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339.7101 Policy.

HHS is responsible for implementing an information security program to ensure that its information systems and associated facilities, as well as those of its contractors, provide a level of security commensurate with the risk and magnitude of harm that could result from the loss, misuse, disclosure, or modification of the information contained in those systems. Each system's level of security shall protect the integrity, confidentiality, and availability of the information and comply with all security and privacy-related laws and regulations.

339.7102 Applicability.

Contracting Officers are responsible for ensuring that all information tech-

nology acquisitions comply with the Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA), the HHS-OCIO Information Systems Security and Privacy Policy, and FISMA-related FAR and HHSAR requirements. This policy does not apply to national security systems as defined in FISMA.

339.7103 Solicitation and contract clause.

The Contracting Officer shall insert the clause in 352.239–72, Security Requirements for Federal Information Technology Resources, in solicitations and contracts that involve contractor access to Federal information or Federal information systems.