General Terms and Conditions of Purchase


1. When the materials or products furnished are for use in connection with a U.S. Government prime contract or subcontract, in addition to the DRS General Purchase Order Terms and Conditions, the following provisions shall apply. The effective version of each Federal Acquisition Regulation (hereinafter “FAR”) provision shall be the same version as that which appears in Buyer’s prime contract or higher tier subcontract under which this Purchase Order is a subcontract. In the event of a conflict between these FAR provisions and the General Terms and Conditions of Purchase, the FAR provisions shall control. For the acquisition of commercial items under purchase orders placed in support of and charged to a U.S. Government prime contract or subcontract, the only FAR clauses that are required are those annotated with *. For the definition of a commercial item see FAR 2.101.

2. The following clauses set forth in the FAR in effect as of the date of DRS’ prime contract or higher tier subcontract are incorporated herein by reference. In all clauses listed herein, the terms “Government,” “Contracting Officer” and “Contractor” shall be deemed revised to suitably identify the contracting parties herein and effect the proper intent of the provision except where further clarified or modified below. “Subcontractor,” however, shall mean “Seller’s Subcontractor” under the Purchase Order.

A. Applicable to all Purchase Orders:

1. Gratuities 52.203-3
2. Covenant Against Contingent Fees 52.203-5
3. Price or Fee Adjustment for Illegal or Improper Activity 52.203-10
5. Security Requirements 52.204-2
6. Personal Identity Verification of Contractor Personnel 52.204-9
7. Reporting Executive Compensation and First-Tier Subcontract Awards 52.204-10
8. Material Requirements 52.211-5
9. Defense Priority and Allocation Requirements 52.211-15
10. Contract Terms Required to Implement Executive Orders - Commercial Items 52.212-5
11. Utilization of Small Business Concerns 52.219-8*
12. Notice to Government of Labor Disputes 52.222-1
13. Service Contract Act of 1965, as amended 52.222-41
14. Combating Trafficking in Persons 52.222-50*
15. Exemption From Application of the Service Contract Act to Contracts for Maintenance, Calibration, or Repair of Certain Equipment - Requirements 52.222-51
16. Exemption From Application of the Service Contract Act to Contracts for Certain Services - Requirements 52.222-53
17. Hazardous Material Identification and Material Safety Data 52.223-3
18. Notice of Radioactive Materials ("Government means "Government and Buyer") 52.223-7
19. Ozone-depleting Substances 52.223-11
20. Refrigeration Equipment and Air Conditioners 52.223-12
21. Contractor Policy to Ban Text Messaging While Driving 52.223-18
22. Privacy Act 52.224-1
23. Buy-America Act Supplies 52.225-1
24. Duty-free Entry 52.225-8
25. Restrictions on Certain Foreign Purchases 52.225-13
26. Authorization and Consent - Alternate 1 52.227-1
27. Notice and Assistance Regarding Patent and Copyright Infringement 52.227-2
28. Patent Indemnity 52.227-3
29. Refund of Royalties 52.227-9
30. Filing of Patent Applications - Classified Subject Matter 52.227-10
31. Patent Rights - Ownership by the Contractor (Dec 2007 applicable if prime contract includes, at any tier, experimental, developmental or research Work and Subcontractor is a small business concern or domestic non-profit organization. Reports required by this clause shall be filed with the agency identified by the DRS procurement representative identified on the face of this order.) 52.227-11
32. Rights in Data - General (Not applicable under Department of Defense procurements) 52.227-14
33. Commercial Computer Software License (Not applicable under Department of Defense procurements) 52.227-19
34. Worker’s Compensation Insurance (Defense Base Act) 52.228-3
35. Workers Compensation (War Hazard Insurance Overseas) 52.228-4
36. Insurance – Work on a Government Installation 52.228-5
37. Industrial Resources Developed Under Defense Production Act Title III 52.234-1
38. Accident Prevention 52.236-13
39. Competition in Subcontracting 52.244-5
40. Subcontracts for Commercial Items 52.244-6
41. Government Property 52.245-1
42. Government Property Installation Operation Services 52.245-2
43. Use and Charges 52.245-9
44. Inspection of Supplies – Fixed Price 52.246-2
45. Inspection of Supplies – Cost Reimbursement 52.246-3
46. Inspection of Services – Fixed Price 52.246-4
47. Responsibility for Supplies 52.246-16
48. Preference for U.S. Flag Air Carriers 52.247-63
49. Preference for Privately Owned U.S. Flag Commercial Vessels 52.247-64*
50. Termination for Convenience of the Government (Fixed Price) “Government” shall mean “Buyer” 52.249-2

B. Orders Over $10,000 Shall Also Include the Following:

51. Prohibition of Segregated Facilities 52.222-21
52. Previous Contracts and Compliance Reports (except for Commercial Items) 52.222-22
53. Equal Opportunity 52.222-26*
54. Notification of Employee Rights Under the National Labor Relations Act 52.222-40*

C. Orders Over $15,000 Shall Also Include the Following:

55. Walsh-Healy Public Contracts Act 52.222-20
56. Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities 52.222-36*

D. Orders Over $100,000 Shall Also Include the Following:

57. Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans 52.222-35*
58. Employment Reports on Special Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era and other Eligible Veterans (except for Commercial Items) 52.222-37
59. Toxic Chemical Release Reporting (less paragraph (e)) 52.223-14

E. Orders Over $150,000 Shall Also Include the Following:

60. Restrictions on Subcontractor Sales to the Government 52.203-6
61. Anti-Kickback Procedures (less paragraph (c) (1)) 52.203-7
62. Limitation on Payments to Influence Certain Federal Transactions 52.203-12
63. Audit and Records – Negotiation 52.215-2
64. Integrity of Unit Prices (less paragraph b) 52.215-14
65. Limitations on Pass-Through Charges 52.215-23
66. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act – Overtime Compensation 52.222-4
67. Employment Eligibility Verification 52.222-54
68. Value Engineering 52.248-1

F. Orders Over $650,000

69. Small Business Subcontracting Plan 52.219-9

G. Orders Over $700,000 and/or the Applicable Cost or Pricing Data Threshold:

70. Audit & Records – Sealed Bidding 52.214-26
71. Subcontractor Cost or Pricing Data- Modifications- Sealed Bidding 52.214-28
72. Pension Adjustments and Asset Reversions 52.215-15
73. Reversion or Adjustment of Plans for Post-Retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions 52.215-18
74. Notification of Ownership Changes 52.215-19

H. Unless Otherwise Exempt Also Include the Following:

75. Contractor Code of Business Ethics and Conduct 52.203-13*
76. Display of Hotline Posters 52.203-14
77. Protecting Government Interest when Subcontracting with Contractors Debarred, Suspended, or Proposed for Debarment 52.209-6
78. Price Reduction for Defective Certified Cost or Pricing Data 52.215-10
79. Price Reduction for Defective Certified Cost or Pricing Data- Modifications 52.215-11
80. Subcontractor Certified Cost or Pricing Data 52.215-12
81. Subcontractor Certified Cost or Pricing Data – Modifications 52.215-13
82. Requirements for Certified Cost or Pricing Data and Data Other than Certified Cost or Pricing Data 52.215-20
83. Requirements for Certified Cost or Pricing Data and Data Other than Certified Cost or Pricing Data - Modifications 52.215-21
84. Subcontracts – (Labor Standards) 52.222-11
85. Pre-award On-site Equal Opportunity Compliance Evaluation 52.222-24
86. Affirmative Action Compliance (Construction) 52.222-27
87. Buy American Act – Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act 52.225-3
88. Trade Agreements 52.225-5
89. Contractor Personnel in a Designated Operational Area 52.225-19
90. Patent Rights – Ownership by the Government 52.227-13
91. State of New Mexico Gross Receipts & Compensating Tax 52.229-10
92. Earned Value Management System 52.234-4
93. Change Order Accounting 52.243-6
94. Notification of Changes 52.243-7

I. Applicable to Cost Reimbursement, Time & Material or Labor Hour Purchase Orders:

95. Allowable Cost and Payment (cost reimbursement) Seller agrees to execute assignment documents in order to comply with subsection (h) 52.216-7
96. Fixed Fee- applicable to cost plus fixed fee Purchase Orders 52.216-8
97. Incentive Fee – applicable to cost plus incentive fee Purchase Orders 52.216-10
98. Cost Contract – No Fee – applicable to cost no fee Purchase Orders 52.216-11
99. Cost Sharing Contract – No Fee – applicable to cost sharing no fee Purchase Orders 52.216-12
100. Payment for Overtime Premiums - insert “0%” in paragraph (a) 52.222-2
101. Insurance – Liability to Third Persons 52.228-7
102. Payments under Time and Materials and Labor Hour Contracts, in which “schedule” means this Purchase Order, “voucher(s)” means invoice(s), “Government” means DRS and “Contracting Officer” means Buyer’s Purchasing Representative. 52.232-7
103. Limitation of Cost (if fully funded) 52.232-20
104. Limitation of Funds (if incrementally funded) 52.232-22
105. Notice of Intent to Disallow Costs

106. Penalties for Unallowable Costs

107. Changes – Cost Reimbursement – applicable to such Purchase Orders

108. Changes – Time and Material or Labor Hours – applicable to such Purchase Orders

109. Subcontracts (paragraphs (h) and (l) only apply)

110. Inspection of supplies (Cost Reimbursement) – “Contracting Officer” means “Buyer’s Purchasing Representative” and “government” means “Buyer and Government” (an inspection system accepted by the Government will be deemed accepted by Buyer) and where “Government” first appears in paragraph (k) it shall mean “Government or Buyer”. The provisions in this clause for access, right to inspect, safety protection, and relief from liability apply equally to Buyer and the Government.

111. Inspection of Services (Cost Reimbursement) - “Contracting Officer” means “Buyer’s Purchasing Representative” and “government” means “Buyer and Government” (an inspection system accepted by the Government will be deemed accepted by Buyer) and where “Government” first appears in paragraph (k) it shall mean “Government or Buyer”. The provisions in this clause for access, right to inspect, safety protection, and relief from liability apply equally to Buyer and the Government.

112. Inspection of Time and Material and Labor Hour - “Contracting Officer” means “Buyer’s Purchasing Representative” and “government” means “Buyer and Government” (an inspection system accepted by the Government will be deemed accepted by Buyer) and where “Government” first appears in paragraph (k) it shall mean “Government or Buyer”. The provisions in this clause for access, right to inspect, safety protection, and relief from liability apply equally to Buyer and the Government.

113. Termination (Cost Reimbursement) – “Government” means “Buyer” and “Contracting Officer” means “Buyer’s Purchasing Representative”. Alternative IV is applicable to time and material or labor hour Purchase Orders only.

114. Excusable Delays
3. Certifications

The Offeror, by signing its offer, hereby certifies compliance with the following clauses and is, therefore eligible for award.

A. Certification and Disclosure Regarding Payments to Influence Certain Federal Transactions (over $150,000) 52.203-11

B. Certification Regarding Responsibility Matters (over $150,000) 52.209-5

C. Certification of Toxic Chemical Release Reporting (over $100,000) 52.223-13

4. Additional Clauses:

A. Cost Accounting Standards (Applicable unless otherwise exempt)
   1. Cost Accounting Standards 52.230-2
   2. Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Standards 52.230-3
   3. Administration of Cost Accounting Standards 52.230-6

Seller shall communicate and otherwise deal directly with the Contracting officer to the extent practicable and permissible as to all matters relating to Cost Accounting Standards. Seller shall provide Buyer with copies of all communications between Seller and the contracting officer respecting Cost Accounting Standards FAR 52.230-2 and Administration of Cost Accounting Standards FAR 52.230-6, provided Seller shall not be required to disclose to Buyer such communications containing information that is legally privileged and confidential to Seller. In addition to any other remedies provided by law or under this Purchase Order, Seller agrees to indemnify and hold Buyer harmless to the full extent of any loss, damage, or expense if Buyer is subject to any liability as the result of a failure of the Seller or its lower-tier subcontractors to comply with the requirements of FAR 52.230-2, 52.230-3 or 52.230-6. Paragraph (b) is deleted in each of the foregoing clauses.

B. Truth in Negotiations (Certified Cost or Pricing Data)

Unless exempt, Seller shall submit a FAR Part 15 compliant cost proposal inclusive of any appropriate updates throughout the negotiation process. At the conclusion of negotiations, and regardless of any prior certification, Seller must certify as to the accuracy, currency and completeness of its information in accordance with the FAR required Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing data.

1. Indemnification:
   If any cost or price (including profit or fee) negotiated in connection with the prime contract between the Government and Buyer or any cost that is reimbursable under said contract is
reduced because cost or pricing data furnished by the Seller in connection with any proposal submitted by Buyer relating to said contract or in connection with this Purchase Order was not accurate, complete, or current, the Seller shall indemnify Buyer in the amount of said reduction.

The phrase “cost or pricing data” as used herein shall be deemed to include any such data related to a lower-tier prospective or actual subcontract, at any level, which was submitted by the Seller or which it procured by submission of or in connection with the aforesaid proposal or this Purchase Order in support of its cost estimate.

If any reduction of the contract price under this clause reduces the price of items for which payment was made prior to the date of the modification reflecting the price reduction, the Seller shall be liable and shall pay Buyer at the time such overpayment is repaid:

a. Simple interest on the amount of such overpayment to be computed from the date(s) of overpayment to the Seller to the date Buyer is repaid by the Seller at the applicable underpayment rate effective for each quarter prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6621(a)(2); and

b. For Department of Defense contracts only, a penalty equal to the amount of the overpayment, if the Seller knowingly submitted cost or pricing data which were incomplete, inaccurate or non-current.

2. Cost or Pricing Data for Changes

Prior to the pricing of any change or other modification to this Purchase Order which involves increases and/or decreases in costs plus applicable profit expected to exceed threshold for submission of cost or pricing data, subcontractors shall submit cost or pricing data and shall certify that such data, as defined in Federal Acquisition Regulation 2.101, submitted either actually or by specific identification in writing are accurate, complete and current as of the date of completion of negotiations.

When required to obtain cost or pricing data from its subcontractors, pursuant to the provisions of this Purchase Order, Seller shall obtain such data.