shall be the same as the effective date of the previous letter determination.

## PART 52—SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES

■ 5. The authority citation for 48 CFR part 52 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 41 U.S.C. 1121(b); 40 U.S.C. 121(c); 10 U.S.C. chapter 4 and 10 U.S.C. chapter 137 legacy provisions (see 10 U.S.C. 3016); and 51 U.S.C. 20113.

■ 6. Amend section 52.247-60 by—

■ a. Revising the date of the clause and paragraphs (a)(1)(x) and (xi); and

■ b. Removing the sentence following paragraph (b).

The revisions read as follows:

**52.247-60 Guaranteed Shipping Characteristics.**

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**GUARANTEED SHIPPING CHARACTERISTICS (AUG 2025)**

(a) \* \* \*

(1) \* \* \*

(x) Number of containers or pallets/skids per railcar \* \*

(A) Size of railcar \_\_\_\_\_

(B) Type of railcar \_\_\_\_\_

(xi) Number of containers or pallets/skids per trailer \* \*

(A) Size of trailer \_\_\_\_\_ Ft

(B) Type of trailer \_\_\_\_\_

\* Number of complete units (line item) to be shipped in carrier's equipment.

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**48 CFR Chapter 1**

**[Docket No. FAR-2025-0051, Sequence No. 2]**

**Federal Acquisition Regulation; Federal Acquisition Circular 2025-05; Small Entity Compliance Guide**

**AGENCY:** Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP), Office of Management and Budget; Department of Defense (DoD); General Services Administration (GSA); and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Small Entity Compliance Guide (SECG).

**SUMMARY:** This document is issued under the joint authority of OFPP, DoD,

GSA, and NASA. This *Small Entity Compliance Guide* has been prepared in accordance with section 212 of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996. It consists of a summary of the rules appearing in Federal Acquisition Circular (FAC) 2025-05, which amends the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR). Interested parties may obtain further information regarding these rules by referring to FAC 2025-05, which precedes this document.

**DATES:** August 7, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** The FAC, including the SEC, is available at <https://www.regulations.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For clarification in relation to the FAR cases listed in the table below, contact [FARPolicy@gsa.gov](mailto:FARPolicy@gsa.gov) or call 202-969-4075. Please cite FAC 2025-05 and the FAR Case number. For information pertaining to status or publication schedules, contact the Regulatory Secretariat Division at 202-501-4755 or [GSARegSec@gsa.gov](mailto:GSARegSec@gsa.gov). An asterisk (\*) next to a rule indicates that a regulatory flexibility analysis has been prepared.

**RULES LISTED IN FAC 2025-05**

| Item     | Subject   | FAR case |
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| *I ..... | Clarification of System for Award Management Preaward Registration Requirements ..... | 2023-018 |
| II ..... | Technical Amendments.   |          |

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Summaries for each FAR rule follow. For the actual revisions and/or amendments made by these FAR rules, refer to the specific item numbers and subjects set forth in the documents following these item summaries. FAC 2025-05 amends the FAR as follows:

**Item I—Clarification of System for Award Management Preaward Registration Requirements (FAR Case 2023-018)**

This final rule adopts, without change, an interim rule that amended the FAR to change System for Award Management preaward registration requirements. Offerors are required to be registered at the time of proposal submission and at time of award, rather than continuously in between. This change is expected to have a positive

impact on small businesses who have a minor lapse in registration.

**Item II—Technical Amendments**

Administrative changes are made at FAR 32.907, 43.101, and 52.247-60.

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