52.204-20 Predecessor of Offeror.

As prescribed in 4.1804(d), insert the following provision:

Predecessor of *Offeror* (Aug 2020)

(a) *Definitions*. As used in this provision–

Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code means–

(1) An identifier assigned to entities located in the *United States* or its *outlying areas* by the Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Branch to identify a commercial or government entity by unique location; or

(2) An identifier assigned by a member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) or by the NATO Support and *Procurement* Agency (NSPA) to entities located outside the *United States* and its *outlying areas* that the DLA Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Branch records and maintains in the CAGE master file. This type of code is known as a NATO CAGE (NCAGE) code.

Predecessor means an entity that is replaced by a *successor* and includes any *predecessors* of the *predecessor*.

Successor means an entity that has replaced a *predecessor* by acquiring the assets and carrying out the affairs of the *predecessor* under a new name (often through *acquisition* or merger). The term "*successor*" does not include new offices/divisions of the same company or a company that only changes its name. The extent of the responsibility of the *successor* for the liabilities of the *predecessor may* vary, depending on State law and specific circumstances.

(b) The *Offeror* represents that it □ is or □ is not a *successor* to a *predecessor* that held a Federal contract or grant within the last three years.

(c) If the *Offeror* has indicated "is" in paragraph (b) of this provision, enter the following information for all *predecessors* that held a Federal contract or grant within the last three years (if more than one *predecessor*, list in reverse chronological order):

Predecessor CAGE code:_____ (or mark "Unknown").

Predecessor legal name: _____.

(*Do not use a* "*doing business as*" *name*).

(End of provision)

Parent topic: 52.204 [Reserved]