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(b) Require the use of other than a performance-based acquisition (see subpart 37.6).

[66 FR 22085, May 2, 2001; 71 FR 218, Jan. 3, 2006]

39.105 Privacy.

Agencies shall ensure that contracts for information technology address protection of privacy in accordance with the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) and part 24. In addition, each agency shall ensure that contracts for the design, development, or operation of a system of records using commercial information technology services or information technology support services include the following:

- (a) Agency rules of conduct that the contractor and the contractor's employees shall be required to follow.
- (b) A list of the anticipated threats and hazards that the contractor must guard against.
- (c) A description of the safeguards that the contractor must specifically provide.
- (d) Requirements for a program of Government inspection during performance of the contract that will ensure the continued efficacy and efficiency of safeguards and the discovery and countering of new threats and hazards.

39.106 Year 2000 compliance.

When acquiring information technology that will be required to perform date/time processing involving dates subsequent to December 31, 1999, agencies shall ensure that solicitations and contracts—

- (a)(1) Require the information technology to be Year 2000 compliant; or
- (2) Require that non-compliant information technology be upgraded to be Year 2000 compliant prior to the earlier of
- (i) The earliest date on which the information technology may be required to perform date/time processing involving dates later than December 31, 1999, or
 - (ii) December 31, 1999; and
- (b) As appropriate, describe existing information technology that will be used with the information technology to be acquired and identify whether the

existing information technology is Year 2000 compliant.

[62 FR 274, Jan. 2, 1997]

39.107 Contract clause.

The contracting officer shall insert a clause substantially the same as the clause at 52.239–1, Privacy or Security Safeguards, in solicitations and contracts for information technology which require security of information technology, and/or are for the design, development, or operation of a system of records using commercial information technology services or support services.

 $[61~\mathrm{FR}~41470,~\mathrm{Aug.}~8,~1996.~\mathrm{Redesignated}$ at $62~\mathrm{FR}~274,~\mathrm{Jan.}~2,~1997]$

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39.201 Scope of subpart.

- (a) This subpart implements section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 794d), and the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board Electronic and Information Technology (EIT) Accessibility Standards (36 CFR part 1194).
- (b) Further information on section 508 is available via the Internet at http://www.section508.gov.
- (c) When acquiring EIT, agencies must ensure that—
- (1) Federal employees with disabilities have access to and use of information and data that is comparable to the access and use by Federal employees who are not individuals with disabilities; and
- (2) Members of the public with disabilities seeking information or services from an agency have access to and use of information and data that is comparable to the access to and use of information and data by members of the public who are not individuals with disabilities.

39.202 Definition.

Undue burden, as used in this subpart, means a significant difficulty or expense.