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National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Semiannual Regulatory Agenda
### NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (NASA)

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**14 CFR Ch. V**

**Regulatory Agenda**

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Semiannual regulatory agenda.

**SUMMARY:** NASA’s regulatory agenda describes those regulations being considered for development or amendment by NASA, the need and legal basis for the actions being considered, the name and telephone number of the knowledgeable official, whether a regulatory analysis is required, and the status of regulations previously reported.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** OMB guidelines dated January 31, 2007, “Spring 2007 Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions” require a regulatory agenda of those regulations under development and review to be published in the *Federal Register* each April and October.


Jay M. Henn, Assistant Administrator for Internal Controls and Management Systems.

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#### 3076. ASTRONAUT HEALTH CARE PROVISION

**Priority:** Other Significant

**Legal Authority:** Not Yet Determined

**CFR Citation:** 14 CFR 1205

**Legal Deadline:** None

**Abstract:** The Astronaut Health Care for Life Provision initiative responds to a critical need identified by NASA, with concurrence by the Institute of Medicine, to create a comprehensive health care system for astronauts and their families that enables the capture and study of all relevant data necessary to ameliorate the risks of space flight. The Astronaut Care Provision effort focuses on the best means to develop a responsible, complete, and comprehensive health insurance program for astronauts and their dependents. If successfully designed and implemented, such a program should enhance understanding of how humans can travel safely and live longer in space and, as an additional benefit, how humans can live longer on earth. In order to provide this comprehensive health care for the dependents of active astronauts, retired astronauts, and their dependents, NASA needs the appropriate authority stipulated in legislation.
3078. CROSS–WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Abstract: This provides technical amendments to implement the cross-waiver of liability provision of the intergovernmental agreement of the International Space Station and to refine and clarify contractual cross-waivers in NASA agreements involving launch services.

CFR Citation: 14 CFR 1209

Legal Deadline: None

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Government Levels Affected: None

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3081. IT SECURITY REQUIREMENTS CLAUSE

Abstract: NASA is amending 14 CFR part 1209 to provide for a change in responsibilities and an organizational location change.

CFR Citation: 14 CFR 1210

Legal Deadline: None

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Government Levels Affected: None

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Related RIN: Previously reported as 2700–AC46

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3090. REVISION IMPACTING ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NASA INVENTIONS AND CONTRIBUTIONS BOARD

Abstract: This rule proposes to amend the NASA FAR Supplement to replace the “Security Requirements for Unclassified Information Technology” clause with the “IT Security Requirements” clause to reflect new

CFR Citation: 14 CFR 1209

Legal Deadline: None

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Government Levels Affected: None

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and updated Federal and Agency IT policies.

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**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis**

Required: No  
Small Entities Affected: No  
Government Levels Affected: None  
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### 3082. EARNED VALUE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (EVM)

**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant  
**Legal Authority:** 42 USC 2473(c)(1)  
**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 1834, 1842, 1852  
**Legal Deadline:** None  
**Abstract:** This rule revised the NASA FAR Supplement to implement the EVM coverage added to the Federal Acquisition Regulation on July 5, 2006.

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Required: No  
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Government Levels Affected: None  
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### 3083. REVISIONS IMPACTING AWARDS FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL CONTRIBUTIONS BY THE NASA INVENTIONS AND CONTRIBUTION BOARD

**Priority:** Info./Admin./Other  
**CFR Citation:** 14 CFR 1240  
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**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis**

Required: No  
Small Entities Affected: No  
Government Levels Affected: None  
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### 3084. NASA FAR SUPPLEMENT: ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES

**Priority:** Info./Admin./Other  
**Legal Authority:** 42 USC 247(c)(1)  
**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 1805, 1819, 1825, 1828  
**Legal Deadline:** None  
**Abstract:** This rule revises the NFS to make administrative changes to the dollar thresholds that were revised in the FAR by FAC 2005-13, and other miscellaneous editorial changes.

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Small Entities Affected: No  
Government Levels Affected: None  
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