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25.301-1 Scope.

(a) This section applies to contracts requiring contractor personnel to perform outside the *United States*-

(1) In a *designated operational area* during-

(i) Contingency operations;

(ii) Humanitarian or peacekeeping operations; or

(iii) Other military operations or military exercises, when designated by the *combatant commander*; or

(2) When supporting a diplomatic or consular mission-

(i) That has been designated by the Department of State as a danger pay post (see <https://aoprals.state.gov/>); or

(ii) That the *contracting officer* determines is a post at which application of the clause at FAR [52.225-19](#), Contractor Personnel in a *Designated Operational Area* or Supporting a Diplomatic or Consular Mission outside the *United States*, is appropriate.

(b) Any of the types of operations listed in paragraph (a)(1) of this section *may* include stability operations such as-

(1) Establishment or maintenance of a safe and secure environment; or

(2) Provision of *emergency* infrastructure reconstruction, humanitarian relief, or essential governmental services (until feasible to transition to local government).

(c) This section does not apply to *personal services contracts* (see FAR [37.104](#)), unless specified otherwise in agency procedures.

Parent topic: [25.301 Contractor personnel in a designated operational area or supporting a diplomatic or consular mission outside the United States.](#)