

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

48 CFR Parts 4, 22, 25, 36, and 52

[FAC 2005–87; Item II; Docket No. 2016–0052; Sequence No. 1]

Federal Acquisition Regulation; Technical Amendment

AGENCY: Department of Defense (DoD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This document makes an amendment to the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) in order to make an editorial change.

DATES: Effective: March 7, 2016.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Hada Flowers, Regulatory Secretariat Division (MVCB), 1800 F Street NW., 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20405, 202–501–4755. Please cite FAC 2005–87, Technical Amendments.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In order to update certain elements in 48 CFR parts 4, 22, 25, 36, and 52 this document makes editorial changes to the FAR.

List of Subject in 48 CFR Parts 4, 22, 25, 36, and 52

Government procurement.

Dated: February 29, 2016.

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

Therefore, DoD, GSA, and NASA amend 48 CFR parts 4, 22, 25, 36, and 52 as set forth below:

■ 1. The authority citation for 48 CFR parts 4, 22, 36, and 52 continues to read as follow:

Authority: 40 U.S.C. 121(c); 10 U.S.C. chapter 137; and 51 U.S.C. 20113.

PART 4—ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

4.1703 [Amended]

■ 2. Amend section 4.1703 by removing from paragraph (a)(1) “type and estimated total value of the orders issued under the contract” and adding “type and estimated total value of each order under the contract” in its place.

PART 22—APPLICATION OF LABOR LAWS TO GOVERNMENT ACQUISITIONS

22.1904 [Amended]

■ 3. Amend section 22.1904 by removing from paragraph (b)(1) “for subcontractors.” and adding “for subcontractors.” in its place.

PART 25—FOREIGN ACQUISITION

■ 4. The authority citation for part 25 is revised to read as follows:

Authority: 40 U.S.C. 121(c); 10 U.S.C. chapter 137; and 51 U.S.C. 20113.

25.1102 [Amended]

■ 5. Amend section 25.1102 by removing from paragraph (d)(3) “use the clause” and adding “use the provision” in its place.

PART 36—CONSTRUCTION AND ARCHITECT-ENGINEER CONTRACTS

36.607 [Amended]

■ 6. Amend section 36.607 by removing from paragraph (b) “15.507(c).” and adding “and 15.507(c).” in its place.

PART 52—SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES

■ 7. Amend section 52.212–3 by—
■ a. Revising the date of the provision;
■ b. In paragraph (h), following paragraph (h)(3), removing paragraphs (i)(1) and (2);
■ c. Adding paragraphs (p) and (q); and
■ d. Removing from Alternate I, paragraphs (p) and (q).

The revision and additions read as follows:

52.212–3 Offeror Representations and Certifications—Commercial Items.

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Offeror Representations and Certifications—Commercial Items (MAR 2016)

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(p) Ownership or Control of Offeror. (Applies in all solicitations when there is a requirement to be registered in SAM or a requirement to have a DUNS Number in the solicitation).

(1) The Offeror represents that it □ has or □ does not have an immediate owner. If the Offeror has more than one immediate owner (such as a joint venture), then the Offeror shall respond to paragraph (2) and if applicable, paragraph (3) of this provision for each participant in the joint venture.

(2) If the Offeror indicates “has” in paragraph (p)(1) of this provision, enter the following information:

Immediate owner CAGE code: \_\_\_\_\_.

Immediate owner legal name: \_\_\_\_\_.

(Do not use a “doing business as” name)

Is the immediate owner owned or controlled by another entity: □ Yes or □ No.

(3) If the Offeror indicates “yes” in paragraph (p)(2) of this provision, indicating that the immediate owner is owned or controlled by another entity, then enter the following information:

Highest-level owner CAGE code: \_\_\_\_\_.

Highest-level owner legal name: \_\_\_\_\_.

(Do not use a “doing business as” name)

(q) Representation by Corporations

Regarding Delinquent Tax Liability or a Felony Conviction under any Federal Law. (1) As required by sections 744 and 745 of Division E of the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015 (Pub. L. 113–235), and similar provisions, if contained in subsequent appropriations acts, The Government will not enter into a contract with any corporation that—

(i) Has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability, where the awarding agency is aware of the unpaid tax liability, unless an agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that suspension or debarment is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government; or

(ii) Was convicted of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months, where the awarding agency is aware of the conviction, unless an agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that this action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.

(2) The Offeror represents that—

(i) It is [ ] is not [ ] a corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability; and

(ii) It is [ ] is not [ ] a corporation that was convicted of a felony criminal violation under a Federal law within the preceding 24 months.

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■ 8. Amend section 52.212–5 by:

■ a. Revising the date of the clause and paragraphs (c)(8) and (e)(1)(xv); and

■ b. In Alternate II, revising paragraph (e)(1)(ii)(N).

The revisions read as follows:

52.212–5 Contract Terms and Conditions Required To Implement Statutes or Executive Orders—Commercial Items.

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Contract Terms and Conditions Required To Implement Statutes or Executive Orders-Commercial Items (MAR 2016)

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(c) \* \* \*

(8) 52.222–55, Minimum Wages Under Executive Order 13658 (MAR 2016).

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(e)(1) \* \* \*

(xv) 52.222–55, Minimum Wages Under Executive Order 13658 (MAR 2016).

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*Alternate II*

(e)(1) \* \* \*

(ii) \* \* \*

(N) 52.222–55, Minimum Wages Under Executive Order 13658 (MAR 2016).

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■ 9. Amend section 52.213–4 by revising the date of the clause and paragraph (b)(1)(ix) to read as follows:

**52.213–4 Terms and Conditions—Simplified Acquisitions (Other than Commercial Items).**

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**Terms and Conditions—Simplified Acquisitions (Other Than Commercial Items) (MAR 2016)**

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(b) \* \* \*

(1) \* \* \*

(ix) 52.222–55, Minimum Wages Under Executive Order 13658 (MAR 2016) (Applies when 52.222–6 or 52.222–41 are in the contract and performance in whole or in part is in the United States (the 50 States and the District of Columbia)).

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**48 CFR Chapter 1**

[Docket No. FAR 2016–0051, Sequence No. 1]

**Federal Acquisition Regulation; Federal Acquisition Circular 2005–87; Small Entity Compliance Guide**

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense (DoD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**RULES LISTED IN FAC 2005–87**

| Item     | Subject   | FAR case | Analyst |
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| II ..... | Technical Amendments.   |          |         |

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Summaries for each FAR rule follow. For the actual revisions and/or amendments made by these rules, refer to the specific item numbers and subjects set forth in the documents following these item summaries. FAC 2005–87 amends the FAR as follows:

**Item I—Information on Corporate Contractor Performance and Integrity (FAR Case 2013–020)**

This final rule amends the FAR to implement a section of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 to include in the Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity

Information System, to the extent practicable, identification of any immediate owner or subsidiary, and all predecessors of an offeror that held a Federal contract or grant within the last three years. The objective is to provide a more comprehensive understanding of the performance and integrity of the corporation before awarding a Federal contract.

This final rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

**Item II—Technical Amendments**

Editorial changes are made at FAR 4.1703(a)(1), 22.1904(b)(1),

**ACTION:** Small Entity Compliance Guide.

**SUMMARY:** This document is issued under the joint authority of 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) 2005–87, which amends the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR). An asterisk (\*) next to a rule indicates that a regulatory flexibility analysis has been prepared. Interested parties may obtain further information regarding these rules by referring to FAC 2005–87, which precedes this document. These documents are also available via the Internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

**DATES:** March 7, 2016.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For clarification of content, contact the analyst whose name appears in the table below. Please cite FAC 2005–87 and the FAR case number. For information pertaining to status or publication schedules, contact the Regulatory Secretariat at 202–501–4755.

25.1102(d)(3), 36.607(b), 52.212–3(h), 52.212–3(p) and (q), and (p) and (q) of Alternate I, 52.212–5(c)(8), (e)(1)(xv), (e)(1)(ii)(N) of Alternate II, and 52.213–4(b)(1)(ix).

Dated: February 29, 2016.

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