

14.503-2 Step two.

(a) Sealed bidding procedures *shall* be followed except that invitations for bids *shall*-

(1) Be issued only to those *offerors* submitting acceptable technical proposals in step one;

(2) Include the provision prescribed in [14.201-6\(t\)](#);

(3) Prominently state that the bidder *shall* comply with the specifications and the bidder's technical proposal; and

(4) Not be synopsized through the *Governmentwide point of entry (GPE)* as an *acquisition* opportunity nor publicly posted (see [5.101\(a\)](#)).

(b) The names of firms that submitted acceptable proposals in step one will be listed through the GPE for the benefit of prospective subcontractors (see [5.207](#)).

Parent topic: [14.503 Procedures.](#)