**NOTICE:** This modification guide is for contractors that have accepted the MAS Consolidation Mass Mod that was released Jan 31 - Feb 11, 2020.

If you have not accepted the Mass Mod, please follow the guidance provided by your Contracting Officer/Contracting Specialist.

**MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (MAS) MODIFICATION GUIDE**  
April 2020

We value our relationships with our industry partners. Therefore, we have developed detailed modification instructions, Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs), and resources so you can prepare a modification package that we can quickly evaluate and process.

These modification instructions align with current solicitation proposal instructions (SCP-FSS-001 Instructions Applicable to All Offerors).

**Need Help?**

If you have questions, please contact the Contracting Officer/Contract Specialist (CO/CS) assigned to your contract; get his/her email and phone number at [https://www.gsaelibrary.gsa.gov](https://www.gsaelibrary.gsa.gov) (see Government Point of Contact within the Contractor Information section by entering your contract number or company name in the search block).
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1. General Guidance

a. MAS Modification Guide Purpose
We developed this guide to help you complete and submit the information necessary to request modification(s) to your Multiple Award Schedule (MAS) contract.

Below are general instructions and a checklist for each modification type. However, there may be more requirements based on the large category/ies, subcategories, and Special Item Numbers (SINs) within the specific Large Category attachments of the MAS solicitation.

b. Getting Started
You must read through all of the general guidance below before you complete the checklist, if applicable, for each modification type. Contracting Officers/Contracting Specialists (COs/CSs) may need more information to help them make necessary determinations.

If any mandatory information is missing and/or incomplete, the reviewing CO/CS will reject your modification request. Following the guidance here will help reduce rejections, limit clarification requests from your CO, and enable quicker processing.

eMod and eMod Training
The MAS Program will only accept contractor initiated modification requests via the GSA eMod system, which is located at https://eoffer.gsa.gov/. You can combine many modification types into a single modification request in eMod. For example, you can combine changing an authorized negotiator, email address, phone number, etc. into one mod.

Find eMod information and training in the GSA Vendor Support Center (VSC) and on the eOffer website. Whoever initiates modification requests via the eMod process must be an authorized negotiator.

The eOffer/eMod Help Center provides step-by-step instructions on how to submit a mod. The eOffer/eMod Help Center can be accessed at https://eoffer.gsa.gov/AMSupport. We recommend using the Chrome browser for eMod.

Digital Certificates
You can’t enter a mod request in the eMod system without a current digital certificate. A digital certificate is an electronic credential that identifies a specific individual who is working for a specific organization. Learn how to obtain digital certificates at https://eoffer.gsa.gov/eoffer_docs/digital_cert.html. Your company should have more than one person identified as an authorized negotiator with a digital certificate.
c. Transactional Data Reporting Special Item Numbers

On June 23rd, 2016, GSA published a final rule to capture Transactional Data for procurements across MAS, which began the Transactional Data Reporting (TDR) pilot. Transactional Data Reporting acceptance is optional. But, if your contract has TDR and non-TDR applicable SINs and you have accepted TDR, your entire contract is subject to TDR terms and conditions for the remainder of the contract once you have accepted TDR.

Participation in TDR is voluntary. Once you decide to participate in the TDR pilot, you must continue to participate in TDR until the end of the pilot. You cannot opt out of TDR after you decide to opt in.

Commercial Sales Practices (CSP) disclosure is not required if you participate in TDR.

d. Contract Administration

Important: Not addressing the items below, if applicable, may prevent your mod request’s submission or processing.

Refreshes/Mass Mods
Your GSA Schedule contract is updated/refreshed periodically. A refresh also updates the terms and conditions of the Schedule solicitation, which in turn triggers a Mass Modification (Mass Mod) to every Schedule contract via email. Contractors must act on all outstanding Mass Mods.

Also, accepting all outstanding Mass Mods is a prerequisite for submitting a modification request. We will only consider mod requests from contractors who comply with the contract. All other mod requests will not be processed until all outstanding Mass Mods have been acted upon. You can check your compliance with Mass Mods here: https://mcm.fas.gsa.gov/.

If you have outstanding Mass Mods and need a new Personal Identification Number (PIN) to access the modification, please contact your Administrative Contracting Officer (ACO)/CO/CS. Find the point of contact information for your ACO on the VSC at: https://vsc.gsa.gov/tools/aco_ioa.cfm.

One of the considerations for exercising an option is that all Mass Mods are acted upon. The Government reserves the right not to exercise an option if contract terms and conditions are not met.

Subcontracting Plans and Reporting
Subcontracting plans need to be kept current. Expired subcontracting plans may hinder
your ability to process contract actions such as mod requests. Please submit the subcontracting plan and subcontracting reports on time. If you have questions regarding your subcontracting obligations under the Schedule contract, contact your assigned ACO/CO/CS.

**FAS Sales Reporting Portal (SRP)**

Ensure that sales are being reported and the Industrial Funding Fee (IFF) is being paid in a timely manner via the FAS Sales Reporting Portal [https://srp.fas.gsa.gov/](https://srp.fas.gsa.gov/).

**e. Requirements After a Mod is Executed**

**Schedules Input Program (SIP) Guidance**

When uploading your final GSA *Advantage!®* price lists in the Schedules Input Program (SIP), use the SIP "change" button to upload only the items being added, deleted, or updated. It is more efficient and provides a significantly lower risk of inadvertently damaging your established GSA *Advantage!®* portfolio and or file.

Do not hit the SIP "replace" button to upload your entire GSA contract portfolio after every mod. If you have questions concerning preparing and submitting your electronic catalog using the SIP, contact the VSC at 877-495-4849 (M-F 8:30-5:30 PM EST) or email vendor.support@gsa.gov.

Ensure the SIP file is accurate and reflects the most recent changes that have been approved by the CO/CS. Only upload approved contract items and/or services on GSA *Advantage!®*. Inform the CO/CS assigned to the contract of any pending changes. Most changes to your electronic catalog file require an approved modification of contract before you can update the changes in the SIP and uploaded on GSA *Advantage!®*.

Also, your GSA *Advantage!®* file must be current and up to date. Therefore, you must upload the SIP file at least every two years to avoid suspension in GSA *Advantage!®*.

Even if you have not had any changes to your products and/or service offerings, you must still update/verify/upload the file every two years. Otherwise, your electronic catalog file will be removed/suspended from GSA *Advantage!®*.

The SIP file (text file) on GSA *Advantage!®* should contain the complete GSA price list to include the cover page and terms and conditions as specified in clause I-FSS-600, Contract Price Lists, and any more information required by the Large Category attachment in the [MAS solicitation](https://www.fedbiz.gov/).

**f. Resources**

Here’s where to get help when preparing contract mod requests:

- See terms and conditions for each Large Category in the attachment to the [MAS solicitation](https://www.fedbiz.gov/).
Vendor Toolbox helps contractors learn more about the MAS process and requirements. Get Information about contract option mods is available here: https://vsc.gsa.gov/administration/modOptions.cfm#open

The Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) and General Services Administration Acquisition Regulation (GSAR) at https://www.acquisition.gov/

g. Templates
Please read the instructions when completing the standard templates to ensure you’ve completed the template correctly. If you don’t complete the template properly, your mod may be rejected or delayed.

i. I-FSS-600 Contract Price List
ii. Suggested Change of Name Agreement Format
iii. Suggested Legal Certification of Name Change Template
iv. Suggested Novation Agreement Format

Price Proposal Template (PPT)
In order to complete a mod for additions, deletions, pricing, or technical request, you must submit a PPT with two tabs, A and B.

1. Tab A: Includes all offerings. On this tab, include the data for ALL of your GSA offerings as though your modification request was already approved. This should be the entire universe of offerings. The purpose of this is to compare the current submission to the last approved and fully conformed copy of your contract up to the last modification's effective date. By populating this tab for all modifications, contractors will no longer need to keep extra spreadsheets for auditors or Industrial Operations Analysts (IOAs), or wonder what’s on your contract. All of the information on this sheet, once approved by your contracting officer, will be on your contract.

2. Tab B-changes (Δ): Include ONLY the items impacted by the modification. On this tab, provide the items to be modified (e.g. products to be added or deleted, updates to products and/or services, etc.)

3. EPA: Use these tabs, as applicable, when requesting a price increase or price decrease of any kind. You must still fill out tab A with your universe of offerings.

If there is a modification already in process at the time of a secondary modification request, note that there is a modification pending on the PPT.

h. Frequently Asked Questions
1. Has the mod process changed as a result of MAS Consolidation?
No, GSA continues to use existing policies and procedures to modify MAS contracts. This guide was developed from mod guidance for the legacy Schedules and is meant to
consolidate all modification guidance in one place. Now we have a resource that industry can use to know what to upload in eMod to allow the CO/CS to timely process modification requests.

2. **What are some common reasons a modification request is rejected?**
   - Items to be added are out of scope for the proposed/awarded SIN;
   - Duplicate items or part numbers on spreadsheet;
   - Adding items already on contract;
   - Essentially the same (ETS) products as AbilityOne items being added;
   - Math is incorrect on Price Proposal Template;
   - Pricing or discounts are incorrect;
   - Attempt to delete items that are not on contract;
   - Overhead is not included in the cost and is being charged separately;
   - Using non-standardized part numbers;
   - Proper type of mod is not chosen in GSA eMod system;
   - Incorrect documentation submitted with mod;
   - Irrelevant documentation submitted with mod;
   - All the required documentation is not initially submitted with modification request; and
   - Slow contractor response to CO’s/CS’s comments or requests.

3. **How long does it take to process a mod?**
   There is no set timeline for processing a mod. Our COs/CSs in the acquisition centers work diligently to process mods in a timely fashion. The amount of time it takes to award a mod largely depends on the COs/CSs workload, the documentation provided by the MAS contractor, and the responsiveness of the MAS contractor. On average, most modifications take 30-60 days with administrative modifications usually taking 2-3 weeks.
2. Administrative Modification Guidance

a. Administrative Modifications

Administrative modifications are subject to the unilateral right and discretion of the Government. A contractor will not be required to provide a digital signature after submitting an administrative mod request.

The following are common administrative mods:

- Address change
- Contract administrator/Point of Contact (POC) or authorized negotiator change
- Email address change
- Fax change
- Industrial Funding Fee (POC) change
- Points of Contact (POCs) for manufacturers, dealers, resellers, agents changes
- Order Point of Contact (POC) change
- Telephone number change
- Website address change

When you submit a mod request for an administrative mod, the CO will be notified. Once the CO has reviewed the request, you will receive an email that the mod has been approved or rejected.

Multiple administrative mod types can be combined into a single mods; for example, you can combine changing an authorized negotiator, email address, phone number, etc. into one mod. The eMod Help Center can help you.

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Administrative Modification request.

b. Address Change

This mod type will update the company address. A change to your address in SAM (https://www.sam.gov/SAM/) record will automatically initiate an address change mod in the eMod system. Even minor changes in punctuation, such as St. vs St vs. Street will generate an eMod. Address data entry must be consistent in sam.gov and eMod. The next time eMod is accessed, you will be notified of the address change. You will be required to confirm the new address and will be prompted to apply the new address to any other GSA Schedule contracts that the company may hold. An automatic Rapid Action Modification (RAM) will be sent to your CO to incorporate the change into your contract. The RAM will not change the list of current Authorized Negotiators or Contact for Contract Administration. If the address change is related
to a novation and the unique entity identified (e.g., Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number) changes, please see the guidance related to novations.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**
- FAR 43.103(b) Types of contract modifications
- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)
- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)

**c. Contract Administrator/Point of Contact (POC) or Authorized Negotiator**
The Contract Administrator/POC modification type updates the name of the contract administrator. Email your ACO/CO/CS to let him/her know that your POC has been updated. When personnel changes result in a new POC, that new individual may also need to be added as an Authorized Negotiator.

The Authorized Negotiator mod type updates information that changes for an authorized negotiator. This includes removing an outdated Authorized Negotiator, adding a new negotiator, or updating spelling or punctuation of a name to match the digital certificate. When there is not currently a valid Authorized Negotiator on a contract, email a request from a company officer on company letterhead to the assigned CO/CS.

**Note:** You should have at least two persons with digital certificates listed as Authorized Negotiators who are authorized to sign. While you may use consultants, one Authorized Negotiator should be an employee of the contractor.

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**Contract Administrator/POC or Authorized Negotiator Mod Checklist:**

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<td>Provide a copy of the digital certificate, which must show the Authorized Negotiator’s full name and company email address, if applicable.</td>
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**d. Other Administrative Modifications**

For the following mod requests, please follow the prompts for updating this information in eMod:

- Email Address Change
- Fax Change
- Industrial Funding Fee Point of Contact (POC)
- Points of Contact (POCs) for Manufacturers, Dealers, Resellers, Agents
- Order Point of Contact (POC)
- Telephone Number Change
- Website Address Change

**Note:** The Industrial Funding Fee POC mod type will update any information seen in the Federal Acquisition Service (FAS) Sales Reporting Portal (SRP).

**Note:** For the website address change modification type, a change to your website address in [SAM](https://www.sam.gov) will automatically initiate a Website Address Change modification in eMod. The next time you login to eMod, you will be notified of the website address change. You will be required to confirm the new website address and will be prompted to apply the new website address to any other GSA Schedule contracts that the company may hold. An automatic RAM will be sent to your CO to incorporate the change into your contract. The generated mod will not change the list of current Authorized Negotiators or contact for contract administration.
3. Additions Modification Guidance

Adding Items to Your Contract

You can add more SINs, new models, new brands, products and/or services to your MAS contract through a mod request. New items and/or services will not be added to the contract until the CO/CS can determine that the prices offered are “fair and reasonable,” the items are within scope of the given SIN(s), and your mod request is otherwise responsive to the solicitation requirements. Some SINs have special submission instruction requirements. Refer to the MAS solicitation and Large Category Attachment for specifically required documentation.

Dealers and Resellers

If the manufacturer and the brand offered is not already awarded under the current contract, clause I-FSS-644 DEALERS AND SUPPLIERS (OCT 1988) requires companies to provide a Letter of Supply (LOS) from the manufacturer and, if applicable, the official distributor for each new brand offered. See the Available Offerings and Requirements page for the Letter of Supply template or otherwise provide evidence of an uninterrupted source of supply from which to satisfy the Government’s requirements for the contract period.

Trade Agreements Act (TAA) Compliance

Unless otherwise specified, the trade agreements outlined in 52.225-5 TRADE AGREEMENTS (AUG 2018) apply to all items in the Schedule and you must certify each end product, except those listed in paragraph (b) of provision 52.225-6 TRADE AGREEMENTS CERTIFICATE (MAY 2014), is a U.S.-made or designated country end product, as defined in clause 52.225-5 TRADE AGREEMENTS (AUG 2018). A list of the designated countries can also be found in clause 52.225-5 TRADE AGREEMENTS (AUG 2018).

Ancillary Supplies and/or Services

Ancillary supplies and/or services (SIN ANCILLARY under Miscellaneous Large Category) are in support of supplies and services which are not within the scope of any other SIN on the Schedule contract. These supplies and/or services may only be ordered in conjunction with, or in support of, supplies and/or services purchased under another SIN(s). Items that are awarded under SIN ANCILLARY are required to provide a total solution for a customer requirement. This SIN may be used for orders and Blanket Purchase Agreements (BPAs) that involve work or a project that is solely associated with the supplies and/or services purchased under the Schedule. This SIN excludes stand-alone purchases that are exclusively for supplies and/or services already available under the Schedule. The Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS) may be applicable to the services offered under SIN ANCILLARY. If applicable, the following language shall be included at the end or beginning of each detailed position description: “Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS) labor categories must be incidental to,
and used solely to support a contractor’s product or service offerings, and cannot be purchased separately.”

**SCLS**

You must identify SCLS labor categories as a part of your price proposal. The solicitation price proposal instructions require you to:

- “Indicate which proposed labor categories are subject to the SCLS by placing a double asterisk (**) next to the labor category name.”
- Map the identified SCLS labor categories to the SCLS-equivalent labor category title (titles/descriptions available at [https://www.gsa.gov/mascategoryrequirements](https://www.gsa.gov/mascategoryrequirements)).
- Identify the wage determination number that the labor categories offered are predicated on. The applicable revision number for any wage determination number is the revision number identified on the first page of the wage determination. Wage determinations are incorporated at the Schedule level and can be found at [https://www.gsa.gov/mascategoryrequirements](https://www.gsa.gov/mascategoryrequirements). The SCLS Matrix generated in eMod will capture this information.

**Commercial Supplier Agreements (CSA), End User Licensing Agreement (EULA), Terms of Service (TOS)**

If an addition modification includes submitting Commercial Supplier Agreements (CSAs), End User License Agreements (EULAs), Terms of Service (ToS), or other similar legal instruments or agreements, these documents must be reviewed and approved by GSA’s Office of General Counsel or the CO/CS prior to award of the modification. Contractors shall clearly define what products and services are included in the CSA and submit the document in an editable format.

Click [here](https://www.gsa.gov/mascategoryrequirements) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Addition Modification request.

**a. Add Professional Services/Labor Category or Training**

Click [here](https://www.gsa.gov/mascategoryrequirements) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Add Professional Services/Labor Category or Training Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)
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| 1       | Signed and dated Cover Letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the rationale for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
  - TAA Compliant Statement  
  - GSA Basic Discount  
  - Quantity/Volume Discount, if applicable  
  - Other Discount/Concessions, if applicable  
  - Pricing Escalation Standard, if applicable  
  - Commercial Sales Practice (CSP) statement, see Item No. 2 below, if applicable  
  - Solicitation refresh number  
  - Estimated change in contract value  
  - Statement that items being added are not identical/substantially similar to previously deleted items that had a lower Schedule price  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” | |
| 2       | Updated Commercial Sales Practice Format (CSP-1, CSP template), if applicable. Information shall be completed and submitted in eMod.  
  If there are no changes to the CSP-1, that should be noted in the cover letter.  
  CSP is NOT required if participating in TDR under applicable TDR SIN(s). | |
| 3       | Services and Training Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. See additional information below and instructions in attached PPT.  
  **Note:** There could be additional category specific templates, such as those for the Travel and Transportation and Logistics Large Categories. See Large Category guidance in the appendix. | |
<p>| 4       | SCLS Matrix, if applicable. | |
| 5       | Professional services, SCLS and/or non-SCLS labor category, training course, or support products descriptions of items being added, if applicable, including education and experience, if applicable. (see additional information below). | |
| 6       | Professional Compensation Plan setting forth salaries and fringe benefits proposed for the professional employees who will work under the contract in accordance with FAR 52.222-46 Evaluation of Compensation for Professional | |</p>
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| 8       | Supporting Pricing Documentation:  
- Provide Commercial Price List (CPL) with effective date or Market Rate Sheet  
- Include one or more of the following:  
  - Provide a sampling of invoices for each item affected by the modification that shows the price  
  - Quote sheets  
  - Previously awarded contracts/orders (government or commercial contracts), Internal Labor Rates, etc. showing the prices, items and item descriptions  
  - Cost-build detail for contracts awarded under a cost-build methodology  

Supporting documentation is not required from contractors participating in TDR at the time of submission of modification request. However, if a CO/CS cannot determine that the prices are fair and reasonable, the CO/CS may request additional information from the contractor in accordance with GSAM 538.270-2. For more information check with your CO/CS. (see additional information below) |                     |
| 9       | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage!® after the completion of the modification. (Reference I-FSS-600 CONTRACT PRICE LISTS (OCT 2016)). Highlight the items you propose to add. |                     |

The following group of paragraphs provide additional detail to the requirements table above.

1) Services and Training Proposal Price Template (PPT) (see Item No. 3 above)
   a) The PPT is not in eMod. You will need to upload it to the system as a separate attachment. We will only accept the current version of the PPT. Including any other version may result in rejection
   b) Proposed prices must represent fully burdened rates inclusive of all cost factors (e.g., direct labor, indirect labor, General and Administrative (G&A) expenses, profit, and Industrial Funding Fee (IFF))
Note: Do not reformat or change the PPT. Formulas must be seen in the spreadsheet. The PPT needs to be completed and submitted in exactly the same format incorporated in the template or we will reject your mod request.

You must submit the PPT Microsoft Office Excel format. The proposed pricing structure must be consistent with the offeror’s commercial practices. You must clearly identify pricing as based either on a "Commercial Price List" or a "Commercial Market Price," as defined in FAR 2.101 (see "Catalog Price" and "Market Prices" under the definition of "Commercial Item").

(A) For Non-TDR, if the Most Favored Customer (MFC) or Basis of Award customer is a Federal agency, but sales exist to commercial customers, identify which, if any, of the commercial customers receive the offeror’s best price. This will allow the Government to establish a "basis of award" customer in accordance with 552.238-81 Price Reductions (May 2019).

(B) Proposed prices must include the 0.75% IFF. This fee will be included in the awarded prices and reflected in the total amount charged to ordering activities.

For Non-TDR, provide supporting documentation for EACH proposed product/service price. Supporting pricing documentation may consist of published and publicly available commercial catalogs/price lists, copies of invoices, contracts, quote sheets, etc.. They must be submitted with the offer.

There must be a clear and relevant relationship between the supporting document and the proposed price it is meant to substantiate.

Each supporting document must be clearly labeled with the name of the corresponding proposed product/service.

The offeror must submit a detailed price narrative containing sufficient information for each of the products/services offered to enable the contracting officer to determine that offered prices are fair and reasonable. For example, if the price offered to GSA is not equal to or better than the price offered to the offeror's designated MFC or Basis of Award customer, the narrative must explain the rationale for proposing such a price in a way sufficient to enable the contracting officer to determine that the rate is fair and reasonable.

You must explain any deviation from your commercial sales practices, including the specific circumstances and frequency of the deviations. You must also propose a mechanism for future price adjustments, as detailed below:
(A) If pricing proposed in the PPT is based on a commercial price list, submit a copy of the company's current price list with date pricing took effect, or catalog. A standard rate sheet may be requested (this must be an existing, standalone document, and not prepared for purposes of this solicitation). Future price adjustments for pricing based on a commercial price list are subject to clause 552.216-70 Economic Price Adjustment – FSS Multiple Award Schedule Contracts.

OR

(B) If pricing proposed in the PPT is based on commercial market prices, future price adjustments are subject to clause I-FSS-969 Economic Price Adjustment – FSS Multiple Award Schedule. The offeror must either propose a fixed annual escalation rate or identify a relevant market indicator (e.g., the Bureau of Labor Statistics Employment Cost Index).

OR

(C) The PPT is not required for contractors who used a cost build methodology to award their contract rates (i.e. a detailed breakdown of the cost elements and proposed profit used to calculate the proposed GSA rate), not prices offered to other customers.

2) SCLS Matrix (see Item No. 4 above)
For each SCLS covered contract labor category or fixed price service, complete the following information in the spreadsheet format directly in eMod (labor categories shown are for example purposes).

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<td>Administrative Assistant</td>
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3) Professional Services Descriptions, SCLS and/or non-SCLS Labor Category Descriptions, Training Course Descriptions, and or Service Descriptions. (see table Item No. 5 above)

This is a separate document other than the PPT or SCLS Matrix spreadsheets. This description document shall include:

a) Labor Category Descriptions
   i) Detailed position description (include functional responsibilities)
   ii) Minimum years of experience
   iii) Minimum years of education/degree requirements
   iv) Applicable training/certification requirements
   v) If it is the Offeror’s standard commercial practice to substitute experience for education, provide an explanation of the methodology in use (e.g., five years’ experience equates to a BA/BS degree)
   vi) Copy of offeror’s policy that addresses uncompensated overtime (52.237-10 IDENTIFICATION OF UNCOMPENSATED OVERTIME (MAR 2015) if not already included in the contract
   vii) Economic Price Adjustment mechanism
   viii) Identify labor categories that are subject to under Service Contract Labor Standard (SCLS):
       (1) Include SCLS Equivalent Code and Title
       (2) Wage Determination Number

b) Training Courses
   i) Title
   ii) Brief description of the course including major course objectives
   iii) Length of Course (number of hours/days)
   iv) Min/Max number of participants, and the price for additional students above maximum or below minimum, if applicable
   v) Support materials provided as part of the course (e.g., training manuals, CDs, DVDs.)

c) Fixed Price Services (including Professional Services)
   i) Description of each service, demonstrating how each service is within the scope of the applicable SIN and sufficient detail to ensure ordering agencies have enough information to know what they are buying

4) Professional Compensation Plan (see Items No. 6 above)

If the original offer or a subsequent mod did not contain a Professional Compensation Plan because no professional services were previously proposed, you must submit a Professional Compensation Plan according to clause 52.222-46 Evaluation of Compensation for Professional Employees (Feb 1993). Individual compensation disclosure is not required. Submission of the general compensation practices printed in the contractor’s employee handbook is generally enough if the handbook sets forth
salary ranges and fringe benefits proposed for the professional employees who will work under the contract.

5) Supporting Price Documentation (see Item No. 8 above)
You can propose separate rates for “domestic” versus “overseas” and/or “customer facility” versus “contractor facility” if there are variations in costs that depend on where the work is performed. Rates proposed in this manner must be clearly labeled as such. Provide invoices or receipts to demonstrate actual prices paid for each new labor category so the Contracting Officer can make a reasonable determination that items have been sold commercially. Supporting documentation is not required from contractors participating in TDR at the time of submission of modification request. However, if a CO/CS cannot determine if the prices are fair and reasonable, they may request more information. For more information, check with your CO/CS.

b. Add Product(s)
Before adding products, please review “Made in America”, “Trade Agreements Act”, and “Essentially the Same (ETS)” requirements for products in the MAS solicitation.

If you are an Ability One distributor, please check the Ability One Procurement List to ensure that as a contractor you are not offering or adding a product to your offerings or contract that is covered by the Ability One Procurement List. Items that are similar to any items on the Ability One Procurement List will be considered Essentially the Same (ETS). Contractors found to have items that are ETS will have to remove these products from their offerings immediately. Repeat ETS offending contractors may have their contracts cancelled or not considered for exercising of future options.

As defined by the Ability One Commission, ETS is defined as a descriptive term for commodities (not applicable to critical or weapon system related items) that are comparable in all the prominent physical, functional, or performance characteristics to items on the Ability One Procurement List. This includes but is not limited to form, fit, and function sufficient to enable interchangeability. Form includes ETS similarity in appearance, shape, size, dimension, design, color, texture, environmental characteristics, quality, and/or other features. Fit pertains to the ability to physically interface, connect or integrate with other parts. Function entails the intended use of the product.

Note: An Ability One Commission determination of ETS does not mean and will not be interpreted to mean the product/item is "exactly" the same.

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Add Products Modification request.
Modification Authority (see **MAS solicitation**):
- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014)
  (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019) 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY
  SCHEDULE) (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)

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| 1        | Signed and dated Cover Letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the rationale for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
  - TAA Compliant Statement or TAA Country of Origin (COO) Certificate in accordance with 52.225-6 TRADE AGREEMENTS CERTIFICATE (MAY 2014)  
  - GSA Basic Discount  
  - Quantity/Volume Discount, if applicable  
  - Other Discount/Concessions, if applicable  
  - Delivery After Receipt of Order (ARO)  
    Normal: Days ARO  
    Expedited: Days ARO  
  - Freight on Board (FOB) Terms, e.g. Destination or Origin  
  - Commercial Sales Practice (CSP) statement, see checklist Item No. 3 below, if applicable  
  - Energy Star Compliant Statement, if applicable  
  - Solicitation refresh number  
  - Estimated change in contract value  
  - Statement that items being added are not identical/substantially similar to previously deleted items that had a lower Schedule price  
  - Identify any hazardous material to be delivered under this contract. (52.223-3 Hazardous Material Identification and Material Safety Data (Jan 1997) Alternate I (July1995)), if applicable.  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                     |
<p>| 2        | Commercial Supplier Agreements (CSAs), End User License Agreements (EULAs), Terms of Service (ToS), if applicable. |                     |
| 3        | Updated Commercial Sales Practice Format (CSP-1, CSP Template) (if |                     |</p>
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<td>Provide a signed <strong>Letter or Supply</strong> (LOS), if the contractor is not the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM). Only provide if LOS is currently not on file for this supplier.</td>
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<td>Commercial Price List with effective date showing the prices, items and item descriptions.</td>
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<td>Product Literature/Technical Information. Note: there could be more category-specific templates. Please see Large Category guidance in the <strong>MAS Solicitation</strong>.</td>
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| 8       | Supporting Pricing Documentation:  
  - Provide Commercial Price List (CPL) with effective date  
  - Include one or more of the following:  
    - Provide a sampling of invoices for each item affected by the modification that shows the price  
    - Quote sheets  
    - Previously awarded contracts/orders (government or commercial contracts), showing the prices, items and item descriptions  

Supporting documentation is not required from contractors participating in TDR at the time of submission of modification request. However, if a CO/CS cannot determine that the prices are fair and reasonable, the CO/CS may request more information from the contractor in accordance with GSAM 538.270-2. For more information, check with your CO/CS. (see additional information below) |                   |
| 9       | Entire updated and GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage! after the completion of the modification. (Reference **I-FSS-600** - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS (OCT 2016)). Highlight the items proposed to add. |                   |
1) **Supporting Price Documentation (see table Item No. 8 above)**

Provide invoices or receipts to show actual prices paid so the Contracting Officer can make a reasonable determination that items have been sold commercially. Supporting documentation is not required from contractors participating in TDR at the time of submission of modification. However, if a CO/CS cannot determine if the prices are fair and reasonable, they may request more information from the contractor. For more information, check with the CO/CS.

c. **Add a SIN**

If a product, service, or solution a contractor wants to add to their contract offerings falls under a SIN not awarded to their contract, the contractor must add the applicable SIN to their contract in order to add the product, service, or solution.

GSA reserves the right to reject or ask the company to withdraw an Add SIN modification, if we find the SIN is already under another MAS contract owned by the company.

**Transactional Data Reporting**

If your contract has TDR and non-TDR applicable SINs and you have accepted TDR, your entire contract is subject to TDR terms and conditions for the remainder of the contract. Once you have accepted TDR, Commercial Sales Practices (CSP) disclosure is not required.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Add SIN Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**


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| 1       | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the reason for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
- Applicability of Cooperative Purchasing or Disaster Recovery Purchasing                                                                 |                    |
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|         | ○ **Note:** Cooperative Purchasing applies to IT products, services, and solutions and law enforcement and security products, services, and solutions.  
  • Place of Performance (FAR 52.215-6 PLACE OF PERFORMANCE (OCT 1997))  
  • Solicitation refresh number  
  • Estimated change in contract value  
  • Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                     |
| 2       | SIN-specific Commercial Sales Practice Format (CSP-1, CSP Template) (if applicable). Complete information and submit it in eMod.  
  CSP is NOT required if participating in TDR pilot under applicable TDR SIN. |                     |
| 3       | Relevant Project Experience: project list and descriptions for relevant project(s) (include Statements of Work). (see SCP-FSS-001 and additional information below). |                     |
| 4       | If adding Professional Service, Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS) and/or Non-SCLS Labor Category, Course, and/or Service Offerings, follow the steps in that section.  
  **Note:** If there are no new Labor categories associated with the Add SIN mod request, submit a Services and Training Price Proposal Template to show which labor categories apply to the SIN being added.  
  **Note:** If you are adding one or more labor categories/services to a SIN that are already on your contract that are simply being mapped to the new SIN, you do not need to submit a modification request to add Professional Service, Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS) and/or Non-SCLS Labor Category, Course, and/or Service Offerings. |                     |
| 5       | If adding Products, follow the steps in that section. |                     |
| 6       | SIN-specific submission instructions and requirements (see additional information below). |                     |
| 7       | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage!® after the completion of the modification. (Reference I-FSS-600 - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS (OCT 2016)). Highlight the items you propose for addition. |                     |
1) Relevant Project Experience (see table Item No. 2 above)

The contractor must submit a narrative demonstrating relevant project experience by responding to the Relevant Project Experience prompts in eMod. A narrative is required for each proposed services SIN when proposing services and must include the following:

(A) A description of one (1)\(^1\) relevant project, not to exceed four (4) pages per project. Each description must clearly indicate the SIN to which it applies, and identify the specific services being proposed under that SIN. The projects must either have been completed within the last two years or be ongoing. For ongoing contracts with a base year and option years, at a minimum, the base year must have been completed; for multi-year task orders, at a minimum, the first year must have been completed. Note: Specific services may have more requirements under Factor Four - Relevant Project Experience. Offerors shall also refer to NAICS or category-specific instructions, for additional Relevant Project Experience requirements.

The project description must also address the following elements:

1. Detailed description of SIN relevant work performed and results achieved
2. Methodology, tools, and/or processes utilized in performing the work
3. Demonstration of compliance with any applicable laws, regulations, Executive Orders, OMB Circulars, professional standards, etc.
4. Project schedule (i.e., major milestones, tasks, deliverables), including an explanation of any delays
5. How the work performed is similar in scope and complexity to the work solicited under the proposed SIN
6. Demonstration of required specific experience and/or special qualifications detailed under the proposed SIN.

The Offeror may use the same project in support of more than one SIN as long as the description clearly identifies the SIN relevant work. All examples of completed services must have been deemed acceptable by the customer.

(B) For each project description, must also provide the following customer reference information (this data is not counted towards the four-page-per-project limitation):

1. Customer/client name
2. Project name/contract number
3. Customer point of contact for project
4. Point of contact phone number and email

\(^1\) For Information Technology (2) relevant project experiences are required. See Information Technology Large Category Attachment in the MAS Solicitation
(5) Project performance period (include begin/end dates)
(6) Dollar value of the entire project
(7) Dollar value received for the work performed relevant to the SIN offered
(8) Brief summary of the project as a whole (i.e., background, purpose, etc.)
(9) A completed copy of the Statement of Work, Performance Work Statement or Statement of Objectives for the project

(C) If relevant project experience does not exist, the Offeror may substitute the relevant projects of predecessor companies or key personnel that will be performing major aspects of the work. If the Offeror chooses to make such a substitution, the narratives must clearly identify the entity or personnel that performed the services.

2) SIN-specific Submission Instructions and Requirements (see table Item No. 6 above)
The following two SINs (ANCRA and 238910) have the below scope applicability rules.

SIN ANCRA can only be chosen if a SIN under one of the below authorized subcategories is currently awarded on your contract:
- Facilities Maintenance and Repair
- Facilities Supplies
- Facilities Solutions
- Facilities Services
- Furniture Services
- Machinery and Components
- Industrial Products
- Structures
- Logistical Services

SIN 238910 can only be chosen if a SIN under one of the below authorized subcategories is currently awarded on your contract:
- Industrial Products
- Structures
4. Deletions Modification Guidance

Deletion Modifications
If products, services, or SIN(s) are being discontinued or no longer sold to the Government, you must submit a delete mod request. The Government reserves the right to reject any subsequent offer for the same item or a substantially similar item at a higher price during the same contract period.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Deletion Modification request.

a. Delete Professional and Non-Professional Services, Labor Category, Course, or Service Offerings

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Delete Professional and Non-Professional Services, Labor Category, Course, or Service Offerings Modification request.

Modification Authority (see [MAS solicitation](#)):
- For TDR contracts: 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)
- For Non-TDR contracts: 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)

Delete Professional and Non-Professional Services/Labor Category, Course, or Service Offerings Mod Checklist:

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b. Delete Product(s)

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Delete Product(s) Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

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- For Non-TDR contracts: 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)

or

- 52.225-5 TRADE AGREEMENTS (AUG 2018)

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  ● Statement: “The items being deleted will not be added at a later date with a higher price without justification for such higher price.”  
  ● Statement, “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                  |
| 2        | Product Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. See instructions in PPT attachment. |                  |
| 3        | Entire updated GSA Schedule price list showing the entire contract portfolio that will be displayed on GSA Advantage® after the completion of the modification. |                  |
### c. Delete SIN

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Delete SIN Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see [MAS solicitation](#))**:
- For TDR contracts: 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)
- For Non-TDR contracts: 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)

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  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                   |
| 2        | If deleting Labor Category, Course, and/or Service Offerings, see [Delete Labor Category, Course and/or Service Offerings section](#) of modification guidance. |                   |
| 3        | If deleting Products, see [Delete Products section](#) of modification guidance. |                   |
| 4        | Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. See instructions in PPT attachment. |                   |
| 5        | Entire updated GSA Schedule price list showing the entire contract portfolio that will be displayed on GSA Advantage® after the completion of the modification. The format shall be the same as the Product PPT or Services and Training PPT showing your entire GSA Catalog. Highlight the items you propose to delete. |                   |
5. Pricing Modifications

Is a Commercial Price List (CPL) Right for You?

FAR 2.101(a)(6) defines two types of pricing lists:

(i) “Catalog price” means a price included in a catalog, price list, schedule, or other form that is regularly maintained by the manufacturer or vendor, it is either published or otherwise available for inspection by customers, and states prices at which sales are currently, or were last, made to a significant number of buyers constituting the general public; and

(ii) “Market prices” means current prices that are established in the course of ordinary trade between buyers and sellers free to bargain and that can be substantiated through competition or from sources independent of the offerors.

There are several questions which can help you determine whether or not CPL is the appropriate method of escalation for you.

1. Do you consider your price list proprietary? A CPL is commercially/publicly available. Therefore if the answer is yes, you do not have a CPL according to FAR 2.101.

2. Are your prices publicly available (e.g. published on your company’s website or in a published catalog) If not, you do not have a CPL according to FAR 2.101.

3. Are you currently charging the prices published in your CPL? If your prices are based on market conditions rather than a fixed price list, you do not have a CPL according to FAR 2.101.

If the answer to any of these three questions indicates that you do not really have a CPL as defined above, then you may request to change your method of escalation to Economic Price Adjustments (EPA) based on Market Pricing under I-FSS-969.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Pricing Modification request.

a. EPA Increase based on a Commercial Price List

This type of modification is used to increase pricing for previously awarded items when a contractor’s pricing is based on a commercial price list. An EPA increase should only be requested if you have increased your commercial list price. You must also ensure that the GSA price increase is in line with the basis of award in your GSA contract. If you have not increased your List/Retail pricing to your commercial customers, you cannot increase the pricing on your GSA Contract.
If the price increase requested is not considered fair and reasonable, the Government will deny or negotiate in part, or in whole, the EPA request.

For products, when the contractor requesting the price increase is other than the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM), submit a notice from a manufacturer or supplier regarding price increases and a copy of the revised OEM price list.

In accordance with (IAW) SCP-FSS-001 INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL NEW OFFERORS Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS), escalation was clarified and all non-professional labor categories (SCLS covered) shall be escalated IAW 52.222-43 FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT AND SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS PRICE ADJUSTMENT (MULTIPLE YEAR AND OPTION CONTRACTS).

In addition to clause 52.222-43, one of the following two methods of escalation will be awarded, I-FSS-969 or 552.216-70. If your contract was awarded prior to SCP-FSS-001 INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL OFFERORS (SEP 2019), be sure to request another method of escalation for your non-exempt labor categories.

Note: when requesting a pricing modification, you cannot change your Most Favored Customer/Basis of Award (MFC/BOA) or GSA basic discount. If you determine that you need to update your discount structure, submit a Revise Terms and Conditions modification request before submitting your pricing modification request.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your EPA Increase based on a Commercial Price List Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**
If GSA prices are based on a Commercial Price List:
- For TDR Contracts: 552.216-70 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT – FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE CONTRACTS (SEP 1999) (DEVIATION II – JUL 2016)
- 52.222-43 FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT AND SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS PRICE ADJUSTMENT (MULTIPLE YEAR AND OPTION CONTRACTS) (AUG 2018)

**Note:** It is possible for both clauses 552.216-70 (Commercial Price List) (both referenced above) and I-FSS-969 (Market Prices) (referenced above) to apply to one contract. For example, if a contractor has a services SIN (and discloses to the Government that they do not have a commercially published price list) and also has a products SIN (and discloses to the
Government that they do have a commercial published price list for products). In this case, both clauses would apply to one contract. Clause 52.222-43 Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Labor Standards Price Adjustment (Multiple Year and Option Contracts) (Aug 2018) applies where the SCLS applies.

EPA Increase based on a Commercial Price List Mod Checklist:

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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the rationale for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
- Background information regarding your current prices, the applicable wage determination price levels (if applicable), and the increases necessary for your company.  
- Statement that you are requesting an Economic Price Adjustment (EPA) in accordance with EPA Clause 552.216-70. Identify the amount of EPA being requested, pursuant to the changes in the Commercial Price List (CPL).  
- Identify the amount of EPA being requested. **Note:** The percent increase cannot be greater than the annual cap in the contract.  
- Justification for the increase.  
  - If the EPA requested exceeds the allowable Ceiling Limit in Item No. 4 below, provide specific justification and attach supporting documentation to the cover letter.  
- Statement that your price increase will not go into effect until the Contracting Officer signs the completed modification.  
- Statement that all prices offered to GSA include the current IFF.  
- For Non-TDR only: Statement that Commercial Sales Practices (CSP) Information in accordance with 552.238-81 PRICE REDUCTIONS (May 2019) previously submitted with the initial award (or contract modification) or CSP-1 has not changed, if applicable. If CSP has changed, provide updated CSP-1 in eMod.  
- Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” | |
<p>| 2        | Commercial Price List (CPL) with effective date. | |
| 3        | Supporting Pricing Documentation (invoices, published and publicly available commercial catalogs/price lists, copies of invoices, contracts, quote sheets, pricing narrative, etc.). | |</p>
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<td>Price Proposal Template: You must fill in all cells of the applicable EPA Price Proposal Template (PPT). Any empty cells may cause the modification to be rejected. If the cell does not apply, please type in “N/A”. Do not leave the cell empty. The Price Proposal Template must be uploaded in eMod. Only the current version of the PPT as incorporated in the modification instructions will be accepted. Including any other version may result in rejection.</td>
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(2) No more than three increases will be considered during each succeeding 12-month period of the contract. (For succeeding contract periods of less than 12 months, up to three increases will be considered subject to the other conditions of this subparagraph (b)).  
(3) Increases are requested before the last 60 days of the contract period.  
(4) At least 30 days elapse between requested increases.” | | |
| The EPA Ceiling Limit for Non-TDR contracts is established as 4% for the Human Capital Category, 5% for the Professional Services Category, 5% for the Travel Category and 10% for all other Large Categories. | | |
| The Government reserves the right to raise the ceiling when market conditions during the contract period support such a change. | | |
| Note for TDR contracts: As per 552.216-70 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT – FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE CONTRACTS (SEP 1999) (DEVIATION II – JUL 2016). | | |
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**Note:** The percent increase cannot be greater than either: (i) the annual cap in the contract nor (ii) the percent increase between your awarded CPL and new CPL prices.

### b. EPA Increase without a Commercial Price List

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your EPA Increase without a Commercial Price List Modification request.

### EPA based on Market Pricing

Note: when requesting a pricing modification, you cannot change your Most Favored Customer/Basis of Award (MFC/BOA) or GSA basic discount. If you determine that you need to update your discount structure, submit a Revise Terms and Conditions modification request before submitting your pricing modification request.
If the price increase requested on market rates is not considered fair and reasonable, the Government will reject in part or in whole the EPA request. Price adjustments may be effective on or after the first 12 months of the contract period on the following basis:

1. Adjustments based on escalation rates negotiated before contract award: Normally, when escalation rates are negotiated, it results in a fixed price for the term of the contract. No separate contract modification will be provided when increases are based on negotiated escalation rates. Price increases will be effective on the 12-month anniversary date of the contract effective date.

2. Adjustments based on an agreed-upon market indicator before award: The market indicator, as used in this clause, means the originally released public index, public survey or other public-based market indicator that is not seasonally adjusted. Any price adjustment shall be based on the percentage change in the designated (i.e., indicator identification and date) market indicator from the initial award to the latest available as of the anniversary date of the contract effective date. If the market indicator is discontinued or deemed no longer available or reliable by the Government, the Government and the Contractor will mutually agree to a substitute. The contract modification reflecting the price adjustment will be effective upon approval by the CO.

**Note:** The market indicator generally recommended by GSA is The Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Table 5 Compensation (not seasonally adjusted): Employment Cost Index for total compensation, for private industry workers, by occupational group and industry. Select the occupational/industry group that is most relevant to your business/organization. [https://www.bls.gov/news.release/eci.t05.htm](https://www.bls.gov/news.release/eci.t05.htm)

In accordance with (IAW) SCP-FSS-001 INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL NEW OFFERORS Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS), escalation was clarified and all non-professional labor categories (SCLS covered) shall be escalated IAW 52.222-43 FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT AND SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS PRICE ADJUSTMENT (MULTIPLE YEAR AND OPTION CONTRACTS).

In addition to clause 52.222-43, one of the following two methods of escalation will be awarded: I-FSS-969 or 552.216-70.

If your contract was awarded prior to SCP-FSS-001 INSTRUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL OFFERORS (SEP 2019), be sure to request an additional method of escalation for your non-exempt labor categories.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

GSA prices are based on Market Rates:
For TDR Contracts: I-FSS-969 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (OCT 2014) (ALTERNATE II - JUL 2016)

For Non-TDR Contracts: I-FSS-969 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT-FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (OCT 2014)

52.222-43 FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT AND SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS PRICE ADJUSTMENT (MULTIPLE YEAR AND OPTION CONTRACTS)

52.222-41 SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS (AUG 2018)

Note: If at the time of award an escalation rate under Clause I-FSS-969 was negotiated into the contract, you don’t need to do a separate modification request to increase pricing.

Note: It is possible for both clauses 552.216-70 (Commercial Price List) and I-FSS-969 (Market Prices) to apply to one contract. For example, a contractor has a services Special Item Number (and discloses to the Government that they do not have a commercially published price list) and also has a products SIN (and discloses to the Government that they do have a commercial published price list for products). In this case, both clauses would apply to one contract. In all cases, 52.222-43 Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Labor Standards Price Adjustment (Multiple Year and Option Contracts) (Aug 2018) applies where the Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS) applies.

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- A statement acknowledging that your price increase will not go into effect until the Contracting Officer signs the completed modification.
- Statement that all prices offered to GSA include the current IFF.
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- Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.”

Price Proposal Template: You must fill in all cells of the applicable EPA Price Proposal Template (PPT). Any empty cells may cause the modification to be rejected. If the cell does not apply, please type in “N/A”. Do not leave the cell empty. Currently this form is not in eMod and you will need to upload it to the system as a separate attachment. Only the current version of the pricing worksheet as incorporated in the modification instructions will be accepted. Including any other version may result in rejection.

**Note:** As per 552.216-70 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT – FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE CONTRACTS (SEP 1999) (ALTERNATE I – SEP 1999)(DEVIATION II – JUL 2016) and I-FSS-969 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (OCT 2014) (ALTERNATE II - JUL 2016), contractors may request price increases to be effective on or after the first 12 months of the contract period providing all of the following conditions are met:

**Note for Non-TDR contracts:** As per I-FSS-969 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT—FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (OCT 2014),

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1) **Market Indicator (see Item No. 2 above)**
   
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   To select the correct quarter to escalate by, you will select the appropriate indicator based on clause guidance identified in I-FSS-969(b)(2):

   “Any price adjustment shall be based on the percentage change in the designated (i.e. indicator identification and date) market indicator from the initial award to the latest available as of the anniversary date of the contract effective date”

   If the 1449 does not identify the most recent quarter based on award date you can find it on the Releases Calendar at [https://www.bls.gov/schedule/](https://www.bls.gov/schedule/). Below is an example of the release of the Employment Cost Index for December 2019.
As you can see, the 4th quarter 2019 index was not released until January 31 of 2020, which means a contract awarded January 31st of 2020 would be using the previous 3rd quarter Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) ECI average which would be 2.7% in this example.

Another example: If a contract was awarded May 13, 2014, what BLS quarter was it awarded under? The first quarter ECI was updated April 29, 2014 and since May is in the same quarter then the contract anniversary date for ECI would be 1st quarter.

c. EPA Increase Based on Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS)
Note: when requesting a pricing modification, you cannot change your Most Favored Customer/Basis of Award (MFC/BOA) or GSA basic discount. If you determine that you need to update your discount structure, submit a Revise Terms and Conditions modification request before submitting your pricing modification request.

Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):
- For TDR Contracts: I-FSS-969 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (OCT 2014) (ALTERNATE II - JUL 2016)
- For Non-TDR Contracts: I-FSS-969 ECONOMIC PRICE ADJUSTMENT-FSS MULTIPLE AWARD SCHEDULE (OCT 2014)
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**Note:** As per 552.216-70 Deviation II and I-FSS-969 Alt. II,  
“Contractors may request price increases to be effective on or after the first 12 months of the contract period providing all of the following conditions are met:  
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### d. Wage Determinations

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Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Wage Determination Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**
- 52.222-41(c)(3) SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS (AUG 2018)
52.222-43 FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT AND SERVICE CONTRACT LABOR STANDARDS PRICE ADJUSTMENT (MULTIPLE YEAR AND OPTION CONTRACTS) (AUG 2018)

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  ● Statement that you are requesting an Economic Price Adjustment (EPA) in accordance with EPA Clause I-FSS-969 or 52.222-43. Identify the amount of EPA being requested. **Note:** The percent increase cannot be greater than the annual cap in the contract.  
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| 2        | Copy of the Agreed Upon Market Indicator (see note below). | |
| 3        | Identify the current and new wage determinations (WD) by number, revision number, and date of last revision and provide the information showing how you calculated the changes in an Excel spreadsheet format so the reviewer can verify your calculations. | |
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e. **Price Reductions**

   Price reduction modifications can either be permanent or temporary.
Note: when requesting a pricing modification, you cannot change your Most Favored Customer/Basis of Award (MFC/BOA) or GSA basic discount. If you determine that you need to update your discount structure, submit a Revise Terms and Conditions modification request before submitting your pricing modification request.

**Permanent Price Reduction (Based on Most Favored Customer)**

Use this modification type if you would like to offer a permanent price reduction based on a change to your most favored customer, or basis of award if it is not the same as your most favored customer, pricing.

Note: when requesting a pricing modification, you cannot change your Most Favored Customer/Basis of Award (MFC/BOA) or GSA basic discount. If you determine that you need to update your discount structure, submit a Revise Terms and Conditions modification request before submitting your pricing modification request.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Permanent Price Reduction (Based on Most Favored Customer) Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**
- For Non-TDR Contracts: 552.238-81 PRICE REDUCTIONS (MAY 2019)

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  - Detailed description of your reduction including information regarding the "basis of award" upon which your GSA rates are based as well as any other information that may be relevant to the CO.  
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**Permanent Price Reduction (Industry Partner Requested)**

Voluntary permanent price reduction requests may be submitted at any time.

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**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

- For TDR Contracts: 552.238-81 PRICE REDUCTIONS (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)
- For Non-TDR Contracts: 552.238-81 PRICE REDUCTIONS (MAY 2019)

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| rationale for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
  - Statement acknowledging your price reduction will go into effect immediately and that you desire to set your start date as today’s date.  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” | |
| 2 | Commercial Sales Practice Format (CSP) (if applicable). CSP is not required if participating in TDR pilot under applicable TDR SIN.  
  When your Schedule contract prices are based on the rates offered to your Basis of Award customer, update your Schedule contract so your rates remain equal to or below that which is offered to other clients. | |
| 3 | Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. You must fill in all cells of the applicable EPA Price Proposal Template (PPT). See instructions in PPT attachment.  
  Currently this form is not in eMod and you will need to upload it to the system as a separate attachment. Only the current version of the PPT as incorporated in the modification instructions will be accepted. Including any other version will result in rejection. | |
| 4 | Commercial Price List with effective date. | |
| 5 | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage® after the completion of the modification.  
(Reference I-FSS-600 - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS). Highlight the impacted items. | |

### Temporary Price Reduction

In some cases, temporary price reductions may not require a modification. Check with your CO/CS before you submit temporary price reductions modification requests in eMod or SIP.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Temporary Price Reduction Modification request.

### Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):

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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the rationale for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
   - Statement acknowledging that your price reduction will go into effect immediately and that you desire to set your start date as today’s date.  
   - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                     |
| 2        | Commercial Sales Practice Format (CSP) (if applicable). CSP is not required if participating in TDR pilot under applicable TDR SIN.                                                                                   |                     |
| 3        | Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. You must fill in all cells of the applicable EPA Price Proposal Template (PPT). See instructions in PPT attachment.  
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| 4        | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage!® after the completion of the modification.  
   (Reference I-FSS-600 - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS). Highlight the impacted items. |                     |
6. Technical Modifications

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Technical Modification request.

a. Change in Geographic Coverage

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Change in Geographic Coverage Modification request.

Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):


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<td>● Narrative indicating the current and new designated geographic coverage area and the services and/or supplies to which the new designated area applies.</td>
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<td>● Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.”</td>
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b. Part(s) Number Change

Part number changes are for products that have the same function, and for models that have not had significant changes. Minor changes should not result in a price increase. Any significant changes to the products should be submitted as an “Add Products” modification type.

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Part(s) Number Change Modification request.

Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):

- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)
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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the reason for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
  - Descriptions and listing of old vs. new part numbers  
  - Whether the change is dealer or manufacturer part number change  
  - Confirmation that the part itself is not actually changing and it is a number change only  
  - Statement that the change will not result in a change to the GSA price.  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                     |
| 2        | Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. See instructions in PPT attachment.  
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| 3        | Document that verifies the part number change, such as a new manufacturer’s part/price list, screen shots from the manufacturer's website, a new dealer part/price list, etc. |                     |
| 4        | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage!® after the completion of the modification.  
  (Reference I-FSS-600 - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS (OCT 2016)). Highlight the items you propose for part number change(s). |                     |

**c. Product Descriptive Changes**
Product description changes are for minor changes to functional description. Minor changes should not result in a price increase. Any significant changes should be submitted as an “Add Product” modification type. This mod type is not for part/model number changes.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Product Descriptive Changes Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**
- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)
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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the rationale for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
  ● Statement that the change will not result in a change to the GSA price.  
  ● Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                                                                  |
| 2        | Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. See instructions in PPT attachment.  
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| 3        | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage!® after the completion of the modification.  
  (Reference I-FSS-600 - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS (OCT 2016)). Highlight the items proposed for product descriptive changes. |                                                                  |

**d. Service Descriptive Changes**
Service description changes are for revising education and/or work experience, and minor changes to functional descriptions. Minor changes should not result in a price increase. Any significant changes should be submitted as an “Add Professional Services/Labor Category or Training” modification type. This mod type is not for changing names of services or labor categories.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Service Descriptive Changes Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (APR 2014) (ALTERNATE II - MAY 2019)
- 552.238-82 MODIFICATION (FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE) (MAY 2019) (ALTERNATE I - MAY 2019)

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  - Statement that the change will not result in a change to the GSA price.  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                      |
| 2        | Price Proposal Template (PPT) showing the current information and the requested changes. See instructions in PPT attachment.  
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| 3        | Entire updated GSA Schedule Price List showing the entirety of awarded offerings and terms and conditions that will be displayed on GSA Advantage® after completing the modification.  
(Reference [I-FSS-600](#) - CONTRACT PRICE LISTS (OCT 2016)). Highlight the items you propose for service descriptive changes. |                      |
7. Terms and Conditions Modifications

Modifying Terms and Conditions
Terms and conditions modifications can be anything from changing the Most Favored Customer and proposing a new Basis of Award Customer due to an update in a contractor’s Commercial Sales Practice (CSP), to incorporating a Subcontracting Plan, to taking an exception to a clause.

The documentation you submit for each term and condition will depend on what terms and conditions changes you’re requesting. Generally speaking, if you cannot find an appropriate mod type for what you are trying to accomplish in eMod, choose a generic “Terms and Conditions” modification.

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Terms and Conditions Modification request.

a. Create/Manage Clause Exceptions

Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):

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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the reason for the request. Cover letter shall include:  
  ● Narrative with the clause(s) and the language to which you take exception and any edits you desire to provide.  
  ● Statement that the change will not result in a change to the GSA price.  
  ● Statement, “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |

b. Rerepresentation of Business Size
To be eligible for award as a “small business concern”, you must represent in good faith that you are a small business concern at the time of your written representation. A contractor that represented itself as a small business concern before contract award must rerepresent its size
status for the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code in the contract when any of the following happen:

- Within 30 days after executing a novation agreement or within 30 days after modifying the contract.
- Within 30 days after a merger or acquisition of the contractor that does not require novation or within 30 days after modifying the contract.
- Within 60 to 120 days before the date specified in the contract for exercising any option.

If you rerepresent your size status from other than small business to small business, you need to submit a modification request.

You must rerepresent your size status according to the size standard that corresponds to the NAICS code that was initially assigned to the contract.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Rerepresentation of Business Size Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

- 52.219-28 POST–AWARD SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REREPRESENTATION (JUL 2013)

Re-representation of Business Size Mod Checklist:

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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the reason for your request. Cover letter shall include:  
  - Reason for the business size representation, i.e., changing from small business to other than small business, or changing from other than small business to small business.  
  - Include preponderance of work NAICS code.  
  - Statement that the change will not result in a change to the GSA price.  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                     |
| 2        | Copy of current SAM.gov record. |                     |
c. Incorporate Subcontracting Plan (SubK) Modification

If you reorganize your size status from small business to other than small business, you must submit an “Incorporate Subcontracting Plan” mod request.

You can select one of the following Subcontracting Plan types:

- **Commercial plan** is a subcontracting plan (including goals) that covers the contractor’s fiscal year. Commercial plans apply to the entire production of commercial items sold by either the entire company or a portion thereof (e.g. division, plant, or product line). If you have a Commercial Subcontracting Plan, you must submit an eMod each year based on your company’s fiscal year.

- **Individual plan** is a subcontracting plan that covers the entire contract period (including option periods) and applies to a specific contract. The individual plan has goals that are based on the offeror’s planned subcontracting in support of the specific contract, except that indirect costs incurred for common or joint purposes may be allocated on a prorated basis to the contract.

- **Master plan** is a subcontracting plan that contains all the required elements of an individual subcontracting plan, except goals. Master plans may be incorporated into individual subcontracting plans, provided the master subcontracting plan has been approved.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Incorporate Subcontracting Plan (SubK) Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**
- 52.219-9 SMALL BUSINESS SUBCONTRACTING PLAN (AUG 2018) (ALTERNATE II – NOV 2016)

Incorporate Subcontracting Plan (SubK) Mod Checklist:

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<td>2</td>
<td>Complete the Small Business Subcontracting Plan Template in eMod (<a href="#">Model Subcontracting Plan Template</a>).</td>
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<td>If you are asking to incorporate an approved Commercial Subcontracting Plan, provide a copy of the signed plan.</td>
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d. Other Terms and Conditions Modifications

For the following terms and conditions modification requests, please follow the prompts for updating this information in eMod:

- Cooperative Purchasing
- Disaster Recovery
- E-Verify
- Rerepresentation of Business Size for Non-Novated Merger/Acquisition
- Revise Terms and Conditions
- Rerepresentation of Small Business Type
- Participate in Transactional Data Reporting (TDR) Program
  - On June 23rd, 2016, GSA published a final rule to capture Transactional Data for procurements across MAS. Transactional Data Reporting (TDR) acceptance is optional. If your contract has TDR and non-TDR applicable SINs and you have accepted TDR, your entire contract is subject to TDR terms and conditions for the remainder of the contract once you have accepted TDR. Commercial Sales Practices (CSP) disclosure is not required.
8. Change of Name and Novation Modifications

Determining the Agency Responsible for Executing Your Change-of-Name Novation Agreement

1. If the transferor has contracts (not orders issued under the GSA Schedule) with other Government agencies in addition to the GSA Schedule contract, the agency responsible for processing the Novation or Change-of-Name Agreement modification is the agency with the largest unsettled (unbilled plus billed but unpaid) dollar balance of contract obligations.

2. If the largest unsettled dollar balance is from task/purchase orders using a GSA Schedule contract, GSA is the agency responsible for processing the Novation or Change-of-Name Agreement modification.

3. If the transferor has multiple GSA Schedule contracts, the contracting officer for the specific GSA Schedule contract with the largest unsettled task order dollar balance is the contracting officer responsible for processing the Novation or Change-of-Name Agreement modification. However, modifications will be required to each contract.

Note: The “transferor” is the company that holds the government contract that needs to be modified. Example: ABC Company has been bought by XYZ Company. In this example, the “transferor” is ABC Company and the “transferee” is the XYZ Company.

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Change-of-Name or Novation Agreement Modification request.

a. Change-of-Name Agreement Modification

“Change-of-Name Agreement” is a legal instrument executed by the contractor and the Government that recognizes the legal change of name of the contractor without disturbing the original parties’ contractual rights and obligations. Send the modification packages to the CO/CS before you submit modification request to facilitate GSA’s legal review.

Before submitting a modification, please review Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 42.1204(a)-(b) Applicability of novation agreements and FAR 42.1205 Agreement to recognize contractor’s change of name at https://www.acquisition.gov/, to determine whether you should submit a Novation or Change of Name Agreement to GSA for the subject contract(s).

Click here to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Change-of-Name Modification request.

Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):
- FAR 42.1204 Applicability of novation agreements.
- FAR 42.1205 Agreement to recognize contractor's change of name.

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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the rationale for the request. Cover letter should include:  
- Whether or not the Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) (e.g. DUNS) is changing and provide the new UEI if it is changing. If it is changing, you must add "change of DUNS" request into your submitted modification request.  
- Statement: "I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same." | |
| 2        | If name change has already been processed by another federal agency/organization, submit a signed copy of the modification, which must include your GSA contract as one of the contracts affected by the Change of Name. The signed modification must also include the incorporated Change-of-Name Agreement and Exhibit A identifying the GSA contract. | |
|          | **SKIP THE FOLLOWING STEPS IF A CHANGE OF NAME WAS PROCESSED BY ANOTHER FEDERAL AGENCY** | |
| 3        | Email the Change-of-Name Agreements to your assigned CO/CS. See sample format. Note: At the contracting officer’s discretion, when electronically submitted documents cannot be clearly determined to be authentic and proper, original paper documents may still be required and processed. | |
| 4        | The document affecting the name change must be authenticated by a proper official of the state having jurisdiction. | |
| 5        | The opinion of the contractor’s legal counsel stating that the change of name was properly effected under applicable law and showing the effective date. See sample | |
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A list of all affected contracts and purchase orders remaining unsettled between the contractor and the Government, showing for each:

- Contract number
- Contract type
- Name and address of the contracting office.

The contracting officer may request the total dollar value, as amended, and the remaining unpaid balance for each contract.

**Do not create the eMod request until the CO/CS has instructed you to do so and confirmed receipt of the documents you will submit with the Change-of-Name Agreement eMod request.**

1) If you determine GSA is the responsible agency to initially process your Change-of-Name Agreement (submit ALL documents required by regulation (FAR 42.1205 Agreement to recognize contractor’s change of name, for Change-of-Name Agreement).

   a. Confirm the name of your GSA CO/CS on [https://www.gsaelibrary.gsa.gov](https://www.gsaelibrary.gsa.gov) (see Government Point of Contact within the Contractor Information section by entering your contract number or company name in the search block.

**b. Novation Agreement Modification**

“Novation agreement” is a legal instrument by which, among other things, the transferor guarantees performance of the contract, the transferee assumes all obligations under the contract, and the Government recognizes the transfer of the contract and related assets from the transferor to the transferee.

Before submitting a modification, please review Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 42.1204 (a)-(b) Applicability of novation agreements and FAR 42.1205 Agreement to recognize contractor’s change of name, to determine whether you should submit a Novation agreement or Change-of-Name Agreement to GSA for the subject contract.
When requesting a Novation Agreement modification, please add Authorized Negotiators for the transferee before signing the modification.

**Note:** The “transferor” is the company that holds the government contract that needs to be modified. Example: ABC Company has been bought by XYZ Company. In this example, the “transferor” is ABC Company and the “transferee” is the XYZ Company.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Change-of-Name or Novation Agreement Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

- FAR 42.1204 Applicability of novation agreements

**Novation Agreement Mod Checklist:**

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| 1        | Signed and dated cover letter on company letterhead signed by an Authorized Negotiator (as identified in your contract) briefly describing your request and the reason for the request. Cover letter must include:  
  - Statement that the transferee has ensured that the registrations in [SAM.gov](#) are current, accurate, and reflect the NAICS code(s) for the contract being transferred. Confirm that the transferee and all the officers of the transferee’s company are not currently debarred or suspended from receiving federal contracts.  
  - Whether the transferee has any existing GSA Schedule contracts, and if so, the contract numbers of those contracts, along with the name, title, telephone number, email address, and mailing address of the applicable Contracting Officer.  
  - The transferee’s company website address.  
  - Statement of whether or not the Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) (e.g. DUNS) is changing and provide the new UEI if it is changing, if it is changing you must add “change of DUNS” request into your submitted modification request.  
  - The following information:  
    - Name of new point of contact for Contract Administration and all... |
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|         | Authorized Negotiators. For each individual include the following:  
- Title  
- Phone Number and extension  
- Fax Number  
- Address; if different from contract address (address in SAM) ensure this is noted  
- Email Address  
- Identify which Authorized Negotiators can sign and commit the company  
  - Statement: “I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information I provided is current, complete and accurate. All other terms and conditions remain the same.” |                     |
| 2       | If Novation has already been **processed by another federal agency/organization**, provide a copy of the SF-30, Amendment of Solicitation/Modification of Contract, signed and dated by a Government Contracting Officer and a representative of your company, which implements the Novation agreement. This SF-30, Amendment of Solicitation/Modification of Contract, **must** include your GSA contract as one of the affected contracts impacted by the Novation. The signed modification must also include the incorporated Novation agreement and Exhibit A identifying the GSA contract. |                     |

**SKIP THE FOLLOWING STEPS IF ANOTHER FEDERAL AGENCY PROCESSED A NOVATION**

| 3       | Document describing the proposed transaction, e.g. purchase/sale agreement or memorandum of understanding. |                     |
| 4       | Email the Novation Agreement to your assigned CO/CS. See sample [format](#).  
**Note:** At the contracting officer's discretion, when electronically submitted documents cannot be clearly determined to be authentic and proper, you may have to provide original paper documents. |                     |
<p>| 5       | ALL documents required by regulation (FAR 42.1204(e) and (f) Applicability of novation agreements, for novation). |                     |
| 6       | Subcontracting Plan (if applicable). |                     |</p>
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<td>An authenticated copy of the instrument affecting the transfer of assets; e.g. bill of sales, certificate of merger, contract, deed, agreement, court decree, etc.</td>
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<td>An authenticated copy of the transferee’s certificate and articles of incorporation (or applicable formation document under applicable law), if an entity was formed for the purpose of receiving the assets involved in performing the Government contracts.</td>
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<td>A certified copy of each resolution of the corporate party’s board of directors authorizing the transfer of assets or other document referencing compliance with the transferor’s governing documents.</td>
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<td>Evidence that any security clearance requirements have been met, if applicable.</td>
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<td>Balance sheets of the transferor and transferee as of the dates immediately before and after the transfer of assets, audited by independent accountants.</td>
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<td>The consent of sureties on all contracts, if bonds are required, or a statement from the transferor that none are required.</td>
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<td>The opinion of legal counsel for the transfer and transferee starting that the transfer was properly effected under applicable law and showing the effective date.</td>
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| 17      | A list of all affected contracts, including Blanket Purchase Agreements (BPAs) and orders placed under all contracts affected by the change remaining unsettled between the contractor and the Government, as of the date of sale or transfer of assets, to include:  
  ● Contract number  
  ● Contract type  
  ● Name and address of the contracting office  
  ● Total dollar value, as amended  
  ● Approximate remaining unpaid balance |                   |
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**Do not create the eMod request until the CO/CS has instructed you to do so and confirmed receipt of the documents you will submit with the Novation Agreement eMod request.**

1. If your company is changing from a small business size to an other than small business size according to your NAICS code, you'll need to do a Subcontracting Plan. If your company is already an other than small business and is remaining as an other than small business, you'll need an updated Subcontracting Plan.
   a. According to clause 52.219-28, Post Award Small Business Program Rerepresentation (Jul 2013), paragraph (b) (1), you must re-represent your business size in [SAM.gov](https://www.sam.gov). Once this re-representation is done, you must submit a “Representation of Size” modification via the eMod system in order for GSA to recognize your new business size.
   b. If the transferor was awarded as a small business and the transferee is an other than small business for the NAICS code(s) established in the contract, then the transferee must complete and submit a Subcontracting Plan from the current solicitation with the modification request. You can submit a request to add a Subcontracting Plan via the eMod system.
9. Cancellation Modifications

The cancellation modification’s purpose is to discontinue a contract. A cancellation modification takes effect 30 calendar days after signature, and a contract cannot be reinstated after the cancellation modification’s effective date. Either party may cancel this contract in whole or in part by providing written notice.

An exit interview may be requested. Sales reporting must be completed according to 552.238-80 Industrial Funding Fee And Sales Reporting (May 2019) or 552.238-80 Industrial Funding Fee And Sales Reporting (May 2019) (Alternate I May 2019) for the current quarter. If the cancellation is not effective until the next quarter, you must complete sales reporting for the following quarter as well.

Click [here](#) to go to the eMod Help Center for more information about submitting your Cancellation Modification request.

**Modification Authority (see MAS solicitation):**

- 552.238-79 CANCELLATION (MAY 2019)

Cancellation Mod Checklist:

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| 1       | Signed letter by Authorized Negotiator explaining the reason for the contract cancellation request. The letter should also acknowledge that the contractor will complete the required actions to include:  
  - Sales reporting for the final quarter/month  
  - IFF submission for the final quarter/month (if applicable).  
  - Subcontracting reporting (if applicable) via the Electronic Subcontracting Reporting System (eSRS).  
  - Acknowledgement that the modification will be effective 30 calendar days after the Contracting Officer signs the modification (SF-30). |                     |
<p>| 2       | Submission of any other supporting documentation requested from the Contracting Officer.                                                                                                                                  |                     |
| 3       | <strong>Optional Information:</strong> If you are requesting cancellation, please provide the following information so we can understand why you’re requesting cancellation.                                                           |                     |</p>
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<td>Explain why you feel you have not made the minimum MAS contract sales (or sales that meet your business goals) in the last three years or the duration of your contract if less than three years on contract, if you have failed to meet the minimum sales.</td>
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<td>Does your company currently have any pending orders or future sales pending? If yes, please provide a detailed listing of each sale, estimated dollar amount, and the Government POC and telephone number for each sale.</td>
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<td>Do you have any active BPAs for any items currently on your contract? If so, have you reported any sales that resulted under these BPAs under your contract? If not, why not?</td>
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<td>Have you attended a quarterly business marketing session conducted by the GSA Office of Customer Accounts and Stakeholder Engagement (CASE)?</td>
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## 10. GLOSSARY

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<td>Bureau of Labor Statistics</td>
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<td>Economic Price Adjustment</td>
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<td>eSRS</td>
<td>Electronic Subcontracting Reporting System</td>
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<td>Industrial Operations Analyst</td>
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<td>Large Category</td>
<td>Broadest grouping of similar products and services based on the federal government Category Management structure. There are twelve large categories in the new MAS Consolidated Schedule.</td>
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<td>Letter of Supply</td>
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<td>MAS</td>
<td>Multiple Award Schedule</td>
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<td>Consolidated Schedule</td>
<td>New Schedule contract vehicle that consolidates GSA’s current 24 Schedules into one consolidated Schedule vehicle.</td>
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<td>North American Industrial Classification System used by the United States, Canada and Mexico to classify businesses by industries. Classification is based on a six digit code that identifies the majority of activity performed by a business.</td>
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<td>Original Equipment Manufacturer</td>
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<td>PPT</td>
<td>Price Proposal Template</td>
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<td>SCLS</td>
<td>Service Contract Labor Standards, formerly known as Service Contract Act (SCA)</td>
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<td>Standard Form 30 - Amendment of Solicitation/Modification of Contract. This is the document used by the CO/CS to award a modification.</td>
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<td>Special Item Number is a grouping of commercial products or services specific to the Multiple Award Schedules Program.</td>
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(a) Electronic Contract Data.

(1) At the time of award, the Contractor will be provided instructions for submitting electronic contract data in a prescribed electronic format as required by clause 552.238-71, Submission and Distribution of Authorized FSS Schedule Price Lists.

(2) The Contractor will have a choice to transmit its file submissions electronically through Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) in accordance with the Federal Implementation Convention (IC) or use the application made available at the time of award. The Contractor’s electronic files must be complete; correct; readable; virus-free; and contain only those supplies and services, prices, and terms and conditions that were accepted by the Government. They will be added to GSA’s electronic ordering system known as GSA Advantage!®, a menu-driven database system that provides on-line access to contract ordering information, terms and conditions, up-to-date pricing, and the option to create an electronic order. The Contractor’s electronic files must be received no later than 30 days after award. Contractors should refer to clause I-FSS-597, GSA Advantage!® for further information.

(3) Further details on EDI, ICs, and GSA Advantage!® can be found in clause I-FSS-599, Electronic Commerce.

(4) The Contractor is encouraged to place the GSA identifier (logo) on their web site for those supplies or services covered by this contract. The logo can link to the contractor’s Federal Supply Schedule price list. The identifier URL is located at http://www.gsa.gov/logos. All resultant “web price lists” shown on the contractor’s web site must be in accordance with section (b)(3)(ii) of this clause and nothing other than what was accepted /awarded by the Government) may be included. If the contractor elects to use contract identifiers on its website (either logos or contact number) the website must clearly distinguish between those items awarded on the contract and any other items offered by the contractor on an open market basis.
(5) The contractor is responsible for keeping all electronic catalogs data up to date; e.g., prices, product deletions and replacements, etc.

(b) Federal Supply Schedule Price Lists.

(1) The Contractor must also prepare and distribute a Federal Supply Schedule Price List as required by clause 552.238-71, Submission and Distribution of Authorized FSS Schedule Price Lists. This must be done as set forth in this paragraph (b).

(2) The Contractor must prepare a Federal Supply Schedule Price List by either:

   (i) Using the commercial catalog, price list, schedule, or other document as accepted by the Government, showing accepted discounts, and obliterating all items, terms, and conditions not accepted by the Government by lining out those items or by a stamp across the face of the item stating "NOT UNDER CONTRACT" or "EXCLUDED"; or

   (ii) Composing a price list in which only those items, terms, and conditions accepted by the Government are included, and which contain only net prices, based upon the commercial price list less discounts accepted by the Government. In this instance, the Contractor must show on the cover page the notation "Prices Shown Herein are Net (discount deducted)".

(3) The cover page of the Federal Supply Schedule Price List must include the following information prepared in the format set forth in this subparagraph (b)(3):

   (i) GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION Federal Supply Service Authorized Federal Supply Schedule Price List
On-line access to contract ordering information, terms and conditions, up-to-date pricing, and the option to create an electronic delivery order are available through GSA Advantage!®, a menu-driven database system. The INTERNET address GSA Advantage!® is: GSAAAdvantage.gov.

Schedule Title
FSC Group, Part, and Section or Standard Industrial Group (as applicable)
FSC Class(es)/Product code(s) and/or Service Codes (as applicable)
Contract number
For more information on ordering from Federal Supply Schedules click on the FSS Schedules button at fss.gsa.gov.
Contract period.
Contractor's name, address, and phone number (include toll-free WATS number and FAX number, if applicable)
Contractor's internet address/web site where schedule information can be found (as applicable). Contract administration source (if different from preceding entry).
Business size.

(ii) CUSTOMER INFORMATION: The following information should be placed under this heading in consecutively numbered paragraphs in the sequence set forth below. If this information is placed in another part of the Federal Supply Schedule Price List, a table of contents must be shown on the cover page that refers to the exact location of the information.

1a. Table of awarded special item number(s) with appropriate cross-reference to item descriptions and awarded price(s).

1b. Identification of the lowest priced model number and lowest unit price for that model for each special item number awarded in the contract. This price is the Government price based on a unit of one, exclusive of any quantity/dollar volume, prompt payment, or any other concession affecting price. Those contracts that have unit prices based on the geographic location of the customer, should show the range of the lowest price, and cite the areas to which the prices apply.

1c. If the Contractor is proposing hourly rates, a description of all corresponding

commercial job titles, experience, functional responsibility and education for those types of employees or subcontractors who will perform services shall be provided. If hourly rates are not applicable, indicate "Not applicable" for this item.

2. Maximum order.
3. Minimum order.

4. Geographic coverage (delivery area).

5. Point(s) of production (city, county, and State or foreign country).

6. Discount from list prices or statement of net price.

7. Quantity discounts.

8. Prompt payment terms. Note: Prompt payment terms must be followed by the statement "Information for Ordering Offices: Prompt payment terms cannot be negotiated out of the contractual agreement in exchange for other concessions."

9a. Notification that Government purchase cards are accepted at or below the micro-purchase threshold.

9b. Notification whether Government purchase cards are accepted or not accepted above the micro-purchase threshold.

10. Foreign items (list items by country of origin).

11a. Time of delivery. (Contractor insert number of days.)

11b. Expedited Delivery. The Contractor will insert the sentence “Items available for expedited delivery are noted in this price list.” under this heading. The Contractor may use a symbol of its choosing to highlight items in its price lists that have expedited delivery.

11c. Overnight and 2-day delivery. The Contractor will indicate whether overnight and 2-day delivery are available. Also, the Contractor will indicate that the schedule customer may contact the Contractor for rates for overnight and 2-day delivery.

11d. Urgent Requirements. The Contractor will note in its price list
the “Urgent Requirements” clause of its contract and advise agencies that they can also contact the Contractor’s representative to effect a faster delivery.

12. F.O.B. point(s).

13a. Ordering address(es).

13b. Ordering procedures: For supplies and services, the ordering procedures, information on Blanket Purchase Agreements (BPA’s) are found in Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 8.405-3.

14. Payment address(es).

15. Warranty provision.

16. Export packing charges, if applicable.

17. Terms and conditions of Government purchase card acceptance (any thresholds above the micro-purchase level).

18. Terms and conditions of rental, maintenance, and repair (if applicable).

19. Terms and conditions of installation (if applicable).

20. Terms and conditions of repair parts indicating date of parts price lists and any discounts from list prices (if applicable).

20a. Terms and conditions for any other services (if applicable).

21. List of service and distribution points (if applicable).

22. List of participating dealers (if applicable).

23. Preventive maintenance (if applicable).

24a. Special attributes such as environmental attributes (e.g., recycled content, energy efficiency, and/or reduced pollutants).
24b. If applicable, indicate that Section 508 compliance information is available on Electronic and Information Technology (EIT) supplies and services and show where full details can be found (e.g. contractor’s website or other location.) The EIT standards can be found at: www.Section508.gov/.

25. Data Universal Number System (DUNS) number.

26. Notification regarding registration in System for Award Management (SAM) database.

(4) Amendments to Federal Supply Schedule Price Lists must include on the cover page the same information as the basic document plus the title "Supplement No. (sequentially numbered)" and the effective date(s) of such supplements.

(5) Accuracy of information and computation of prices is the responsibility of the Contractor. NOTE: The obliteration discussed in subdivision (b)(2)(i) of this clause must be accomplished prior to the printing and distribution of the Federal Supply Schedule Price Lists.

(6) Inclusion of incorrect information will cause the Contractor to resubmit/correct and redistribute the Federal Supply Schedule Price List, and may constitute sufficient cause for Cancellation, applying the provisions of 552.212-4, Contract Terms and Conditions (paragraph (m), Termination for Cause), and application of any other remedies as provided by law—including monetary recovery.

(7) In addition, one copy of the Federal Supply Schedule Price List must be submitted to the National Customer Service Center at:
   Email: NCSCCustomer.Service@gsa.gov
   U.S. General Services Administration The Heartland Region, Region 6
   2300 Main St., Kansas City, MO 64108

-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------END OF CLAUSE-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------

Suggested Change of Name Agreement Format (FAR 42.1205)
Change-of-Name Agreement

The ABC Corporation (Contractor), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of [insert State], and the United States of America (Government), enter into this Agreement as of [insert date when the change of name became effective under applicable State law].

(a) The parties agree to the following facts:

(1) The Government, represented by various Contracting Officers of the [insert name(s) of agency(ies)], has entered into certain contracts and purchase orders with the XYZ Corporation, namely: [insert contract or purchase order identifications]; [or delete “namely” and insert “as shown in the attached list marked “Exhibit A’’ and incorporated in this Agreement by reference.’’]. The term “the contracts,” as used in this Agreement, means the above contracts and purchase orders and all other contracts and purchase orders, including all modifications, made by the Government and the Contractor before the effective date of this Agreement (whether or not performance and payment have been completed and releases executed if the Government or the Contractor has any remaining rights, duties, or obligations under these contracts and purchase orders).

(2) The XYZ Corporation, by an amendment to its certificate of incorporation, dated [insert date], has changed its corporate name to ABC Corporation.

(3) This amendment accomplishes a change of corporate name only and all rights and obligations of the Government and of the Contractor under the contracts are unaffected by this change.

(4) Documentary evidence of this change of corporate name has been filed with the Government.

(b) In consideration of these facts, the parties agree that --

(1) The contracts covered by this Agreement are amended by substituting the name “ABC Corporation” for the name “XYZ Corporation” wherever it appears in the contracts; and

(2) Each party has executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

United States of America,

By __________________________________________
Title __________________________________________

ABC Corporation,

By __________________________________________
Title __________________________________________

[Corporate Seal]
Certificate

I, _____, certify that I am the Secretary of ABC Corporation; that ___________, who signed this Agreement for this corporation, was then ___________ of this corporation; and that this Agreement was duly signed for and on behalf of this corporation by authority of its governing body and within the scope of its corporate powers. Witness my hand and the seal of this corporation this _____________ day of___________ 20__. 

By______________________________________________

[Corporate Seal]

----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------END OF TEMPLATE----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------
**Suggested Legal Certification of Name Change Template**

*(FAR 42.1205(a)(2))*

(Date)

(***Name***), Contracting Officer/Specialist

U.S. General Services Administration

(add address of contracting office)

Re: Name Change of (**Previous Name**) Corporation to (**New Name**), Contract Number: GS-XXF-XXXX or 47QXXX-XXD-XXXX.

Dear Mr./Ms. (**Name of Contracting Officer/Specialist**):

I am writing to you as General Counsel for (**Previous Name**) Corporation, now known as (**New Name**) Corporation, in compliance with the requirements of FAR 42.1205(a)(2) forwarded by you to XXXX of our office.

It is my legal opinion that the name change of this (**Name of State**) corporation from (**Previous Name**) Corporation to (**New Name**) Corporation was properly effected in compliance with the laws of the State of (**Name of State**), effective (**Date**), the date on which the (**insert instrument affecting the transfer of assets**) were filed with the (**Name of State**) Department of State's Office under document number P0########.

I further certify that on the date of this opinion letter, this corporation is active and in good standing with the (**Name of State**) Department of State, Division of Corporations, and I am attaching to this letter copies of the following documents issued by the Division of Corporations:

1. Certified copy of the (**insert instrument effecting the transfer of assets**) filed on (**Date**), issued by the (**Name of State**) Secretary of State, changing the name of the corporation to (**New Name**) Corporation.

2. Certificate of Status issued by the (**Name of State**) Secretary of State as to (**New Name**) Corporation.

The originals of these documents are being submitted to your office with the formal modification request.
Sincerely,

(Name)

Legal Counsel

END OF TEMPLATE
Novation Agreement

The ABC Corporation (Transferor), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of __________ [insert State] with its principal office in __________ [insert city]; the XYZ Corporation (Transferee), [if appropriate add “formerly known as the EFG Corporation”] a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of __________ [insert State] with its principal office in __________ [insert city]; and the United States of America (Government) enter into this Agreement as of __________ [insert the date transfer of assets became effective under applicable State law].

(a) The parties agree to the following facts:

(1) The Government, represented by various Contracting Officers of the ____________ [insert name(s) of agency(ies)], has entered into certain contracts with the Transferor, namely: __________ [insert contract or purchase order identifications]; [or delete “namely” and insert “as shown in the attached list marked 'Exhibit A’ and incorporated in this Agreement by reference.’”]. The term “the contracts,” as used in this Agreement, means the above contracts and purchase orders and all other contracts and purchase orders, including all modifications, made between the Government and the Transferor before the effective date of this Agreement (whether or not performance and payment have been completed and releases executed if the Government or the Transferor has any remaining rights, duties, or obligations under these contracts and purchase orders). Included in the term “the contracts” are also all modifications made under the terms and conditions of these contracts and purchase orders between the Government and the Transferee, on or after the effective date of this Agreement.

(2) As of ____________, 20__, the Transferor has transferred to the Transferee all the assets of the Transferor by virtue of a __________ [insert term descriptive of the legal transaction involved] between the Transferor and the Transferee.

(3) The Transferee has acquired all the assets of the Transferor by virtue of the above transfer.

(4) The Transferee has assumed all obligations and liabilities of the Transferor under the contracts by virtue of the above transfer.

(5) The Transferee is in a position to fully perform all obligations that may exist under the contracts.

(6) It is consistent with the Government’s interest to recognize the Transferee as the successor party to the contracts.

(7) Evidence of the above transfer has been filed with the Government.
When a change of name is also involved; e.g., a prior or concurrent change of the Transferee’s name, an appropriate statement shall be inserted (see example in paragraph (8) below).

(8) A certificate dated __________, 20__, signed by the Secretary of State of ___________ [insert State], to the effect that the corporate name of EFG Corporation was changed to XYZ Corporation on ___ __________, 20__, has been filed with the Government.

(b) In consideration of these facts, the parties agree that by this Agreement --

(1) The Transferor confirms the transfer to the Transferee, and waives any claims and rights against the Government that it now has or may have in the future in connection with the contracts.

(2) The Transferee agrees to be bound by and to perform each contract in accordance with the conditions contained in the contracts. The Transferee also assumes all obligations and liabilities of, and all claims against, the Transferor under the contracts as if the Transferee were the original party to the contracts.

(3) The Transferee ratifies all previous actions taken by the Transferor with respect to the contracts, with the same force and effect as if the action had been taken by the Transferee.

(4) The Government recognizes the Transferee as the Transferor’s successor in interest in and to the contracts. The Transferee by this Agreement becomes entitled to all rights, titles, and interests of the Transferor in and to the contracts as if the Transferee were the original party to the contracts. Following the effective date of this Agreement, the term “Contractor,” as used in the contracts, shall refer to the Transferee.

(5) Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, nothing in it shall be construed as a waiver of any rights of the Government against the Transferor.

(6) All payments and reimbursements previously made by the Government to the Transferor, and all other previous actions taken by the Government under the contracts, shall be considered to have discharged those parts of the Government’s obligations under the contracts. All payments and reimbursements made by the Government after the date of this Agreement in the name of or to the Transferor shall have the same force and effect as if made to the Transferee, and shall constitute a complete discharge of the Government’s obligations under the contracts, to the extent of the amounts paid or reimbursed.

(7) The Transferor and the Transferee agree that the Government is not obligated to pay or reimburse either of them for, or otherwise give effect to, any costs, taxes, or other expenses, or any related increases, directly or indirectly arising out of or resulting from the transfer or this Agreement, other than those that the Government in the absence of this transfer or Agreement would have been obligated to pay or reimburse under the terms of the contracts.

(8) The Transferor guarantees payment of all liabilities and the performance of all obligations that the Transferee --
(i) Assumes under this Agreement; or

(ii) May undertake in the future should these contracts be modified under their terms and conditions. The Transferor waives notice of, and consents to, any such future modifications.

(9) The contracts shall remain in full force and effect, except as modified by this Agreement. Each party has executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

United States of America,

By ____________________________
Title ____________________________

ABC Corporation,

By ____________________________
Title ____________________________

[Corporate Seal]

XYZ Corporation,

By ____________________________
Title ____________________________

[Corporate Seal]

Certificate

I, __________, certify that I am the Secretary of ABC Corporation; that __________, who signed this Agreement for this corporation, was then __________ of this corporation; and that this Agreement was duly signed for and on behalf of this corporation by authority of its governing body and within the scope of its corporate powers. Witness my hand and the seal of this corporation this day of __________ 20________

By____________________________________

[Corporate Seal]

CERTIFICATE

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20___________

By_____________________________________________

[Corporate Seal]