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# **Subpart 5616.6 - TIME AND MATERIALS, LABOR HOUR, AND LETTER CONTRACTS**

**Parent topic:** [Part 5616 - CONTRACT TYPES](#)

## **5616.601 Time and Material Contracts.**

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(a) In addition to the guidance for Time and Material (T&M) contracts found at [FAR 16.601\(d\)](#) and [DFARS 216.601\(d\)](#), a formal Determination and Findings (D&F) is required when a contract contains a T&M CLIN.

### **5616.601-90 Contract Clauses.**

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Contracting officers shall insert a clause substantially the same as [5652.216-9005](#), Government Down Time for Various Reasons, including the President and the Secretary of Defense, in solicitations and contracts when award of a time and materials or labor-hour type contract is anticipated.

### **5616.603 Letter Contracts.**

#### **5616.603-3 Limitations.**

Refer to [Attachment 5601-1](#) for approval levels applicable to D&F requirements for letter contracts. Refer to [DFARS 217.74](#) for additional limitations of the use of letter contracts.

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