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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title and OMB Number:* Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; U.S. International Atomic Energy Agency Additional Protocol; OMB Control Number 0704-0454.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit and not-for-profit institutions.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Number of Respondents:* 10.

*Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Annual Responses:* 10.

*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 10.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection is necessary to provide for protection of information or activities with national security significance. As such, this information collection requires contractors to comply with the notification process in the contract clause at DFARS 252.204-7010, Requirement for Contractor to Notify DoD if the Contractor's Activities are Subject to Reporting Under the U.S.-International Atomic Energy Agency Additional Protocol.

Under the U.S.-International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) Additional Protocol, the United States is required to declare a wide range of public and private nuclear-related activities to the IAEA and potentially provide access to IAEA inspectors for verification purposes. The U.S.-IAEA Additional Protocol permits the United States unilaterally to declare exclusions from inspection requirements for activities with direct national security significance.

The contract clause at DFARS 252.204-7010, as prescribed at DFARS 204.470-3, is included in contracts for research and development or major defense acquisition programs involving fissionable materials (e.g., uranium, plutonium, neptunium, thorium, americium); other radiological source materials; or technologies directly related to nuclear power production, including nuclear or radiological waste materials.

The clause requires a contractor to provide written notification to the applicable DoD program manager and a copy of the notification to the contracting officer if the contractor is required to report its activities under the U.S.-IAEA Additional Protocol. Upon

such notification, DoD will determine if access may be granted to IAEA inspectors, or if a national security exclusion should be applied.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Defense Acquisition Regulations System**

[Docket Number DARS-2024-0022; OMB Control Number 0704-0187]

**Information Collection Requirement; Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Information Collection in Support of the DoD Acquisition Process (Various Miscellaneous Requirements)**

**AGENCY:** Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Acquisition Regulations System has submitted to OMB for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by October 28, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

You may also submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by the following method: Federal eRulemaking Portal: <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title and OMB Number:* Information Collection in Support of the DoD Acquisition Process (Various

Miscellaneous Requirements); OMB Control Number 0704-0187.

*Type of Request:* Revision and extension of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit and not-for-profit institutions.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Number of Respondents:* 75.

*Responses per Respondent:* 2.8, approximately.

*Annual Responses:* 207.

*Average Burden per Response:* 1.2 hours, approximately.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 242.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection requirement pertains to information required in DFARS parts 208, 235, and associated contract clauses in part 252 that offerors and contractors must submit to DoD in response to a request for proposals or an invitation for bids or a contract requirement. The solicitation provision and contract clause associated with DFARS part 209 have been removed from this information collection. The information required by the provision is collected via the System for Award Management, for which the burden is approved under OMB Control Number 9000-0189. The information required by the clause is submitted by fewer than 10 respondents per year.

DoD uses the information collected in the clauses associated with DFARS parts 208 and 235 to—

- Determine whether to provide precious metals as Government-furnished material;
- Evaluate claims of indemnification for losses or damages occurring under a research and development contract; and
- Keep track of radio frequencies on electronic equipment under research and development contracts so that the user does not override or interfere with the use of that frequency by another user.

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