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Subpart 234.2—Earned Value Management System

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§ 234.201 Policy.

- (1) DoD applies the earned value management system requirement as follows:
- (i) For cost or incentive contracts and subcontracts valued at \$20,000,000 or more, the earned value management system shall comply with the guidelines in the American National Standards Institute/Electronic Industries Aliance Standard 748, Earned Value Management Systems (ANSI/EIA-748).
- (ii) For cost or incentive contracts and subcontracts valued at \$50,000,000 or more, the contractor shall have an earned value management system that has been determined by the cognizant Federal agency to be in compliance with the guidelines in ANSI/EIA-748.
- (iii) For cost or incentive contracts and subcontracts valued at less than \$20,000,000—
- (A) The application of earned value management is optional and is a risk-based decision:
- (B) A decision to apply earned value management shall be documented in the contract file; and
- (C) Follow the procedures at PGI 234.201(1)(iii) for conducting a cost-benefit analysis.
- (iv) For firm-fixed-price contracts and subcontracts of any dollar value—
- (A) The application of earned value management is discouraged; and
- (B) Follow the procedures at PGI 234.201(1)(iv) for obtaining a waiver before applying earned value management.
- (2) When an offeror proposes a plan for compliance with the earned value management system guidelines in ANSI/EIA-748, follow the review procedures at PGI 234.201(2).
- (3) The Defense Contract Management Agency is responsible for determining earned value management system compliance when DoD is the cognizant Federal agency.
- (4) See PGI 234.201(4) for additional guidance on earned value management.

234.203 Solicitation provisions and contract clause.

For cost or incentive contracts valued at \$20,000,000 or more, and for other contracts for which EVMS will be applied in accordance with 234.201(1)(iii) and (iv)—

- (1) Use the provision at 252.234–7001, Notice of Earned Value Management System, instead of the provisions at FAR 52.234–2, Notice of Earned Value Management System—Pre-Award IBR, and FAR 52.234–3, Notice of Earned Value Management System—Post-Award IBR, in the solicitation; and
- (2) Use the clause at 252.234-7002, Earned Value Management System, instead of the clause at FAR 52.234-4, Earned Value Management System, in the solicitation and contract.

Subpart 234.70—Acquisition of Major Weapon Systems as Commercial Items

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234.7000 Scope of subpart.

This subpart—

- (a) Implements 10 U.S.C. 2379; and
- (b) Requires a determination by the Secretary of Defense and a notification to Congress before acquiring a major weapon system as a commercial item.

234.7001 Definition.

Major weapon system, as used in this subpart, means a weapon system acquired pursuant to a major defense acquisition program, as defined in 10 U.S.C. 2430 to be a program that—

- (1) Is not a highly sensitive classified program, as determined by the Secretary of Defense; and
- (2)(i) Is designated by the Secretary of Defense as a major defense acquisition program; or
- (ii) Is estimated by the Secretary of Defense to require an eventual total expenditure for research, development, test, and evaluation of more than \$300,000,000 (based on fiscal year 1990 constant dollars) or an eventual total expenditures for procurement of more than \$1,800,000,000 (based on fiscal year 1990 constant dollars).