

General Services Administration
Washington, DC 20405

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GSA ORDER

Subject: General Services Administration Acquisition Manual (GSAM); General Services Acquisition Regulation (GSAR) Technical Amendments

1. **Purpose.** This order transmits a revision to the General Services Administration Acquisition Regulation (GSAR) and Manual (GSAM).

2. **Background.** The General Services Administration (GSA) is amending the General Services Administration Acquisition Regulation (GSAR) and Manual (GSAM) to make editorial changes. This technical amendment includes updating references and links, as well as deleting repetitive information that is covered elsewhere within the GSAM. Changes incorporate both internal acquisition guidance and the regulatory acquisition policies.

GSA published a Technical Amendments; GSAR-TA-01, Change 67, final rule, in the *Federal Register* at 81 FR 1531 on January 13, 2016, and a GSAR-TA-01, Correcting Amendments at 81 FR 3730 on January 22, 2016.

3. **Effective dates.** January 13, 2016, and January 22, 2016.

4. **Explanation of changes.**

GSA is amending the GSAR to make editorial changes throughout the GSAM. There are no significant content changes resulting from this technical amendment.

Outdated references and links have been updated. Throughout multiple GSAM parts, the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) and the Excluded Parties List System (EPLS) have been changed to System for Award Management (SAM). This follows similar Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) updates resulting from FAR Case 2012-033, for which a final rule was published in the *Federal Register* at 78 FR 37676 on June 21, 2013. Commerce Business Daily has also been replaced with its successor system, FedBizOpps. Multiple web page links have also been updated, as have organizational references.

Repetitive information has been removed from the GSAM. Definitions for certain terms have been deleted from their respective sections because these definitions have been added to the non-regulatory portion of the GSAM at Part 502 as a result of GSAR Case 2013-G503.

See attached Line-In/Line-Out document for more detailed information.

5. Cancellations and Rescissions: None.

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