#### 5.601

place advertisements in noncommission-paying media as a no-cost service, the basic ordering agreement shall so provide. If the advertising agency will not agree to place advertisements at no cost, the agreement shall (1) provide that the Government may place orders directly with the media, or (2) specify an amount that the Government will pay if the agency places the orders.

(d) Art work, supplies, and incidentals. The basic ordering agreement also may provide for the furnishing by the advertising agency of art work, supplies, and incidentals, including brochures and pamphlets, but not their printing. Incidentals may include telephone calls, telegrams, and postage incurred by the advertising agency on behalf of the Government.

# Subpart 5.6—Publicizing Multi-Agency Use Contracts

Source: 68 FR 43862, July 24, 2003, unless otherwise noted.

# 5.601 Governmentwide database of contracts.

- (a) A Governmentwide database of contracts and other procurement instruments intended for use by multiple agencies is available via the Internet at <a href="https://www.contractdirectory.gov/contractdirectory/">https://www.contractdirectory.gov/contractdirectory/</a>. This searchable database is a tool that may be used to identify existing contracts and other procurement instruments that may be used to fulfill Government needs.
  - (b) The contracting activity shall—
- (1) Enter the information specified at https://www.contractdirectory.gov/contractdirectory/, in accordance with the instructions on that Web site, within ten days of award of a Governmentwide acquisition contract (GWAC), multi-agency contract, Federal Supply Schedule contract, or any other procurement instrument intended for use by multiple agencies, including blanket purchase agreements (BPAs) under Federal Supply Schedule contracts.
- (2) Enter the information specified at https://www.contractdirectory.gov/contractdirectory/ in accordance with the instructions on that Web site by October 31, 2003, for all contracts and other procurement instruments in-

tended for use by multiple agencies that were awarded before July 24, 2003.

[48 FR 42119, Sept. 19, 1983, as amended at 75 FR 77745, Dec. 13, 2010; 78 FR 13768, Feb. 28, 2013]

# Subpart 5.7—Publicizing Requirements under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

SOURCE: 74 FR 14638, Mar. 31, 2009, unless otherwise noted.

#### 5.701 Scope.

This subpart prescribes posting requirements for presolicitation and award notices for actions funded in whole or in part by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111–5) (Recovery Act). The requirements of this subpart enhance transparency to the public.

#### 5.702 Applicability.

This subpart applies to all actions expected to exceed \$25,000 funded in whole or in part by the Recovery Act. Unlike subparts 5.2 and 5.3, this subpart includes additional requirements for orders and for actions that are not both fixed-price and competitive.

## 5.703 Definition.

As used in this subpart—

Task or delivery order contract means a "delivery order contract," and a "task order contract," as defined in 16.501–1. For example, it includes Governmentwide Acquisition Contracts (GWACs), multi-agency contracts (MACs), and other indefinite-delivery/indefinite-quantity contracts, whether single award or multiple award. It also includes Federal Supply Schedule contracts (including Blanket Purchase Agreements under Subpart 8.4).

### 5.704 Publicizing preaward.

- (a)(1) Follow the publication procedures at 5.201.
- (2) In addition, notices of proposed contract actions are required for orders exceeding \$25,000, funded in whole or in part by the Recovery Act, which are issued under task or delivery order contracts. This does not include modifications to existing orders, but these