“Niagara Falls”, “NY” is withdrawn as of September 27, 2012.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

48 CFR Part 205

Publicizing Contract Actions

CFR Correction

205.470 [Corrected]

In Title 48 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 2 [Parts 201—299], revised as of October 1, 2011, on page 38, in section 205.470, the first sentence is corrected by removing "$1,000,000,000" and adding, in its place, "$1,000,000".

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

48 CFR Parts 1812, 1828, and 1852

RIN 2700–AD55

Cross Waivers of Liability Clauses

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: NASA has adopted, with minor changes, a final rule amending the NASA FAR Supplement (NFS) to consolidate and make changes to three existing cross-waiver of liability contract clauses, and to more closely align the clauses with current mission programs.

DATES: Effective Date: October 29, 2012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Leigh Pomponio, NASA, Office of Procurement, Contract Management Division (Suite 2P77); (202) 358–0592; email: leigh.pomponio@nasa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTS INFORMATION:

1. Background

A proposed rule was published on May 5, 2011 (76 FR 25657) to consolidate NASA’s three existing cross-waiver of liability clauses into two clauses and to align the two clauses with Agency mission requirements, consistent with the cross-waiver of liability regulatory authority at 14 CFR part 1266. The regulatory authority at 14 CFR part 1266 was promulgated on February 26, 2008 (73 FR 10143–50). The February 2008 rule established NASA’s cross-waiver of liability authority in two categories of NASA agreements: (1) Agreements for ISS activities pursuant to the Agreement Among the Government of Canada, Governments of Member States of the European Space Agency, the Government of Japan, the Government of the Russian Federation, and the Government of the United States of...