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Overview of Changes MAS Solicitation 47QSMD20R0001

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Disclaimer

"DISCLAIMER: The purpose of this webinar is to allow GSA FAS to verbally present the DRAFT planned solicitation refresh and related mass modification as a courtesy to industry. All comments on the information presented should be submitted via the Q&A function on this call. GSA FAS will consider all relevant comments and document them, but we are not obligated to respond to any questions at this time. GSA FAS may address some comments during the call or provide responses to relevant questions on the original Interact posting. GSA FAS does not guarantee a response to all questions, but may issue a formal response to industry comments or related inquiries. GSA FAS will make changes to the DRAFT as appropriate. Interested parties should review the final version of the solicitation refresh or mass modification closely for additional changes made to this DRAFT."

Questions

Please submit questions via the Q&A function on this webinar. For additional questions after the webinar, please submit via the original Interact posting. GSA will address questions, as appropriate.

Purpose of Planned Action

The General Services Administration (GSA) Federal Acquisition Service (FAS) will refresh the GSA Multiple Award Schedule (MAS) to incorporate various updates as outlined in the Advanced Notice posting on GSA Interact and presented during this MAS Refresh webinar. The refresh is scheduled for **November 2026.**

MAS Solicitation Changes - All Large Categories



Overview of Planned MAS Solicitation Changes

1. Updates to the SCP-FSS-001 Instructions Applicable to All Offerors are being made. Revisions to incorporate the following changes:

    a. Revisions to incorporate GSAR RGO Wave 4 updates, including GSAR 538 and GSAR 539.

    a. Revisions to incorporate GSA Class Deviation CD-2026-04 regarding FSS Domestic End Product Certification.

    a. Revisions to implement an OMB Memo on Covered Nitrile Gloves.

For general information about the RFO and related resources, visit the **RFO page on Acquisition.gov**.

GSAR Part 538 | FSS Program Modernization

EVERGREEN CONTRACTING

- **20-Year Limitation:** Removal of the 20-year limitation on contract duration
- **Key Citation:** GSAR 552.238-116 — Option to Extend the Term of the FSS Contract

CLAUSE UPDATES

- **Removed Clauses:** 41 GSAR provisions/clauses deleted, 8 FAS FSS clauses deleted
- **New Clauses:** 5 new GSAR clauses added (see GSAR 552.238-190 through 194)
- **Result:** Consolidates existing requirements and integrates FSS-specific clauses

CORE REQUIREMENTS

- **Key Clauses Retained:** 552.238-77, Pricing and Catalog Data, 552.238-79, Cancellation, 552.238-80, Transactional Data and Contract Fee Requirements, 552.238-82, Contractor Initiated Modifications, and 552.238-83, Examination of Records by GSA (Federal Supply Schedules)
  - **Consolidated and Renumbered:** 552.216-90, Economic Price Adjustment
  - **Removed:** 552.238-81, Price Reductions
- **FSS Framework Retained:** 552.238-112, Definitions—Federal Supply Schedule Contracts, 552.238-113, Authorities Supporting Use of Federal Supply Schedule Contracts, 552.238-115, Order-Level Materials Requirements, 552.238-116, Option to Extend the Term of the FSS Contract, and 552.238-117, Failure to Provide Accurate Information—Price Adjustment
- **FAS Clauses Integrated into GSAR:** 552.238-190, Federal Supply Schedule Contractor Team Arrangements, 552.238-191, Federal Supply Schedule Contract Requirements, 552.238-192, Federal Supply Schedule Order-Level Requirements, 552.238-193, Product Offering and Sales Requirements, 552.238-194, Sales Criteria

GSAR Part 539 | Acquisition of Information and Communication Technology

KEY UPDATES

- **New GSAR Clause:** 552.239-7001, Basic Safeguarding of Data within Large Language Model Artificial Intelligence Systems.
- **Broad Scope:** Designed for application across GSA contract vehicles, including Federal Supply Schedules.
- **Risk Mitigation:** Targeted focus on LLM system deployment and data security controls.

RISK-BASED MODEL

Shifts from a broad "regulate everything" approach to a targeted risk-based model.

Applies where risk is highest:

- Government-facing LLM tools that **process** Gov data
- Government purchases or direct **use** of LLM systems
- Systems with **privacy, security, data, or transparency risks**
- LLM functionality **material to capability**

Self-Deleting Structure

If criteria are not met, the clause remains dormant. Avoids heavy obligations for incidental LLM use.

COMMERCIAL PRACTICES

Built to seamlessly align with standard commercial practices:

- **Risk-Based:** Scales by risk & materiality instead of blanket mandates
- **Harmonized:** Aligns with FAR Part 12, FedRAMP, and NIST AI RMF
- **Compliance:** Uses existing artifacts (FedRAMP packages, SOC 2, ISO, system cards)
- **Security:** Prioritizes US-controlled systems & guards against foreign control

Covered Nitrile Gloves Updates

Strategic Alignment & PPE Supply Chain

Consistent with an **OMB August 31, 2026 memorandum**, GSA intends to move toward removing items from MAS contracts that fall within the scope of **DHS's Best-in-Class PPE Safety Stock contract** for domestically manufactured nitrile gloves.

This key policy shift explicitly supports:

- **Consolidation** of federal demand
- Building a **stronger domestic PPE supply chain**

Scope of Offerings & Next Steps

Products May Include:

- Powder-free, medical-grade nitrile gloves
- **4 mil & 5 mil** blue varieties
- **6 mil** black variety

Contractor Engagement:

GSA intends to **engage directly with affected contractors** to validate which specific items fall within scope and carefully consider contractor feedback before proceeding with any removal.

FSS Domestic End Product Certification

GSA CD-2026-04 implements E.O. 14392 to promote truthful "Made in America" advertising and protect U.S. manufacturers who invest in domestic facilities, American workers, and compliant supply chains from unfair competitive disadvantages caused by misleading country-of-origin claims that give foreign-made products an improper advantage.

Establishes GSAR Clause 552.238-130, Federal Supply Schedule (FSS) Domestic End Product Certificate

Permits (but does not require) offerors and contractors on FSS contracts to certify that listed products are **FSS Domestic End Products** as defined in the clause.

FSS DEP QUALIFYING CONDITIONS

- **FSS Contract:** Offered for sale on FSS contract;
- **US Manufactured:** Manufactured in the United States; and
- **Domestic content:** U.S. components exceed 75% of total component costs.

*For **products wholly or predominantly composed of iron or steel**, foreign iron and steel must be less than 5% of total component costs.

The Trade Agreements Act (TAA) continues to apply to MAS contracts.

The FSS DEP designation provides additional information about a product's domestic content and domestic manufacturing for buyers to consider. All non-TAA compliant products should be removed from contract.

Learn more at GSA.gov.

FSS Domestic End Product Certification

Voluntary Certification

Contractors will be able to access and utilize the new code in their catalog submission files via:

- **SIP** (Schedule Input Program)
- **EDI** (Electronic Data Interchange)
- **FCP** (FAS Catalog Platform)

GSA Advantage! Integration

GSA intends to use this information to help buyers identify FSS domestic end products, which constitute reasonably available product information.

- **FSS DEP Icon:** Qualifying products receive a visual icon on product pages and search listings.
- **Search & Filter:** Allows buyers to search and filter specifically for FSS DEP products.

Note - FSS DEP products will be displayed on GSA Advantage after OMB information collections clearance is received and an adequate number of products have been certified.

What Contractors Should Do Next

- Review product eligibility and available manufacturer documentation.
- Understand the implications of making a product-level certification.
- If choosing to participate, ensure certifications are accurate and supportable.

Certification Responsibilities

- **Representation:** Misrepresentation of a product's FSS domestic end product status may result in contract liabilities or potential liability under the False Claims Act.
- **Reseller Safe Harbor:** Dealers/distributors acting in good faith may rely on OEM data and commercially reasonable best efforts.
- **OEM Standard:** OEMs may rely on commercially reasonable due diligence.

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Facilities (B)

Facilities Maintenance and Repair Subcategory (B01)

SIN 561210FAC Facilities Maintenance and Repair

SIN Instructions & Note Update

Note – GSA will not award MAS contracts to offerors only offering standalone service types, such as janitorial, plumbing, electrical, **or HVAC maintenance**, which can effectively be performed by contractors who provide Complete Facilities Maintenance.

Allowable Standalone Services under SIN 561210FAC:

- Maintenance of Fire Alarm Systems & Fire Suppression Systems
- Elevator/Escalator Inspection & Maintenance Services

Subgroup Removal & Scope Impact

Removed SIN Subgroup:

- **HVAC Maintenance: Boilers, Chillers, Refrigeration, etc.**

Key Takeaways:

- Eliminates HVAC maintenance services as a standalone subgroup offering.
- Streamlines requirements to focus on comprehensive facilities maintenance solutions while defining strict criteria for specific standalone exceptions.

Information Technology (F)

IT Services (F05)

SIN 54151HACS Highly Adaptive Cybersecurity Services (HACS)

Incident Response Subgroup Phase-Out

Key Timeline Update:

• Phasing out the voluntary Incident Response subgroup at the end of Fiscal Year 2027.

Impacted Contractors:

• Applies to contractors currently holding the Incident Response subgroup under SIN 54151HACS.

Transition Guidance

Next Steps for Contractors:

• Contractors who do not currently hold the Incident Handling and Event Management (IHEM) subgroup may evaluate their eligibility.

• Request placement in the **IHEM subgroup**, which incorporates full Incident Response capabilities.


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