30.202-6 Responsibilities.

- (a) The *contracting officer* is responsible for determining when a proposed contract *may* require CAS coverage and for including the appropriate notice in the *solicitation*. The *contracting officer must* then ensure that the *offeror* has made the required *solicitation* certifications and that required Disclosure Statements are submitted. (Also see 48 CFR 9903.201-3 and 9903.202).
- (b) The *contracting officer shall* not award a CAS-covered contract until the *cognizant Federal agency official (CFAO)* has made a written determination that a required Disclosure Statement is adequate unless, in order to protect the Government's interest, the *agency head*, on a nondelegable basis, authorizes award without obtaining submission of the required Disclosure Statement (see 48 CFR 9903.202-2). In this event, the contractor *shall* submit the required Disclosure Statement and the CFAO *shall* make a determination of adequacy as soon as possible after the award.
- (c) The cognizant auditor is responsible for conducting reviews of Disclosure Statements for adequacy and compliance.
- (d) The CFAO is responsible for issuing determinations of adequacy and compliance of the Disclosure Statement.

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