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SUBJECT: Class Deviation to the Department of Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to Implement Deputy Secretary of Defense Determinations and Findings (D&Fs) regarding Foreign Participation in DoD Acquisitions in Support of Operations in Afghanistan

The attached Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy memorandum of July 15, 2009 is forwarded for your information and action, as appropriate. This memorandum informs the DoD contracting community of a class deviation from three DFARS provisions and five DFARS clauses. This class deviation implements the two D&Fs signed by the Deputy Secretary of Defense on July 9, 2009. Under these waivers, acquisition from the nine South Caucasus/Central and South Asian (SC/CASA) states to support operations in Afghanistan is now allowed. These states are Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan.

Contracting Officers shall use the solicitation provisions and contract clauses in Attachment 1 in solicitations and contracts for acquisitions in support of operations in Afghanistan in accordance with the criteria in the clause prescriptions at 225.1101 and 225.7503.

This class deviation became effective July 15, 2009 and will remain in effect until incorporated in the DFARS or until otherwise rescinded. It is requested that this guidance be forwarded to all appropriate contracting personnel.


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