

**204.7303 Procedures.**

(a)(1) Except as provided in 204.7302, the contracting officer shall require each offeror to provide a DUNS number (see 204.603(2)) or, if applicable, a DUNS+4 number, with its verbal or written offer, regardless of the dollar amount of the offer.

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(b) If the contracting officer determines that a prospective contractor is not registered in the CCR database and an exception to the registration requirements for the award does not apply (see 204.7302), the contracting officer shall—

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**PART 212—ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS**

11. Section 212.301 is amended by adding paragraph (b)(2) to read as follows:

**212.301 Solicitation provisions and contract clauses for the acquisition of commercial items.**

(b)(2) Paragraph (b) of the provision at FAR 52.212-3 does not apply when the solicitation includes the clause at 252.204-7004, Required Central Contractor Registration.

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**PART 213—SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION PROCEDURES**

12. Section 213.106-3 is added to read as follows:

**213.106-3 Award and documentation.**

(e) The procedures at FAR 13.106-3(e) do not apply when the contract includes the clause at 252.204-7004, Required Central Contractor Registration.

**PART 252—SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES**

13. Section 252.204-7001 is amended by revising the introductory text, the provision date, paragraph (b) introductory text, and paragraph (b)(2) to read as follows:

**252.204-7001 Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code reporting.**

As prescribed in 204.603(1), use the following provision:

**Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Code Reporting (XXX 19XX)**

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(b) If the Offeror does not have a CAGE code, it may ask the Contracting Officer to request one from the Defense Logistics Information Service (DLIS). The Contracting Officer will—

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(2) Complete section a and forward the form to DLIS; and

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**PART 253—FORMS**

14. Section 253.204-70 is amended by revising paragraph (b)(5)(ii)(F)(3) to read as follows:

**253.204-70 DD Form 350, Individual Contracting Action Report.**

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(b) \* \* \*

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(ii) \* \* \*

(F) \* \* \*

(3) An agency or instrumentality of the Federal Government.

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**Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Reef Fish Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; Amendment 16A; Correction**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and

Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Correction to notice of availability of an amendment to a fishery management plan.

**SUMMARY:** NMFS corrects a notice of availability of Amendment 16A to the Fishery Management Plan for the Reef Fish Resources of the Gulf of Mexico to indicate the availability of a minority report. The minority report opposes Amendment 16A as inconsistent with national standards 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, and specifically raises concerns regarding the proposed prohibition of the use of fish traps in the exclusive economic zone of the Gulf of Mexico south of 25°03' N. lat. after February 7, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for copies of the minority report should be sent to the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council, 3018 U.S. Highway 301 North, Suite 1000, Tampa, FL 33619-2266, Phone: 813-228-2815; Fax: 813-225-7015.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Correction**

In FR document 98-33603, on page 70093, in the issue of Friday, December 18, 1998, make the following correction:

On page 70093, in the second column, in the **ADDRESSES** section, on the ninth line, "analysis, should ..." should read "analysis, and requests for copies of a minority report, signed by two Council members, should..."

**Authority:** 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: January 9, 1999.

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