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3023.9000 Contract Clause (USCG).

**Subpart 3023.3—Hazardous Material Identification and Material Safety Data**

**3023.303 Contract clause.**

The contracting officer shall insert the clause at (HSAR) 48 CFR 3052.223–70, Removal or Disposal of Hazardous Substances—Applicable Licenses and Permits, in solicitations and contracts involving the removal or disposal of hazardous waste material.

**Subpart 3023.5—Drug-Free Workplace**

**3023.501 Applicability.**

(d) The head of the law enforcement organizational element may determine that (FAR) 48 CFR 23.501 does not apply. This authority may not be redelegated.

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(e) Submit requests per (HSAR) 48 CFR 3001.7000(b).

**Subpart 3023.10—Federal Compliance With Right-to-Know Laws and Pollution Requirements**

**3023.1002 Applicability.**

DHS MD 5110, Environmental Compliance, provides guidance and direction for compliance with environmental laws.

**Subpart 3023.90—Safety Requirements for USCG Contracts**

**3023.9000 Contract clause (USCG).**

For the U.S. Coast Guard, where all or part of a contract will be performed on Government-owned or leased property, the contracting officer shall insert the clause at (HSAR) 48 CFR 3052.223–90, Accident and Fire Reporting.

**PART 3024—PROTECTION OF PRIVACY AND FREEDOM OF INFORMATION**

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**Subpart 3024.1—Protection of Individual Privacy**

**3024.102–70 General.**

Procedures for implementing the Privacy Act of 1974 are contained in Departmental regulations under 6 CFR part 5, subpart B, Privacy Act.

**Subpart 3024.2—Freedom of Information Act**

**3024.203 Policy.**

(a) The Department's implementation of the Freedom of Information Act is codified in regulations 6 CFR part 5, subpart B, FOIA. Information request concerning awards beyond those routinely handled by contracting officers (*e.g.*, identification of successful offerors, public announcements, debriefings, surety notices under HSAR 3028.106–6) shall be submitted to the FOIA Office of the Organizational Element making the award. The FOIA office for the DHS Office of Operations only, is Departmental Disclosure Officer (DDO), DHS, Washington, DC 20528 or [foia@dhs.gov](mailto:foia@dhs.gov).

(b) See (FAR) 48 CFR 15.207(b) on safeguarding proposals.

**PART 3025—FOREIGN ACQUISITION—[RESERVED]**

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**Subpart 3027.2—Patents**

**3027.205 Adjustment of royalties.**

(a) Reports shall be made to OE legal counsel. Contracting Officers shall coordinate actions with the COCO and HCA.

**3027.208 Use of patented technology under the North American Free Trade Agreements.**

(f) Contracting officers shall ensure compliance.

**Subpart 3027.3—Patent Rights under Government Contracts**

**3027.304–1 General.**

Interim and final invention reports and notification of all subcontracts for experimental, developmental, or research work (FAR) 48 CFR 27.304–1(e)(2)(ii) may be submitted on DD Form 882, Report of Inventions and Subcontracts.

**3027.304–5 Appeals.**

(a) Contracting officers are authorized to take the specified actions.

(b) Appeals shall be made to the CPO.

**3027.305 Administration of Patent Rights Clauses.**

**3027.305–4 Conveyance of invention rights acquired by the Government.**

The contracting officer shall ensure that solicitations and contracts which include a patent rights clause include a means for the contractor to report inventions made in the course of contract performance and at contract completion. This requirement may be fulfilled by requiring the contractor to submit a DD Form 882, Report of Inventions and Subcontract.

**3027.306 Licensing background patent rights to third parties.**

(b) The CPO shall make the required determinations and notifications under this subpart.

**Subpart 3027.4—Rights in Data and Copyrights**

**3027.404 Basic rights in data clause.**

(f)(1)(iii) The DHS will use Alternate IV of the (FAR) 48 CFR clause 52.227–14 in all contracts containing the basic clause, unless the HCA approves an exclusion. Approval at a level above the contracting officer is required for the contract to exclude items or categories of data from Alternative IV.

**3027.409 Solicitation provisions and contract clauses.**

Alternate IV of the (FAR) 48 CFR clause 52.227–14 shall be included in solicitations and contracts containing the basic clause unless the HCA approves an exclusion. Additional non-conflicting alternates may be used.

**PART 3028—BONDS AND INSURANCE**

**Subpart 3028.1—Bonds and Other Financial Protections**

Sec.