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TRANSPORTATION

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(90) FMS Code 4 Shipments. Solicitations will advise bidders that the recipient country is responsible for Continental U.S. transportation costs and that shipment will be made on a collect commercial bill of lading except that shipments of 50 pounds or less may be forwarded by small package carriers with freight charges being prepaid and added to materials invoice.

(91) When the solicitation includes the requirement for minimum size of shipments or guaranteed maximum shipping weights (and dimensions, if applicable) and award is made f.o.b. origin, insert the clause at 52.247-9000, Guaranteed maximum shipping weights or dimensions, in solicitations and contracts (*see 14.408-1(96)*).

(92) Solicitation Provision (Port handling and ocean costs in bid evaluation). Port handling and ocean charges available at time of issuance of a solicitation shall be published in solicitations for the acquisition of supplies for overseas shipment. The provision set forth at 52.247-9001, advising that these charges are tentative and not necessarily those that will be used in the evaluation, shall also be included in the solicitation, just below any charges published. This provision will preclude the need for extension of opening dates or cancellation of solicitations and will still permit award to that bidder who is, in fact, low at time of bid opening as a result of any change in charges after issuance of the solicitation.

- 47.305-3 F.O.B. origin solicitations. (DEVIATION)

(a)(4)(ii) Defense Fuel Supply Center (DFSC) is authorized to use DFSC provisions 5452.247-9F12, Offers of Multiple Crude Oils (NOV 89) (DEVIATION) and 5452.247-9F13, Evaluation of F.O.B. Origin and Destination offers (APR 90) (DEVIATION) in lieu of FAR provision 52.247-46 when purchasing crude oil for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve (SPR) program.