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18 Dec 2002

Gentlemen:

Request for Proposal (RFP) SP0600-01-R-0036-0004, Customer Organized Group 6 (COG 6), Purchase program 3.26 is hereby issued to solicit the following requirement:

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>EST. QTY</u> <u>GALLONS</u>	<u>OFFER</u> <u>PRICE</u>
----- GREAT LAKES, IL -----		
PUBLIC WORKS CENTER U.S. NAVY NAVAL TRAINING CENTER GREAT LAKES, IL LAKE COUNTY DELIVERY FEDAAC: N00210 ORDERING OFFICE: 847-688-6975 EXT. 20 OR 27		

510-55	BURNER OIL NO. 6	3,333,334 GL	_____
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MAX. SULFUR CONTENT 0.92%  
TANK TRUCK (TT) INTO  
2/1,000,000 GALLON TANKS AT BLDG. 11  
1 1/400,000 GALLON TANK AT BLDG. 11  
DELIVERY HOURS: 0730-1200  
THIS FACILITY USES NATURAL GAS  
AS ITS PRIMARY ENERGY SOURCE.  
HOWEVER, DURING TIME OF NATURAL  
GAS CURTAILMENT OR WHEN THE  
ECONOMIC ANALYSIS INDICATES IT  
IS MORE COST EFFECTIVE TO BURN FUEL  
OIL, THE CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO  
COMMENCE DELIVERIES WITH 48 HOURS  
OF NOTIFCATION.

Company Name/Bidder Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date:

\_\_\_\_\_ Please provide any special requirements below (Examples:  
Delivery hours, special equipment required for delivery, ETC):\_\_\_\_ Please call (847-688-2121 EXT 32) 1  
hour prior to arrival to let fuel point personnel know that you are on your way, of if no answer call  
Charlene Bruce 847-688-6975 EXT. 20.

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FAX COPY OF DD 1155 TO: DSN: 647-8506 Or Commercial 703-767-9532

Contractor:

Contract Number:

Price:

- (a) The following clauses are hereby amended or revised to solicitation SP0600-01-R-0036-0004. Full text versions of each clause are now provided herein. Those clauses requiring fill-ins by the offeror must be completed and submitted along with the offer.

C16.69	FUEL SPECIFICATIONS (PC&S) (DESC FEB 2002)
K1.01-10	OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS-COMMERCIAL ITEMS (ALTS I/II) (APR 2001/OCT 2000/ OCT 2000)
K15	RELEASE OF UNIT PRICES (DESC OCT 2002)
L2.05-5	INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS-COMMERCIAL ITEMS (PC&S) (DESC AUG 2001)
I1.03-3	CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS-COMMERCIAL ITEMS (DESC DEC 2001)
I1.04	CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE ORDERS-COMMERCIAL ITEMS (MAY 2002)
I1.05	CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE APPLICABLE TO DEFENSE ACQUISITIONS OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS (NOV 2001)
M72.02	EVALUATION FACTORS FOR BEST OVERALL VALUE (DOMESTIC) (DESC JAN 2001)
G9.06	ADDRESS TO WHICH REMITTANCE SHOULD BE MAILED (DESC DEC 1999)
G9.07	ELECTRONIC TRANSFER OF FUNDS PAYMENTS-CORPORATE TRADE EXCHANGE (DESC JUN 2000)
G9.09-1	PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER- OTHER THAN CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION (MAY 1999)
G150.06	SUBMISSION OF INVOICES FOR PAY MENT (DOMESTIC PC&S) (DESC JAN 2002)
G150.06-2	SHIPMENT NUMBER TO BE IDENTIFIED ON INVOICES (PC&S) (DESC OCT 2001)
G150.11	SUBMISSION OF INVOICES BY FACSIMILE (DESC DEC 2001)
I1.07	REQUIRED CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION (NOV 2001)
I28.02-1	FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES/FEEES EXCLUDED FROM CONTRACT PRICE (DESC MAR 2002)
I28.02-2	FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES/FEEES EXCLUDED FROM CONTRACT PRICE (DESC APR 2002)
I28.03-1	TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES (DESC MAR 2002)
I28.03-2	TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES (DESC NOV 2001)

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The closing date for the solicitation will be 30 December 2002 3:00 pm local time, Fort Belvoir, Virginia. All offerors must be received no later than the above-specified time for the close of the solicitation.

Facsimile offers are authorized per clause L2.05-5, INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS-COMMERCIAL ITEMS, PARAGRAPH (b)(3). DESC's facsimile number is 703-767-8506

Please identify your offer by making reference to solicitation SP0600-01-0036-0004. Your offer shall include a statement that the offeror agrees to the terms and conditions of RFP SP0600-01-R-0036, as amended.

The terms and conditions of SP0600-01-R-0036 is hereby incorporated, except as indicated herein:

Under Clause B19.19 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT, the base reference date for the item solicited is 09 December 2002. The reference price for item 510-55 is **\$0.571612** and is based on the weekly average for Gulf .7% 27% Low Sulfur Residual Fuel Oil US and Gulf 1% 73% Low Sulfur Residual Fuel Oil US postings for this product, as published by Platts Five Day Rolling Averages under the heading State, Illinois. Offerors may indicate price in the blank space provided on the page containing the item narratives and estimated quantities.

The ordering and delivery periods stated in clause F4, DELIVERY AND ORDERING PERIODS are changed as follows:

“Ordering period begins: Date of Award and ends 30 June 2004. Delivery period begins 48 hours after award and ends 30 days after the corresponding ordering period.”

Due to the urgency of the requirement, the Government may award a contract on the basis of initial offers received, without discussions. The Government intends to award a contract to the responsible offeror whose offer conforming to the solicitation will be most advantageous to the Government, price and other factors specified elsewhere in the solicitation, considered. Accordingly, each offer should be submitted on the most favorable terms, from a price and technical stand point and should include any applicable taxes, excluding the Federal Excise Tax (FET). FET is treated as a separate entity and should not included in offer price. FET will be included on contractor's invoice as a separate item.

If an Offeror Submission Package (OSP) was submitted under the master solicitation SP0600-01-R-0036, or supplemental solicitations 0001-0002-0003 of the basic solicitation, then an OSP is not required for this solicitation, except with the completion of any updated clauses in this supplemental solicitation. However, your offer shall state that, “the contractor's certifications submitted under RFP SP0600-01-R-0036 remain valid”. If you only offered under either supplemental 0001, 0002, or three, then indicate that your certifications under the respective supplemental remain valid under this supplemental solicitation. Your offer must also include a statement that “None of the prohibitions under clause K1.05, OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS – COMMERCIAL ITEMS and K85, DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY, included in solicitation SP0600-01-R-0036 are applicable.”

RELEASE OF OFFERED PRICES: Clause K15, RELEASE OF UNIT PRICES (DESC OCT 2002), must be completed by all offerors, as this clause addresses the release of offers submitted in response to this RFP after award of any resultant contract.

Point of contact for this acquisition is Leonard Lamm Contract Specialist, Defense Energy Support Center, at (703) 767-9532, facsimile number (703) 767-8506, or e-mail at [llamm@desc.dla.mil](mailto:llamm@desc.dla.mil).

ANNETTE M. BRIM  
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**G9.09-1 PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER - OTHER THAN CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION (MAY 1999)**

**(a) METHOD OF PAYMENT.**

(1) All payments by the Government under this contract shall be made by electronic funds transfer (EFT), except as provided in paragraph (a)(2) of this clause. As used in this clause, the term EFT refers to the funds transfer and may also include the payment information transfer.

(2) In the event the Government is unable to release one or more payments by EFT, the Contractor agrees to either-

(i) Accept payment by check or some other mutually agreeable method of payment; or

(ii) Request the Government to extend payment due dates until such time as the Government makes payment by EFT (but see paragraph (d) of this clause).

**(b) MANDATORY SUBMISSION OF CONTRACTOR'S EFT INFORMATION.**

(1) The Contractor is required to provide the Government with the information required to make contract payment by EFT (see paragraph (j) of this clause). The Contractor shall provide this information directly to the office designated in this contract to receive that information no later than 5 days after award. If not otherwise designated in the contract, the payment office is the designated office for receipt of the Contractor's EFT information. If more than one designated office is named for the contract, the Contractor shall provide a separate notice to each office. In the event that the EFT information changes, the Contractor shall be responsible for providing the updated information to the designated payment office(s).

(2) If the Contractor provides EFT information applicable to multiple contracts, the Contractor shall specifically state the applicability of this EFT information in terms acceptable to the designated office. However, EFT information supplied to a designated office shall be applicable only to contracts that identify that designated office as the office to receive EFT information for that contract.

**(c) MECHANISMS FOR EFT PAYMENT.** The Government may make payment by EFT through either the Automated Clearing House (ACH) network, subject to the rules of the National Automated Clearing House Association, or the Fedwire Transfer System. The rules governing Federal Payments through the ACH are contained in 31 CFR Part 210.

**(d) SUSPENSION OF PAYMENT.**

(1) The Government is not required to make any payment until after receipt, by the designated office, of the correct EFT information from the Contractor. Until receipt of the correct EFT information, any invoice or contract financing request shall be deemed not to be a proper invoice for the purpose of prompt payment under this contract. The prompt payment terms of the contract regarding notice of any delays in accrual of interest penalties apply.

(2) If the EFT information changes after submission of correct EFT information, the Government shall begin using the changed EFT information no later than the 30 days after its receipt by the designated office to the extent payment is made by EFT. However, the Contractor may request that no further payments be made until the changed EFT information is implemented by the payment office. If such suspension would result in a late payment under the prompt payment terms of this contract, the Contractor's request for suspension shall extend the due date for payment by the number of days of the suspension.

**(e) LIABILITY FOR UNCOMPLETED OR ERRONEOUS TRANSFERS.**

(1) If an uncompleted or erroneous transfer occurs because the Government used the Contractor's EFT information incorrectly, the Government remains responsible for--

(i) Making a correct payment;

(ii) Paying any prompt payment penalty due; and

(iii) Recovering any erroneously directed funds.

(2) If an uncompleted or erroneous transfer occurs because the Contractor's EFT information was incorrect or was revised within 30 days of Government release of the EFT payment transaction instruction to the Federal Reserve System, and--

(i) If the funds are no longer under the control of the payment office, the Government is deemed to have made payment and the Contractor is responsible for recovery of any erroneously direct funds; or

(ii) If the funds remain under the control of the payment office, the Government shall not make payment and the provision of paragraph (d) shall apply.

**(f) EFT AND PROMPT PAYMENT.** A payment shall be deemed to have been made in a timely manner in accordance with the prompt payment terms of this contract if, in the EFT payment transaction instruction released to the Federal Reserve System, the date specified for settlement of the payment is on or before the prompt payment due date, provided the specified payment date is a valid date under the rules of the Federal Reserve System.

(g) **EFT AND ASSIGNMENT OF CLAIMS.** If the Contractor assigns the proceeds of this contract as provided for in the assignment of claims terms of this contract, the Contractor shall require as a condition of any such assignment, that the assignee shall provide the EFT information required by paragraph (j) of this clause to the designated office, and shall be paid by EFT in accordance with the terms of this clause. In all respects, the requirements of this clause shall apply to the assignee as if it were the Contractor. EFT information that shows the ultimate recipient of the transfer to be other than the Contractor, in the absence of a proper assignment of claims acceptable to the Government, is incorrect EFT information within the meaning of paragraph (d) of this clause.

(h) **LIABILITY FOR CHANGE OF EFT INFORMATION BY FINANCIAL AGENT.** The Government is not liable for errors resulting from changes to EFT information provided by the Contractor's financial agent.

(i) **PAYMENT INFORMATION.** The payment or disbursing office shall forward to the Contractor available payment information that is suitable for transmission as of the date of release of the EFT instruction to the Federal Reserve System. The Government may request the Contractor to designate a desired format and method(s) for delivery of payment information from a list of formats and methods the payment office is capable of executing. However, the Government does not guarantee that any particular format or method of delivery is available at any particular payment office and retains the latitude to use the format and delivery method most convenient to the Government. If the Government makes payment by check in accordance with paragraph (a) of this clause, the Government shall mail the payment information to the remittance address in the contract.

(j) **EFT INFORMATION.** The Contractor shall provide the following information to the designated office. The Contractor may supply this data for multiple contracts (see paragraph (b) of this clause). The Contractor shall designate a single financial agent per contract capable of receiving and processing the EFT information using the EFT methods described in paragraph (c) of this clause.

- (1) The contract number (or other procurement identification number).
- (2) The Contractor's name and remittance address, as stated in the contract(s).
- (3) The signature (manual or electric, as appropriate), title, and telephone number of the Contractor official authorized to provide this information.
- (4) The name, address, and 9-digit Routing Transit Number of the Contractor's financial agent contract, and account number at the Contractor's financial agent.
- (5) The Contractor's account number and the type of account (checking, savings, or lockbox).
- (6) If applicable, the Fedwire Transfer System telegraphic abbreviation of the Contractor's financial agent.
- (7) If applicable, the Contractor shall also provide the name, address, telegraphic abbreviation, and 9-digit Routing Transit Number of the correspondent financial institution receiving the wire transfer payment if the Contractor's financial agent is not directly on-line to the Fedwire Transfer System and, therefore, not the receiver of the wire transfer payment.

(FAR 52.232-34)

**G150.06-2 SHIPMENT NUMBER TO BE IDENTIFIED ON INVOICES (PC&S) (DESC OCT 2001)**

(a) For purposes of this clause and the contract, "**shipment number**" for PC&S deliveries is defined as a seven position alpha-numeric number.

(1) All invoices processed electronically using the PAPERLESS ORDERING RECEIPTS TRANSACTION SCREENS (PORTS) for PC&S deliveries will contain a Julian date shipment number. A Julian date is defined as **Position one (1) is the year and the last three (3) digits are the day of the year (i.e., 1159 represents June 8, 2001).** The electronic system will automatically generate the Julian date shipment number based on the date shipped inserted by the Contractor.

(i) The date shipped for all f.o.b. destination contract line items must be the date fuel was actually received by the activity. The date should never be the date the Contractor loaded its delivery conveyance unless the activity receives the product on the same day.

*(ii) For f.o.b. origin items, the Julian date shipment number will be the date the activity picked up product from the Contractor's f.o.b. origin point/terminal.*

*(2) All invoices processed manually must contain a Julian date shipment number based on the provisions stated in subparagraphs (i) and (ii) above.*

(b) The first three positions of the Julian date shipment number shall always consist of the alpha characters "PCS". The remaining four positions shall consist of the Julian date based on the provisions stated in subparagraphs (i) and (ii) above.

(c) The Contractor must identify the shipment number on each invoice submitted for payment. The **SAME** shipment number shall be used for multiple deliveries under the same contract line item on the same calendar day. The Contractor shall convey the appropriate shipment number to the receiving activity.

(DESC 52.232-9F85)

**11.03-3 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (PC&S) (DESC DEC 2001)****(a) INSPECTION/ACCEPTANCE.**

(1) The Contractor shall only tender for acceptance those items that conform to the requirements of this contract. The Government reserves the right to inspect or test any supplies or services that have been tendered for acceptance. The Government may require repair or replacement of nonconforming supplies or reperformance of nonconforming services at no increase in contract price. The Government must exercise its post-acceptance rights (i) within a reasonable time after the defect was discovered or should have been discovered; and (ii) before any substantial change occurs in the condition of the item, unless the change is due to the defect in the item.

(2) Also see the REQUESTS FOR WAIVERS AND DEVIATIONS clause in the Addendum.

(b) **ASSIGNMENT.** The Contractor or its assignee may assign its rights to receive payment due as a result of performance of this contract, may be assigned to a bank, trust company, or other financing institution, including any Federal lending agency in accordance with the Assignment of Claims Act (31 U.S.C. 3727). However, when a third party makes a payment (e.g., use of the Government-wide commercial purchase card), the Contractor may not assign its right to receive payment under this contract.

(c) **CHANGES.** Changes in the terms and conditions of the contract may be made only by written agreement of the parties.

(d) **DISPUTES.** This contract is subject to the Contract Disputes Act of 1978, as amended (41 U.S.C. 601-613). Failure of the parties to this contract to reach agreement on any request for equitable adjustment, claim, appeal or action arising under or relating to this contract shall be a dispute to be resolved in accordance with the clause at FAR 52.233-1, DISPUTES, which is incorporated herein by reference. The Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of this contract, pending final resolution of any dispute arising under the contract.

(e) **DEFINITIONS.** The clause at FAR 52.202-1, DEFINITIONS, is incorporated herein by reference.

(f) **EXCUSABLE DELAYS.** The Contractor shall be liable for default unless nonperformance is caused by an occurrence beyond the control of the Contractor and without its fault or negligence, such as acts of God or the public enemy, acts of the Government in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, unusually severe weather, and delays of common carriers. The Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing as soon as it is reasonably possible after the commencement of any excusable delay, setting forth the full particulars in connection therewith, shall remedy such occurrence with all reasonable dispatch, and shall promptly give written notice to the Contracting Officer of the cessation of such occurrence.

(g) **INVOICE.** The Contractor shall submit an original invoice and three copies (or electronic invoice, if authorized) to the address designated in the contract to receive invoices. An invoice must include--

- (1) Name and address of the Contractor;
- (2) Invoice date;
- (3) Contract number, contract line item number, and, if applicable, the order number;
- (4) Description, quantity, unit of measure, unit price, and extended price of the item delivered;
- (5) Shipping number and date of shipment including the bill of lading number and weight of shipment if shipped on Government bill of lading;
- (6) Terms of any prompt payment discount offered;
- (7) Name and address of official to whom payment is to be sent; and
- (8) Name, title, and phone number of person to be notified in event of defective invoice.

Invoices will be handled in accordance with the Prompt Payment Act (31 U.S.C. 3903) and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-125, Prompt Payment. Contractors are encouraged to assign an identification number to each invoice.

(h) **PATENT INDEMNITY.** The Contractor shall indemnify the Government and its officers, employees and agents against liability, including costs, for actual or alleged direct or contributory infringement of, or inducement to infringe, any United States or foreign patent, trademark or copyright, arising out of the performance of this contract, provided the Contractor is reasonably notified of such claims and proceedings.

(i) **PAYMENT.** Payment shall be made for items accepted by the Government that have been delivered to the delivery destinations set forth in this contract. The Government will make payment in accordance with the Prompt Payment Act (31 U.S.C. 3903) and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-125, Prompt Payment. Prompt payment discount will be applied to the total amount of each invoice. If the Government makes payment by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT), see 52.212-5(b) for the appropriate EFT clause. In the event electronic funds transfers cannot be processed, the Government retains the option to make payment under this contract by check.

In connection with any discount offered for early payment, time shall be computed from the date the invoice was received. For the purposes of computing the discount earned, payment shall be considered to have been made on the date that appears on the payment check or the date on which an EFT was made.

(j) **RISK OF LOSS.** Unless the contract specifically provides otherwise, risk of loss or damage to the supplies provided under this contract shall remain with the Contractor until, and shall pass to the Government upon--

- (1) Delivery of the supplies to a carrier, if transportation is f.o.b. origin; or
- (2) Delivery of the supplies to the Government at the destination specified in the contract, if transportation is

f.o.b. destination.

(k) **TAXES.** See Addendum 2.

(l) **TERMINATION FOR THE GOVERNMENT'S CONVENIENCE.** The Government reserves the right to terminate this contract, or any part thereof, for its sole convenience. In the event of such termination, the Contractor shall immediately stop all work hereunder and shall immediately cause any and all of its suppliers and subcontractors to cease work. Subject to the terms and conditions of this contract, the Contractor shall be paid a percentage of the contract price reflecting the percentage of the work performed prior to the notice of termination, plus reasonable charges the Contractor can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Government using its standard record keeping system, have resulted from the termination. The Contractor shall not be required to comply with the cost accounting standards or contract cost principles for this purposes. This paragraph does not give the Government any right to audit the Contractor's records. The Contractor shall not be paid for any work performed or costs incurred which reasonably could have been avoided.

(m) **TERMINATION FOR CAUSE.** The Government may terminate this contract, or any part hereof, for cause in the event of any default by the Contractor, or if the Contractor fails to comply with any contract terms and conditions, or fails to provide the Government, upon request, with adequate assurances of future performance. In the event of termination for cause, the Government shall not be liable to the Contractor for any amount for supplies or services not accepted, and the Contractor shall be liable to the Government for any and all rights and remedies provided by law. If it is determined that the Government improperly terminated this contract for default, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience.

(n) **TITLE.** Unless specified elsewhere in this contract, title to items furnished under this contract shall pass to the Government upon acceptance, regardless of when or where the Government takes physical possession.

(o) **WARRANTY.** The Contractor warrants and implies that the items delivered hereunder are merchantable and fit for use for the particular purpose described in this contract.

(p) **LIMITATION OF LIABILITY.** Except as otherwise provided by an express warranty, the Contractor will not be liable to the Government for consequential damages resulting from any defect or deficiencies in accepted items.

(q) **OTHER COMPLIANCES.** The Contractor shall comply with all applicable Federal, State, and local laws, executive orders, rules, and regulations applicable to its performance under this contract.

(r) **COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS UNIQUE TO GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.** The Contractor agrees to comply with 31 U.S.C. 1352 relating to limitations on the use of appropriated funds to influence certain Federal contracts; 18 U.S.C. 431 relating to officials not to benefit; 40 U.S.C. 327 et seq., Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act; 41 U.S.C. 51-58, Anti-Kickback Act of 1986, 41 U.S.C. 265 and 10 U.S.C. 2409 relating to whistle blower protections; 49 U.S.C. 40118, Fly American; and 41 U.S.C. 423 relating to procurement integrity.

(s) **ORDER OF PRECEDENCE.** Any inconsistencies in this solicitation or contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

- (1) The schedule of supplies/services;
- (2) The Assignments; Disputes, Payments; Invoices; Other Compliances; and Compliance with Laws Unique to Government Contracts paragraphs of this clause;
- (3) The clause at 52.212-5;
- (4) Addenda to this solicitation or contract, including any license agreements for computer software;
- (5) Solicitation provisions if this is a solicitation;
- (6) Other paragraphs of this clause;
- (7) Standard Form 1449;
- (8) Other documents, exhibits, and attachments; and
- (9) The specification.

(FAR 52.212-4, **tailored**/DESC 52.212-9F50)

Changes in the terms and conditions of this contract may be made only by written agreement of the parties.

**11.04 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE ORDERS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (MAY 2002)**

(a) The Contractor shall comply with the following FAR clauses, which are incorporated in this contract by reference, to implement provisions of law or Executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items:

- (1) 52.222-3, Convict Labor (E.O. 11755);
- (2) 52.233-3, Protest After Award (31 U.S.C. 3553).

(b) The Contractor shall comply with the FAR clauses in this paragraph (b), that the Contracting Officer has indicated as being incorporated in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or Executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items or components:

**[Contracting Officer must check as appropriate.]**

52.203-6, Restrictions on Subcontractor Sales to the Government, with Alternate I (41 U.S.C. 253g and 10 U.S.C. 2402).

52.219-3, Notice of Total HUBZone Set-Aside (Jan 1999).

52.219-4, Notice of Price Evaluation Preference for HUBZone Small Business Concerns (Jan 1999) (if the offeror elects to waive the preference, it shall so indicate in its offer).

52.219-5, Very Small Business Set-Aside (Pub. L. 103-403, section 304, Small Business Reauthorization and Amendments Act of 1994).  Alt I.  Alt II.

52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(2) and (3)).

52.219-9, Small Business Subcontracting Plan (15 U.S.C. 637 (d)(4)).

52.219-14, Limitations on Subcontracting (15 U.S.C. 637(a)(14)).

52.219-23, Notice of Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns (Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323) (if the offeror elects to waive the adjustment, it shall so indicate in its offer).  
 Alt I.

52.219-25, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program - Disadvantaged Status and Reporting (Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323).

52.219-26, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program - Incentive Subcontracting (Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323).

52.222-19, Child Labor – Cooperation with Authorities and Remedies (E.O. 13126).

52.222-21, Prohibition of Segregated Facilities (Feb 1999).

52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (E.O. 11246).

52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4212).

52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (29 U.S.C. 793).

52.222-37, Employment Reports on Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4212).

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52.225-1, Buy American Act - Balance of Payments Program - Supplies (41 U.S.C. 10a - 10d).

52.225-3, Buy American Act - North American Free Trade Agreement - Israeli Trade Act - Balance of Payments Program (41 U.S.C. 10a - 10d, 19 U.S.C. 3301 note, 19 U.S.C. 2112 note).  Alt I.  Alt II.

52.225-5, Trade Agreements (19 U.S.C. 2501, et seq., 19 U.S.C. 3301 note).

52.225-13, Restriction on Certain Foreign Purchases (E.O.'s 12722, 12724, 13059, 13067; 13121, and 13129).

52.225-15, Sanctioned European Union Country End Products (E.O. 12849).

52.225-16, Sanctioned European Union Country Services (E.O. 12849).

52.232-33, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer -- Central Contractor Registration (31 U.S.C. 3332).

52.232-34, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer -- Other than Central Contractor Registration (31

52.232-36, Payment by Third Party (31 U.S.C. 3332).

52.239-1, Privacy or Security Safeguards (5 U.S.C. 552a).

52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flag Commercial Vessels (46 U.S.C. 1241).  Alt I.

(c) The Contractor shall comply with FAR clauses in this paragraph (c), applicable to commercial services, which the Contracting Officer has indicated as being incorporated in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items or components:

**[Contracting Officer must check as appropriate.]**

52.222-41, Service Contract Act of 1965, as amended (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).

**Subcontracts for certain commercial services may be exempt from coverage if they meet the criteria in FAR 22.1103-4(c) or (d) (see DoD Class Deviation number 2000-O0006).**

52.222-42, Statement of Equivalent Rates for Federal Hires (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351 et seq.).

52.222-43, Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Act - Price Adjustment (Multiple Year and Option Contracts) (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351 et seq.).

52.222-44, Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Act - Price Adjustment (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351 et seq.).

52.222-47, SCA Minimum Wages and Fringe Benefits Applicable to Successor Contract Pursuant to Predecessor Contractor Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) (41 U.S.C. 351 et seq.).

(d) **COMPROLLER GENERAL EXAMINATION OF RECORD.** The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of this paragraph (d) if this contract was awarded using other than sealed bid, is in excess of the simplified acquisition threshold, and does not contain the clause at 52.215-2, AUDIT AND RECORDS - NEGOTIATION.

(1) The Comptroller General of the United States, or an authorized representative of the Comptroller General, shall have access to and right to examine any of the Contractor's directly pertinent records involving transactions related to this contract.

(2) The Contractor shall make available at its offices at all reasonable times the records, materials, and other evidence for examination, audit, or reproduction, until 3 years after final payment under this contract or for any shorter period specified in FAR Subpart 4.7, Contractor Records Retention, of the other clauses of this contract. If this contract is completely or partially terminated, the records relating to the work terminated shall be made available for 3 years after any resulting final termination settlement. Records relating to appeals under the DISPUTES clause or to litigation or the settlement of claims arising under or relating to this contract shall be made available until such appeals, litigation, or claims are finally resolved.

(3) As used in this clause, records include books, documents, accounting procedures and practices, and other data, regardless of type and regardless of form. This does not require the Contractor to create or maintain any record that the Contractor does not maintain in the ordinary course of business or pursuant to a provision of law.

(e) Notwithstanding the requirements of the clauses in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this clause, the Contractor is not required to include any FAR clause, other than those listed below (and as may be required by any addenda to this paragraph to establish the reasonableness of prices under Part 15), in a subcontract for commercial items or commercial components:

52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (E.O. 11246);

52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans, (38 U.S.C. 4212); and

52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (29 U.S.C. 793).

52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flag Commercial Vessels (46 U.S.C. 1241) (flow down not required for subcontracts awarded beginning May 1, 1996).

(FAR 52.212-5)

**11.05 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE ORDERS APPLICABLE TO DEFENSE ACQUISITIONS OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS (NOV 2001)**

(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.

52.203-3 Gratuities (APR 1984) (10 U.S.C. 2207)

(b) The Contractor agrees to comply with any clause that is checked on the following list of Defense FAR Supplement clauses which, if checked, is included in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items or components.

252.205-7000 Provision of Information to Cooperative Agreement Holders (DEC 1991) (10 U.S.C. 24.16)

252.206-7000 Domestic Source Restriction (DEC 1991) (10 U.S.C. 2304).

252.219-7003 Small, Small Disadvantaged, and Women-Owned Small Business Subcontracting Plan (DoD Contracts) (APR 1996) (15 U.S.C. 637).

252.219-7004 Small, Small Disadvantaged, and Women-Owned Small Business Subcontracting Plan (Test Program) (JUN 1997) (15 U.S.C. 637 note).

252.225-7001 Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program (MAR 1998) (41 U.S.C. 10a-10, E.O. 10582).

252.225-7007 Buy American Act -Trade Agreements Act - Balance of Payments Program  
(41 U.S.C. 10a-10d, 19 U.S.C. 2501-2518, and 19 U.S.C. 3301 note).

252.225-7012 Preference for Certain Domestic Commodities (AUG 2000) (10 U.S.C. 2241 note).

- 252.225-7014 Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals (MAR 1998) (10 U.S.C. 2241 note).
- 252.225-7015 Preference for Domestic Hand or Measuring Tools (DEC 1991) (10 U.S.C. 2241 note).
- 252.225-7016 Restriction on Acquisition of Ball and Roller Bearings (DEC 2000); ( Alternate I (DEC 2000)) (Section 8064 of Pub. L. 106-259).
- 252.225-7021 Trade Agreements (SEP 2001) (19 U.S.C. 2501-2518 and 19 U.S.C. 3301 note).
- 252.225-7027 Restriction on Contingent Fees for Foreign Military Sales (MAR 1998) (22 U.S.C. 2779).
- 252.225-7028 Exclusionary Policies and Practices of Foreign Governments (DEC 1991) (22 U.S.C. 2755).
- 252.225-7029 Preference for United States or Canadian Air Circuit Breakers (AUG 1998) (10 U.S.C. 2534(a)93).
- 252.225-7036 Buy American Act - North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act - and Balance of Payments Program (MAR 1998); ( Alternate I (SEP 1999) (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d and 19 USC 3301 note).
- 252.227-7015 Technical Data-- Commercial Items (NOV 1995) (10 U.S.C. 2320).
- 252.227-7037 Validation of Restrictive Markings on Technical Data (SEP 1999) (10 U.S.C. 2321).
- 252.243-7002 Requests for Equitable Adjustment (MAR 1998) (10 U.S.C. 2410).
- 252.247-7023 Transportation of Supplies by Sea (MAR 2000); ( Alternate I (MAR 2000)); ( Alternate II (MAR 2000)) (10 U.S.C. 2631).
- 252.247-7024 Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea (MAR 2000) (10 U.S.C. 2631).

(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:

- 252.225-7014 Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals, Alternate I (MAR 1998) (10 U.S.C. 2241 ). Note).
- 252.247-7023 Transportation of Supplies by Sea (MAR 2000) (10 U.S.C. 2631).
- 252.247-7024 Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea (MAR 2000) (10 U.S.C. 2631).

(DFARS 252.212-7001)

**THIS CLAUSE DOES NOT APPLY TO FOREIGN VENDORS PERFORMING OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES.**

**11.07 REQUIRED CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION (NOV 2001)**

(a) **DEFINITIONS.** As used in this clause--

(1) **Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database** means the primary DoD repository for Contractor information required for the conduct of business with DoD.

(2) **Data Universal Numbering Systems (DUNS) number** means the 9-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet Information Services to identify unique business entities.

(3) **Data Universal Numbering System + 4 (DUNS+4) number** means the DUNS number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet plus a 4-digit suffix that may be assigned at the discretion of the parent business concern for such purposes as identifying subunits or affiliates of the parent business concern.

(4) **Registered in the CCR database** means that all mandatory information, including the DUNS number or the DUNS+4 number, if applicable, and the corresponding Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code is in the CCR database; the DUNS number and the CAGE code have been validated; and all edits have been successfully completed.

(b) (1) By submission of an offer, the offeror acknowledges the requirement that a prospective awardee must be registered in the CCR database prior to award, during performance, and through final payment of any contract resulting from this solicitation, except for awards to foreign vendors for work to be performed outside the United States.

(2) The offeror shall provide its DUNS or, if applicable, its DUNS+4 number with its offer, which will be used by the Contracting Officer to verify that the offeror is registered in the CCR database.

(3) Lack of registration in the CCR database will make an offeror ineligible for award.

(4) DoD has established a goal of registering an applicant in the CCR database within 48 hours after receipt of a complete and accurate application via the Internet. However, registration of an applicant submitting an application through a method other than the Internet may take up to 30 days. Therefore, offerors that are not registered should consider applying for registration immediately upon receipt of this solicitation.

(c) The Contractor is responsible for the accuracy and completeness of the data within the CCR, and for any liability resulting from the Government's reliance on inaccurate or incomplete data. To remain registered in the CCR database after the initial registration, the Contractor is required to confirm on an annual basis that its information in the CCR database is accurate and complete.

(d) Offerors and contractors may obtain information on registration and annual confirmation requirements by calling **1-888-227-2423** or via the Internet at <http://www.ccr.gov>.

(DFARS 252.204-7004)

**128.02-1 FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES/FEES EXCLUDED FROM CONTRACT PRICE (DESC MAR 2002)**

(a) **FEDERAL EXCISE TAXES EXCLUDED.** Contract prices for fuel and oils furnished under this contract exclude Federal Excise Taxes (FET). Contractors shall invoice applicable FET as follows:

(1) **GASOLINE/GASOHOL.** The FET should be included on the Contractor's invoice as a separate item. The following FET will apply:

<u>FET PER GALLON</u>	<u>GASOLINE/GASOHOL</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE OF ALCOHOL</u>
\$0.184	Gasoline	
\$0.15379	5.7% Gasohol	At least 5.59%, but less than 7.55%
\$0.14319	7.7% Gasohol	At least 7.55%, but less than 9.8%
\$0.131	10% Gasohol	At least 9.8%, but less than 10%

(2) **AVIATION GASOLINE.** Do not include the FET of \$0.194 per gallon on the Contractor's invoice since all fuel is intended for exempt uses.

(3) **RESIDUAL FUEL OIL (NUMBERS 5 AND 6).** There is no FET on residual fuel oil.

(4) **DIESEL FUEL.**

(i) **UNDYED DIESEL FUEL.** Include the FET of \$0.244 per gallon as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(ii) **DYED DIESEL FUEL.** There is no FET on dyed diesel fuel.

(iii) **F76.** There is no FET on F76. F76 is excluded from the definition of diesel fuel under Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Regulation 26 CFR Section 48.4081-1.

(5) **JET FUEL.** Do not include the FET of \$0.219 per gallon on the Contractor's invoice since all fuel is intended for exempt uses. **A Contractor not permitted by IRS regulations to sell fuel tax free should state that in its offer.**

(b) **STATE AND LOCAL TAXES EXCLUDED.** All contract prices exclude State and local excise taxes on fuels (including gasoline taxes, motor fuel taxes, diesel fuel taxes, special fuel taxes, aircraft fuel taxes, jet fuel taxes, heating oil taxes, kerosene taxes, lubricating oil taxes, and naphtha, solvent, benzol, and benzine taxes). Contractors should include any applicable taxes (for which no exemption applies) as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice in accordance with the terms of this contract.

(c) **CALIFORNIA SALES AND USE TAX.** All contract prices exclude the California State Sales and Use Tax. Sales to the United States are exempt from these taxes.

(d) **ENVIRONMENTAL AND OIL SPILL TAXES AND INSPECTION FEES.** Unless an exemption applies, all contract prices INCLUDE State and local environmental and oil spill taxes and inspection fees.

(e) **LICENSES.** Federal, State, and local licenses or other activities necessary to establish Contractor's entitlement to do business and/or to make tax-exempt sales under this contract are the Contractor's responsibility. Failure to obtain appropriate licenses or to follow required procedures shall preclude the reimbursement of taxes that would otherwise be exempt.

(DESC 52.229-9F20)

**128.02-2 FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES AND FEES (DESC APR 2002)**

(a) **FEDERAL EXCISE TAXES EXCLUDED.** Contract prices for fuel and fuels oils furnished under this contract exclude Federal Excise Taxes (FET). Contractors shall invoice applicable FET as follows:

(1) **GASOLINE/GASOHOL.** Include the FET as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

	<u>FET PER GALLON</u>	<u>GASOLINE/GASOHOL</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE OF ALCOHOL</u>
	\$0.184	Gasoline	
7.55%	\$0.15379	5.7% Gasohol	At least 5.59% but less than
	\$0.14319	7.7% Gasohol	At least 7.55% but less than
9.8%	\$0.131	10% Gasohol	At least 9.8% but less than 10%

(2) **AVIATION GASOLINE.** Include the FET of \$0.194 per gallon as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(3) **FUEL OIL (BURNER GRADES) NUMBERS 1, 2, 4, 4 (LIGHT), 5 (LIGHT), 5 (HEAVY), AND 6.** There is no FET on fuel oils (burner grades). Lighter grades (numbers 1, 2, and 4 (light)) must be dyed. Contractors are responsible for obtaining fuel oils (burner grades numbers 1, 2, and 4 (light)) meeting Internal Revenue Service (IRS) dyeing requirements.

(4) **DIESEL AND NONAVIATION GRADE KEROSENE FUEL.**

(i) **UNDYED DIESEL AND UNDYED NONAVIATION KEROSENE FUEL.** Include the FET of \$0.244 per gallon as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(ii) **DYED DIESEL AND DYED NONAVIATION KEROSENE FUEL.** There is no FET on dyed diesel and dyed nonaviation kerosene fuel.

(5) **JET FUEL.** Include the FET of \$0.219 per gallon as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(6) **BIODIESEL (B-20).** Include the FET of \$0.244 per gallon as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(7) **E85 (QUALIFIED ETHANOL).** Include the FET of \$0.1305 per gallon as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(8) **EXEMPT SALES.** Sales of jet fuel and aviation gasoline for military aircraft are tax exempt. Sales to the Army National Guard (for their exclusive use) and the District of Columbia government are also exempt. Contractors authorized by the IRS to sell tax-free gasoline, undyed diesel fuel, and undyed nonaviation kerosene tax-free should obtain tax exemptions certificates for these sales and not invoice the FET.

(b) **STATE AND LOCAL TAXES EXCLUDED.** All contract prices exclude State and local excise taxes on fuels (including gasoline taxes, motor fuel taxes, diesel fuel taxes, special fuel taxes, aircraft fuel taxes, jet fuel taxes, heating oil taxes, kerosene taxes, lubricating oil taxes, and naphtha, solvent, benzol, and benzine taxes).

Contractors should include any applicable taxes (for which no exemption applies) as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice in accordance with the terms of this contract.

(c) **CALIFORNIA SALES AND USE TAX.** All contract prices exclude the California State Sales and Use Tax. Sales to the United States are exempt from these taxes.

(d) **KENTUCKY SALES AND USE TAX.** All contract prices exclude the Kentucky Sales and Use Tax. Tax exemption certificates will be issued by the ordering activity.

(e) **ENVIRONMENTAL AND OIL SPILL TAXES AND INSPECTION FEES.** Unless an exemption applies, all contract prices INCLUDE State and local environmental and oil spill taxes and inspection fees.

(f) **NATIONAL OILHEAT RESEARCH ALLIANCE (NORA) ASSESSMENT FEE.** All contract prices exclude the NORA assessment fee on certain fuel used for heating purposes. The Contractor's invoice shall include the NORA assessment fee as a separate line item on fuel oil (burner grades) numbers 1 and 2, dyed high sulfur diesel fuels, and dyed nonaviation kerosene (2-K) if applicable to the end user (Federal Civilian activities only) and if applicable in the state where delivery is made.

(g) **CONNECTICUT PETROLEUM PRODUCTS GROSS EARNINGS TAX.** All contract prices exclude the Connecticut Petroleum Products Gross Earnings Tax. The Contractor should include this tax as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice only if no exemption applies.

(h) **TEXAS PETROLEUM PRODUCTS FEE.** All contract prices exclude the Texas Petroleum Products Fee. The Contractor should include this fee as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice.

(i) **LICENSES** Federal, State, and local licenses or other requirements necessary to establish Contractor's entitlement to do business and/or to make tax-exempt sales under this contract are the Contractor's responsibility. Failure to obtain appropriate licenses or to follow required procedures shall preclude the reimbursement of taxes that would otherwise be exempt.

(DESC 52.229-9F25)

**128.03-1 TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES (DESC MAR 2002)**

(a) **FEDERAL EXCISE TAXES.** Contractors shall forward requests for tax exemption certificates covering any Federal Excise Tax (FET) excluded from the contract price pursuant to the terms of this contract with Contractor's invoices or as otherwise indicated by the Contracting Officer or Ordering Officer.

(b) **STATE AND LOCAL TAXES.** Contractors shall forward requests for tax exemption certificates covering any State or local tax excluded from the contract price pursuant to the terms of this contract with Contractor's invoices or as otherwise indicated by the Contracting Officer or Ordering Officer.

(c) **GOVERNMENT OPTION TO DEDUCT TAX AND FURNISH TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES.** If this contract provides that the Contractor should invoice for FET, the supplies to be furnished at the time of contract execution are generally intended for a taxable purpose. However, where the invoice for any item includes FET and tax exemption can be claimed, the applicable tax may be deducted by the Government from the order or the invoice and a tax exemption certificate furnished in lieu of paying the tax. The Contracting Officer or Ordering Officer will issue these tax exemption certificates.

(DESC 52.229-9F40)

**128.03-2 TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES (DESC NOV 2001)**

(a) Unless an exemption applies, all sales of motor gasoline, undyed diesel fuel, or nonaviation kerosene must include the applicable Federal, State, and local excise taxes as a separate item on the invoice.

(b) **FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR AIR FORCE AND AIR NATIONAL GUARD ACTIVITIES.**

*(1) Tax exemption certificates for the Federal Excise Tax (FET) will not be issued for Air Force and Air National Guard activities. DFAS Columbus will pay the FET and apply to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for any applicable refund.*

(2) All Air Force and Air National Guard activities will issue tax exemption certificates for State and local excise taxes. Contractors shall forward requests for tax exemption certificates covering any Federal, State and local excise taxes or Kentucky Sales and Use Tax for motor gasoline, undyed diesel fuel, or undyed nonaviation kerosene excluded from the contract price pursuant to the terms of this contract with Contractor's invoices or as otherwise indicated by the Ordering Officer.

(c) **FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR ARMY, ARMY NATIONAL GUARD, AND NAVY ACTIVITIES.**

(1) Tax exemption certificates for FET will not be issued for the Army National Guard activities sharing facilities with the regular Army, or for Army and Navy activities. DFAS Columbus will pay the FET and apply to the IRS for any applicable refund.

(2) Army and Navy activities will issue tax exemption certificates for State and local excise taxes. The Army National Guard will issue tax exemption certificates for Federal, State and local excise taxes (where fuel is for their exclusive use, i.e., not sharing facilities with the regular Army). Contractors shall forward requests for tax exemption certificates covering any Federal, State, and local excise taxes or Kentucky Sales and Use Tax for motor gasoline, undyed diesel fuel, or undyed nonaviation kerosene excluded from the contract price pursuant to the terms of this contract to the Ordering Officer for these activities. If the ordering activity fails to provide tax exemption certificates requested by the Contractor, the Contractor shall notify the DESC Contracting Officer and an exemption certificate will be issued, if applicable. The DESC Contracting Officer may authorize payment of the tax if the Ordering Officer refuses to issue the tax exemption certificate.

(d) **FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR FEDERAL CIVILIAN AGENCIES.** Contractors shall forward requests for tax exemption certificates covering all Federal, State, and local excise taxes or Kentucky Sales and Use Tax for motor gasoline, undyed diesel fuel, or undyed nonaviation kerosene excluded from the contract price pursuant to the terms of this contract *with* Contractor's invoices or as otherwise indicated by the Ordering Officer.

(e) **GOVERNMENT OPTION TO DEDUCT TAX AND FURNISH TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES (NOT APPLICABLE TO AIR FORCE AND AIR NATIONAL GUARD ACTIVITIES AND ARMY NATIONAL GUARD ACTIVITIES AT SHARED FACILITIES).** If this contract provides that the Contractor should invoice for the FET, the supplies under contract are intended for a taxable purpose. However, where the invoice for any item includes the FET and tax exemption can be claimed, the Government may deduct the applicable tax from the order or the invoice and furnish a tax exemption certificate in lieu of paying the tax. The Ordering Officer will issue these tax exemption certificates.

(DESC 52.229-9F45)

**K1.05 OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (NOV 1995)****(a) DEFINITIONS.** As used in this clause--

(1) **Foreign person** means any person other than a United States person as defined in Section 16(2) of the Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. App. Sec 2415).

(2) **United States person** is defined in Section 16(2) of the Export Administration Act of 1979 and means any United States resident or national (other than an individual resident outside the United States and employed by other than a United States person), any domestic concern (including any permanent domestic establishment of any foreign concern), and any foreign subsidiary or affiliate (including any permanent foreign establishment) of any domestic concern that is controlled in fact by such domestic concern, as determined under regulations of the President.

**(b) CERTIFICATION.** By submitting this offer, the offeror, if a foreign person, company, or entity, certifies that it--

(1) Does not comply with the Secondary Arab Boycott of Israel; and

(2) Is not taking or knowingly agreeing to take any action, with respect to the Secondary Boycott of Israel by Arab countries, which 50 U.S.C. App. Sec 2407(a) prohibits a United States person from taking.

(DFARS 252.212-7000, tailored)

**K1.06 DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER (JUN 1999)**

(a) The offeror shall enter, in the block with its name and address on the cover page of its offer, the annotation "**DUNS**" followed by the DUNS number that identifies the offeror's name and address exactly as stated in the offer. The DUNS number is a nine-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet Information Services.

(b) If the offeror does not have a DUNS number, it should contact Dun and Bradstreet directly to obtain one. A DUNS number will be provided immediately by telephone at no charge to the offeror. For information on obtaining a DUNS number, the offeror, if located within the United States, should call Dun and Bradstreet at **1-800-333-0505**. The offeror should be prepared to provide the following information:

- (1) Company name;
- (2) Company address;
- (3) Company telephone number;
- (4) Line of business;
- (5) Chief executive officer/key manager;
- (6) Date the company was started;
- (7) Number of people employed by the company; and
- (8) Company affiliation.

(c) Offerors located outside the United States may obtain the location and phone number of the local Dun and Bradstreet Information Services office from the Internet Home Page at <http://www.customerservice@dnb.com>. If an offeror is unable to locate a local service center, it may send an email to Dun and Bradstreet at [globalinfo@mail.dnb.com](mailto:globalinfo@mail.dnb.com).

(FAR 52.204-6)

**K85 DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY (MAR 1998)****(a) DEFINITIONS.** As used in this provision--

(1) **Government of a terrorist country** includes the state and the government of a terrorist country, as well as any political subdivision, agency, or instrumentality thereof.

(2) **Terrorist country** means a country determined by the Secretary of State, under Section 6(j)(1)(A) of the Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. App. 2405(j)(i)(A)), to be a country the government of which has repeatedly provided support for acts of international terrorism. As of the date of this provision, terrorist countries include Cuba, Iran, Iraq, Libya, North Korea, Sudan, and Syria.

(3) **Significant interest**, as used in this provision means--

- (i) Ownership of or beneficial interest in 5 percent or more of the firm's or subsidiary's securities. Beneficial interest includes holding 5 percent or more of any class of the firm's securities in "nominee shares," "street names," or some other method of holding securities that does not disclose the beneficial owner;
- (ii) Holding a management position in the firm, such as director or officer;
- (iii) Ability to control or influence the election, appointment, or tenure of directors or officers in the firm;
- (iv) Ownership of 10 percent or more of the assets of a firm such as equipment, buildings, real estate, or other tangible assets of the firm; or
- (v) Holding 50 percent or more of the indebtedness of a firm.

(b) **PROHIBITION ON AWARD.** In accordance with 10 U.S.C. 2327, no contract may be awarded to a firm or subsidiary of a firm if the government of a terrorist country has a significant interest in the firm or subsidiary or, in the case of a subsidiary, the firm that owns the subsidiary, unless a waiver is granted by the Secretary of Defense.

(c) **DISCLOSURE.**

If the government of a terrorist country has a significant interest in the offeror or a subsidiary of the offeror, the offeror shall disclose such interest in an attachment to its offer. If the offeror is a subsidiary, it shall also disclose any significant interest each government has in any firm that owns or controls the subsidiary. The disclosure shall include--

- (1) Identification of each government holding a significant interest; and
- (2) A description of the significant interest held by each Government.

(DFARS 252.209-7001)

#### **L2.05-5 INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (PC&S) (DESC AUG 2001)**

(a) **AMENDMENTS TO SOLICITATIONS.** If this solicitation is amended, all terms and conditions that are not amended remain unchanged. Offerors shall acknowledge receipt of any amendment to this solicitation by the date and time specified in the amendment(s).

(b) **MASTER SOLICITATION.**

(1) This solicitation is [ ], is not [ X ] a master solicitation for the 3.26 Purchase Program. If this is a master solicitation, it will contain the terms and conditions for this solicitation and for future supplemental solicitations in the program year. Each supplemental solicitation will incorporate by reference the same terms and conditions as this master solicitation, except as specifically stated in that supplemental solicitation. The identical terms and conditions will not be repeated. (Therefore, if this is a master solicitation, it should be retained for the duration of the program.) However, each supplemental solicitation will be considered a separate and individual solicitation.

(2) The initial opening/closing date for the solicitation is 30 December 2002. Subsequent openings/closings for future requirements will be on an as-required basis starting with the first supplemental solicitation and thereafter until the end of the program ordering period as stated in the solicitation.

(c) **SUBMISSION, MODIFICATION, REVISION, AND WITHDRAWAL OF OFFERS.**

(1) Unless other methods (e.g., electronic commerce or facsimile) are permitted in the solicitation, signed and dated offers and modifications thereto shall be submitted in paper media in sealed envelopes or packages (i) addressed to the office specified in the solicitation, and (ii) showing the time and date specified for receipt, the solicitation number, and the name and address of the offeror at or before the exact time specified in this solicitation. Offerors using commercial carriers should ensure that the offer is marked on the outermost wrapper with the information in subdivisions (i) and (ii) above. Offers may be submitted on the SF 1449, letterhead stationery, or as otherwise specified in the solicitation.

(2) The first page of the offer must show--

- (i) The solicitation number;
- (ii) The name, address, and telephone and facsimile numbers of the offeror (and electronic address if available);

(iii) Include name, title, and signature of person authorized to sign the offer. Offers signed by an agent shall be accompanied by evidence of that agent's authority, unless that evidence has been previously furnished to the issuing office.

(iv) A technical description of the items being offered in sufficient detail to evaluate compliance with the requirements in the solicitation. This may include product literature, or other documents, if necessary;

- (v) Terms of any express warranty;
- (vi) Price and any discount terms; and
- (vii) A completed copy of the representations and certifications in the Offeror Submission Package.

(3) **IFBs ONLY.**

- (i) Facsimile bids \_\_\_are\_\_\_ authorized for this solicitation.
- (ii) **EVALUATION - Net Payment Terms.** Offers under an IFB that include net payment terms less than 30 days will be determined nonresponsive.
- (iii) Prices shall be offered on an economic price adjustment basis only. Firm prices will be nonresponsive and will be rejected.
- (iv) The prices set forth on the Price Data Sheet in the block marked "Bid Price" will be a per gallon price. These prices shall not exceed six digits to the right of the decimal (e.g., \$1.030454).

(4) **RFPs ONLY.**

(i) If the offer is not submitted on the SF 1449, include a statement specifying the extent of agreement with all terms, conditions, and provisions included in the solicitation. Offers that fail to furnish required representations or information, or that reject the terms and conditions of the solicitation may be excluded from consideration.

(ii) Past performance information, when included as an evaluation factor, to include recent and relevant contracts for the same or similar items and other references (including contract numbers, points of contact with telephone numbers and other relevant information); and

(d) **NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) CODE AND SMALL BUSINESS SIZE STANDARD.** The NAICS code and small business size standard for this acquisition appear in Block 10 of the solicitation cover sheet (SF 1449). However, the small business size standard for a concern that submits an offer in its own name, but which proposes to furnish an item that it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.

(e) **PERIOD FOR ACCEPTANCE OF OFFERS.** The offeror agrees to hold the prices in its offer firm for 90 calendar days from the date specified for receipt of offers, unless another time period is specified in an addendum to the solicitation.

(f) **PRODUCT SAMPLES.** When required by the solicitation, product samples shall be submitted at or prior to the time specified for receipt of offers. Unless otherwise specified in this solicitation, these samples shall be submitted at no expense to the Government, and returned at the sender's request and expense, unless they are destroyed during preaward testing.

(g) **MULTIPLE OFFERS.** Offerors are encouraged to submit multiple offers presenting alternative terms and conditions or commercial items for satisfying the requirements of this solicitation. Each offer submitted will be evaluated separately.

(h) **LATE SUBMISSIONS, MODIFICATIONS, REVISIONS, AND WITHDRAWALS OF OFFERS.**

(1) Offerors are responsible for submitting offers, and any modifications, revisions, or withdrawals, so as to reach the Government office designated in the solicitation by the time specified in the solicitation. If no time is specified in the solicitation, the time for receipt is 4:30 p.m., local time, for the designated Government office on the date that offers or revisions are due.

(2) (i) Any offer, modification, revision, or withdrawal of an offer received at the Government office designated in the solicitation after the exact time specified for receipt of offers is "**late**" and will not be considered unless it is received before award is made, the Contracting Officer determines that accepting the late offer would not unduly delay the acquisition; and--

(A) If it was transmitted through an electronic commerce method authorized by the solicitation, it was received at the initial point of entry to the Government infrastructure not later than 5:00 p.m. one working day prior to the date specified for receipt of offers; or

(B) There is acceptable evidence to establish that it was received at the Government installation designated for receipt of offers and was under the Government's control prior to the time set for receipt of offers; or

(C) If this solicitation is a request for proposals, it was the only proposal received.

(ii) However, a late modification of an otherwise successful offer, that makes its terms more favorable to the Government, will be considered at any time it is received and may be accepted.

(3) Acceptable evidence to establish the time of receipt at the Government installation includes the time/date stamp of that installation on the offer wrapper, other documentary evidence of receipt maintained by the installation, or oral testimony or statements of Government personnel.

(4) If an emergency or unanticipated event interrupts normal Government processes so that offers cannot be received at the Government office designated for receipt of offers by the exact time specified in the solicitation, and urgent Government requirements preclude amendment of the solicitation or other notice of an extension of the closing date, the time specified for receipt of offers will be deemed to be extended to the same time of day specified in the solicitation on the first work day on which normal Government processes resume.

(5) Offers may be withdrawn by written notice received at any time before the exact time set for receipt of offers. Oral offers in response to oral solicitations may be withdrawn orally.

If the solicitation authorizes facsimile offers, offers may be withdrawn via facsimile at any time before the exact time set for receipt of offers, subject to the conditions specified in the solicitation concerning facsimile offers. An offer may be withdrawn in person by an offeror or its authorized representative if, before the exact time set for receipt of offers, the identity of the person requesting withdrawal is established and the person signs a receipt for the offer.

(i) Unless otherwise specified in the solicitation, the offeror may propose to provide any item or combination of items.

(j) Proposals submitted in response to this solicitation shall be in English and in U.S. dollars unless otherwise permitted by the solicitation.

(k) Offerors may submit revised proposals only if requested or allowed by the Contracting Officer.

(l) Proposals may be withdrawn at any time before award. Withdrawals are effective upon receipt of notice by the Contracting Officer.

(m) **CONTRACT AWARD.**

(1) **RFPs ONLY (not applicable to IFBs).**

(i) While the Government intends to evaluate offers and award a contract without discussions, it reserves the right to conduct discussions if later determined by the Contracting Officer to be necessary.

(ii) If the Contracting Officer determines that negotiations are necessary, the Government will then evaluate proposals and award a contract after conducting discussions with offerors whose proposals have been determined to be within the competitive range. If the Contracting Officer determines that the number of proposals that would otherwise be in the competitive range exceeds the number at which an efficient competition can be conducted, the Contracting Officer may limit the number of proposals in the competitive range to the greatest number that will permit an efficient competition among the most highly rated proposals. Therefore, the offeror's initial proposal should contain the offeror's best terms from a price and technical standpoint.

(iii) Exchanges with offerors after receipt of a proposal do not constitute a rejection or counteroffer by the Government.

(2) The Government intends to award a contract or contracts resulting from this solicitation to the responsible offeror(s) whose offer(s) conforming to the solicitation will be most advantageous to the Government, cost or price and other factors (including subfactors) specified elsewhere in this solicitation, considered.

(3) The Government may reject any or all offers if such action is in the Government's interest.

(4) The Government may waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received.

(5) The Government may accept any item or group of items of a proposal, unless the offeror qualifies the proposal by specific limitations. Unless otherwise provided in the Schedule, proposals may not be submitted for quantities less than those specified. The Government reserves the right to make an award on any item for a quantity less than the quantity offered, at the unit prices offered, unless the offeror specifies otherwise in the offer.

(6) A written award or acceptance of offer mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful offeror within the time specified in the offer shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party.

(7) The Government may disclose the following information in postaward debriefings to other offerors:

(i) The overall evaluated cost or price and technical rating of the successful offeror;

(ii) The overall ranking of all offerors, when any ranking was developed by the agency during source selection;

(iii) A summary of the rationale for award; and

(iv) For acquisitions of commercial items, the make and model of the item to be delivered by the successful offeror.

(n) **AVAILABILITY OF REQUIREMENTS DOCUMENTS CITED IN THE SOLICITATION.**

(1) (i) The GSA Index of Federal Specifications, Standards and Commercial Item Descriptions, FPMR Part 101-29, and copies of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained for a fee by submitting a request to--

GSA, FEDERAL SUPPLY SERVICE SPECIFICATIONS SECTION  
470 EAST L'ENFANT PLAZA, SW, SUITE 8100  
WASHINGTON, DC 20407  
TELEPHONE: (202) 619-8925  
FAX: (202) 619-8978

(ii) If the General Services Administration, Department of Agriculture, or Department of Veterans Affairs issued this solicitation, a single copy of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained free of charge by submitting a request to the address in (i) above. Additional copies will be issued for a fee.

(2) The DoD Index of Specifications and Standards (DoDISS) and documents listed in it may be obtained either through the Defense Standardization Program Internet website at <http://www.dsp.dla.mil> or from the--

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SINGLE STOCK POINT (DODSSP)  
BUILDING 4, SECTION D  
700 ROBBINS AVENUE  
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19111-5094  
TELEPHONE: (215) 697-2179  
FAX: (215) 697-1462

- (i) Automatic distribution may be obtained on a subscription basis.
- (ii) Order forms, pricing information, and customer support information may be obtained--
  - (A) By telephone at (215) 697-2179; or
  - (B) Through the DoDSSP Internet site at <http://assist.daps.mil>.

(3) Nongovernment (voluntary) standards must be obtained from the organization responsible for their preparation, publication, or maintenance.

(o) **DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER. (Applies to offers exceeding \$25,000.)** The offeror shall enter, in the block with its name and address on the cover page of its offer, the annotation "**DUNS**" followed by the DUNS number that identifies the offeror's name and address. If the offeror does not have a DUNS number, it should contact Dun and Bradstreet to obtain one at no charge. An offeror within the United States may call **1-800-333-0505**. The offeror may obtain more information regarding the DUNS number, including locations of local Dun and Bradstreet Information Services offices for offerors located outside the United States, from the Internet home page at <http://www.customerservice@dnb.com>. If an offeror is unable to locate a local service center, it may send an e-mail to Dun and Bradstreet at [globalinfo@mail.dnb.com](mailto:globalinfo@mail.dnb.com).

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