#### 23.804

- (b) In preparing specifications and purchase descriptions, and in the acquisition of supplies and services, agencies shall:
- (1) Comply with the requirements of Title VI of the Clean Air Act, Section 706 of Division D, Title VII of Public Law 111-8, Executive Order 13423, Executive Order 13514, and 40 CFR 82.84(a)(2), (3), (4), and (5); and
- (2) Substitute safe alternatives to ozone-depleting substances, as identified under 42 U.S.C. 7671k, to the maximum extent practicable, as provided in 40 CFR 82.84(a)(1), except in the case of Class I substances being used for specified essential uses, as identified under 40 CFR 82.4(r). EPA's Significant New Alternatives Policy (SNAP) program (available at <a href="http://www.epa.gov/ozone/snap">http://www.epa.gov/ozone/snap</a>) has a list of safe alternatives to ozone-depleting substances.

[60 FR 28500, May 31, 1995, as amended at 61 FR 31645, June 20, 1996; 68 FR 43869, July 24, 2003; 76 FR 31400, May 31, 2011]

# 23.804 Contract clauses.

Except for contracts that will be performed outside the United States and its outlying areas, insert the clause at:

- (a) 52.223–11, Ozone-Depleting Substances, in solicitations and contracts for ozone-depleting substances or for supplies that may contain or be manufactured with ozone-depleting substances.
- (b) 52.223-12, Refrigeration Equipment and Air Conditioners, in solicitations and contracts for services when the contract includes the maintenance, repair, or disposal of any equipment or appliance using ozone-depleting substances as a refrigerant, such as air conditioners, including motor vehicles, refrigerators, chillers, or freezers.

[61 FR 31645, June 20, 1996, as amended at 68 FR 28083, May 22, 2003]

# Subpart 23.9—Contractor Compliance With Environmental Management Systems

SOURCE: 76 FR 31400, May 31, 2011, unless otherwise noted.

### 23.900 Scope.

This subpart implements the environmental management systems requirements for contractors.

#### 23.901 Authority.

- (a) Executive Order 13423 of January 24, 2007, Strengthening Federal Environmental, Energy, and Transportation Management.
- (b) Executive Order 13514 of October 5, 2009, Federal Leadership in Environmental, Energy, and Economic Performance.

#### 23.902 Policy.

- (a) Agencies shall implement environmental management systems (EMS) at all appropriate organizational levels. Where contractor activities affect an agency's environmental management aspects, EMS requirements shall be included in contracts to ensure proper implementation and execution of EMS roles and responsibilities.
  - (b) The contracting officer shall—
- (1) Specify the EMS directives with which the contractor must comply; and
- (2) Ensure contractor compliance to the same extent as the agency would be required to comply, if the agency operated the facilities or vehicles.

### 23.903 Contract clause.

The contracting officer shall insert the clause at 52.223-19, Compliance With Environmental Management Systems, in all solicitations and contracts for contractor operation of Government-owned or -leased facilities or vehicles, located in the United States. For facilities located outside the United States, the agency head may determine that use of the clause is in the best interest of the Government.

# Subpart 23.10—Federal Compliance With Right-To-Know Laws and Pollution Prevention Requirements

SOURCE: 68 FR 43869, July 24, 2003, unless otherwise noted.

### 23.1000 Scope.

This subpart prescribes policies and procedures for obtaining information needed for Government—

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- (a) Compliance with right-to-know laws and pollution prevention requirements:
- (b) Implementation of an environmental management system (EMS) at a Federal facility; and
- (c) Completion of facility compliance audits (FCAs) at a Federal facility.

#### 23.1001 Authorities.

- (a) Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986, 42 U.S.C. 11001-11050 (EPCRA).
- (b) Pollution Prevention Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. 13101-13109 (PPA).
- (c) Executive Order 13423 of January 24, 2007, Strengthening Federal Environmental, Energy, and Transportation Management.
- (d) Executive Order 13514 of October 5, 2009, Federal Leadership in Environmental, Energy, and Economic Performance.

[68 FR 43869, July 24, 2003, as amended at 76 FR 31401, May 31, 2011]

# 23.1002 Applicability.

The requirements of this subpart apply to facilities owned or operated by an agency in the customs territory of the United States.

#### 23.1003 Definitions.

As used in this subpart—

 $Federal\ agency\ means\ an\ executive\ agency\ (see 2.101).$ 

[68 FR 43869, July 24, 2003, as amended at 76 FR 31401, May 31, 2011]

#### 23.1004 Requirements.

- (a) Federal facilities are required to comply with—
- (1) The emergency planning and toxic release reporting requirements in EPCRA and PPA; and
- (2) The toxic chemical, and hazardous substance release and use reduction goals of sections 2(e) and 3(a)(vi) of Executive Order 13423.
- (b) Pursuant to EPCRA, PPA, E.O. 13423, and any agency implementing procedures, every new contract that provides for performance on a Federal facility shall require the contractor to provide information necessary for the Federal agency to comply with the—
- (1) Requirements in paragraph (a) of this section; and

(2) Requirements for EMSs and FCAs if the place of performance is at a Federal facility designated by the agency.

[76 FR 31401, May 31, 2011]

#### 23.1005 Contract clause.

- (a) Insert the clause at 52.223–5, Pollution Prevention and Right-to-Know Information, in solicitations and contracts that provide for performance, in whole or in part, on a Federal facility.
- (b) Use the clause with its *Alternate I* if the contract provides for contractor—
- (1) Operation or maintenance of a Federal facility at which the agency has implemented or plans to implement an EMS; or
  - (2) Activities and operations—
- (i) To be performed at a Governmentoperated Federal facility that has implemented or plans to implement an EMS; and
- (ii) That the agency has determined are covered within the EMS.
- (c) Use the clause with its  $Alternate\ II$  if—
- (1) The contract provides for contractor activities on a Federal facility; and
- (2) The agency has determined that the contractor activities should be included within the FCA or an environmental management system audit.

# Subpart 23.11—Encouraging Contractor Policies to Ban Text Messaging While Driving

SOURCE: 75 FR 60265, Sept. 29, 2010, unless otherwise noted.

# 23.1101 Purpose.

This subpart implements the requirements of the Executive Order (E.O.) 13513, dated October 1, 2009 (74 FR 51225, October 6, 2009), Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging while Driving.

### 23.1102 Applicability.

This subpart applies to all solicitations and contracts.

### 23.1103 Definitions.

As used in this subpart—

Driving—(1) Means operating a motor vehicle on an active roadway with the