



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

[Docket Number DARS-2023-0033; OMB Control Number 0704-0252]

**Information Collection Requirement; Defense Federal Acquisition
Regulation Supplement; Part 251, Use of Government Sources by
Contractors**

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

ACTION: Notice and request for comments regarding a proposed
extension of an approved information collection requirement.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of
1995, DoD announces the proposed extension of a public
information collection requirement and seeks public comment on
the provisions thereof. *DoD invites comments on:* whether the
proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper
performance of the functions of DoD, including whether the
information will have practical utility; the accuracy of DoD's
estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection;
ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the
information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of
the information collection on respondents, including through the
use of automated collection techniques or other forms of
information technology. The Office of Management and Budget
(OMB) has approved this information collection for use under
Control Number 0704-0252 through January 31, 2024. DoD proposes

that OMB approve an extension of the information collection requirement, to expire three years after the approval date.

DATES: DoD will consider all comments received by **[INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*]**.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by OMB Control Number 0704-0252, using any of the following methods:

Federal eRulemaking Portal: <https://www.regulations.gov>.

Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Email: osd.dfars@mail.mil. Include OMB Control Number 0704-0252 in the subject line of the message.

Comments received generally will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Kimberly Ziegler, 703-901-3176.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title and OMB Number: Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS), Part 251, Use of Government Sources by Contractors, and related clause at DFARS 252.251; OMB Control Number 0704-0252.

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: 1,684.

Responses per Respondent: 9.1.

Annual Responses: 15,347.

Average Burden Per Response: 0.5.

Annual Burden Hours: 7,674.

Needs and Uses: This information collection permits contractors to place orders from Government supply sources, including Federal Supply Schedules, requirements contracts, and Government stock. Contractors are required to provide a copy of their written authorization to use Government supply sources with their order. The authorization is used by the Government source of supply to verify that a contractor is authorized to place such orders and under what conditions. The clause at DFARS 252.251-7000, Ordering from Government Supply Sources, requires a contractor to provide a copy of the authorization when placing an order under a Federal Supply Schedule, a Personal Property Rehabilitation Price Schedule, or an Enterprise Software Agreement.

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