

What is it?:

- •A multiple agency, shared, relational database system, providing all authorized users access to completed contractor performance evaluations of all subscribing agencies
- •Designed and developed by the NIH Center for Information Technology (CIT), and managed by the NIH Office of Contracts Management



Why do we need it?:

- •Provides an objective means to support contract award decisions based on offerors' past performance (FAR Part 15)
- •Allows agencies to access risks associated with making awards or continuing contract performance with vendors
- •Enables agencies to meet requirements under the Government Paperwork Elimination Act (GPEA) by 2003
- •Will eventually become part of a global, Government-wide contractor performance repository





Awards:

- •National Partnership for Reinventing Government (NPR) award December 2000
- •Finalist in "Business Solutions in the Public Interest" award for 2001 (sponsored by Council for Excellence in Government/Gov't Exec magazine)





Contractor Performance System (CPS) *Background*:

Supports acquisition activities in all fifty states and 127 foreign countries. Contains evaluations from: Department of Health and Human Services, Department of Agriculture, Department of Treasury, Department of Commerce, Department of Justice (Office of Justice Programs, Immigration and Naturalization), Department of Energy, Agency for International Development, U.S. Coast Guard, Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Emergency Management Agency, GSA, Department of Transportation, and Department of State, and other federal agencies.





Uses:

- •Supports evaluations on Research and Development, ADP, A&E (new version), Construction, and Service and Supply contracts.
- •CPS may be used to evaluate performance of Construction and Architect-Engineering firms in lieu of completing SF 1420, and SF 1421. (deviation approved by CAAC (ref. 2001-03) for use by CPS subscribers)



Governing regulations:

- •FAR 15.304 Past performance required as an evaluation factor for all negotiated, competitive acquisitions expected to exceed \$100,000 (solicitations issued on or after January 1, 1999)
- •FAR 42.1502 Evaluation of contractor performance required for all contracts over \$1,000,000 (regardless of date of award); and contracts over \$100,000 (where performance began after January 1, 1998) (regardless of date of award)





Dept. of Treasury Acquisition Regulation (DTAR):

- •Subpart 1036.2 Special Aspects of Contracting for Construction, 1036.201 Evaluation of contractor performance.
- (a)(2) Performance reports will also be prepared and entered into the Contractor Performance System (CPS) on an annual basis for contracts exceeding one year.

1042.1502 Policy.

(a) Bureaus shall use the Contractor Performance System (CPS) for evaluating contractor performance, in accordance with FAR 42.1502 and 1503.





Latest enhancements:

- •Redesigned site launched April 15, 2002
- •A/E contract module (SF-1421) Spring 2002

Planned enhancements:

- New reports
- •On-line training





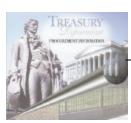
New Features:

- •Easier login (roled-based, incl. guest login)
- Menus and Tabs for faster navigation
- •Easier form validation
- Improved printing
- •Save in draft
- •System notification to CO when COTR completes evaluation



New Features (cont'd):

- •CO maintains complete access to all evaluations, regardless of assignment to CS, COTR, etc.
- •CO's can re-assign evaluations (turnover)
- •Pre-loaded FPDS/Dun& Bradstreet contractor info (less typing)
- Menus and Tabs for faster navigation
- •Simple and advanced, key word searches
- On-line and Helpdesk support, User Guides



Security - 4 Levels plus an Internal Audit Table:

√Secure Socket Layer (SSL) encryption

√Database level

√Application level

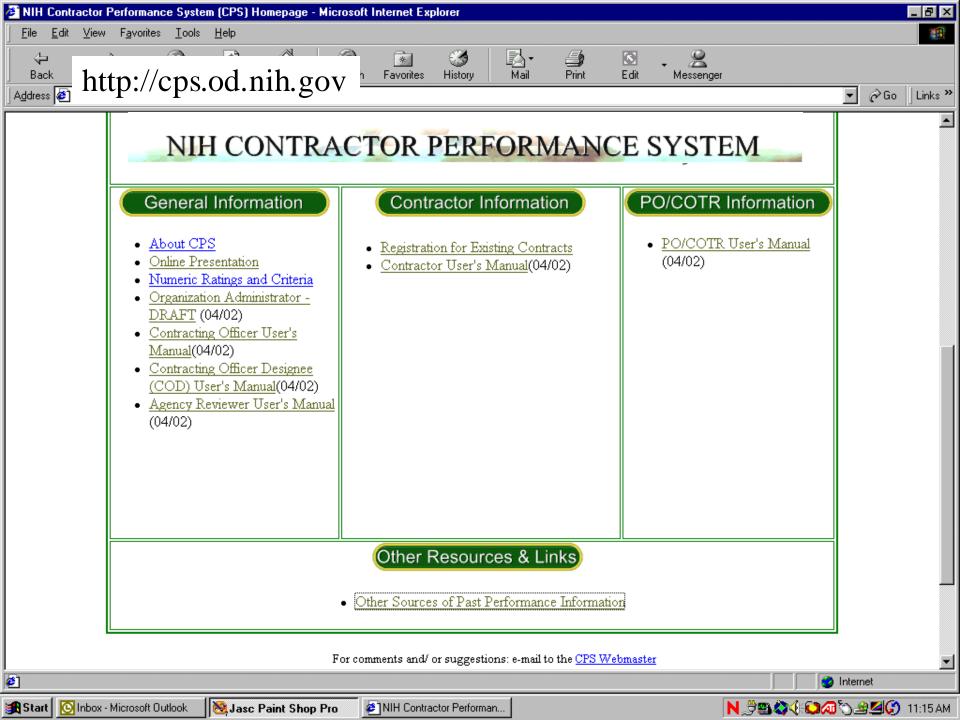
√System level - separate module for each subscribing agency allowing each agency control of agency data and access authority.

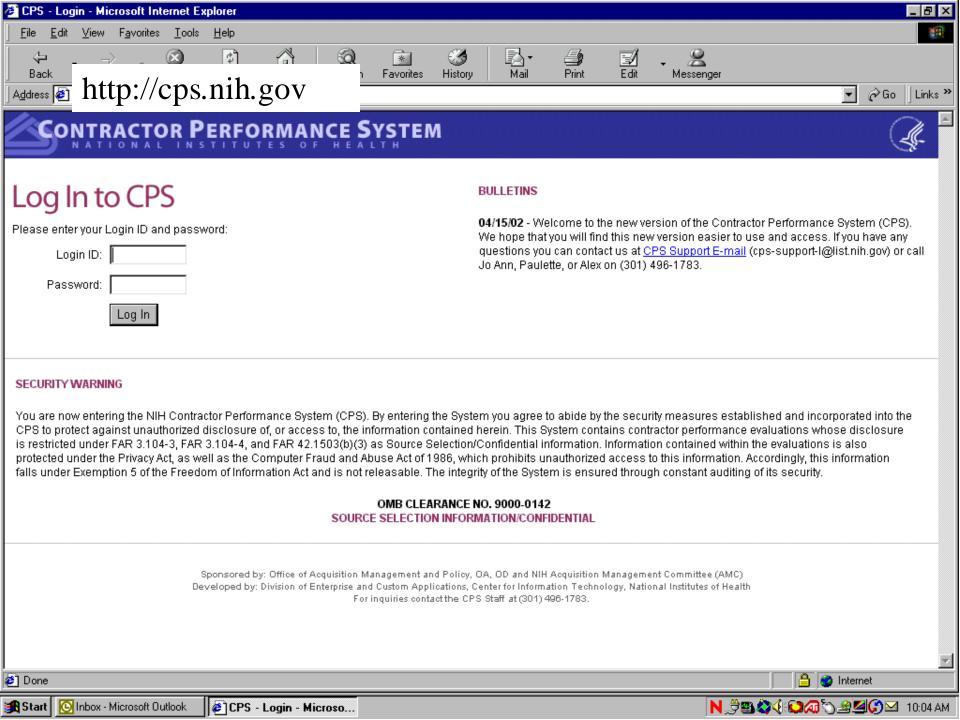
√Treasury logo appears on all printed documents

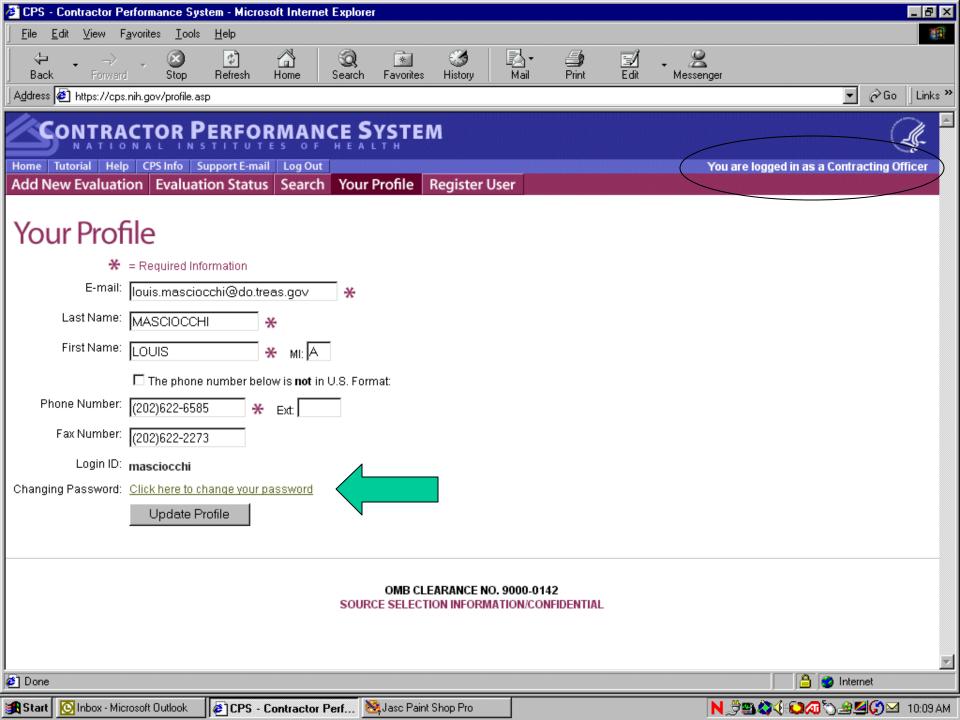


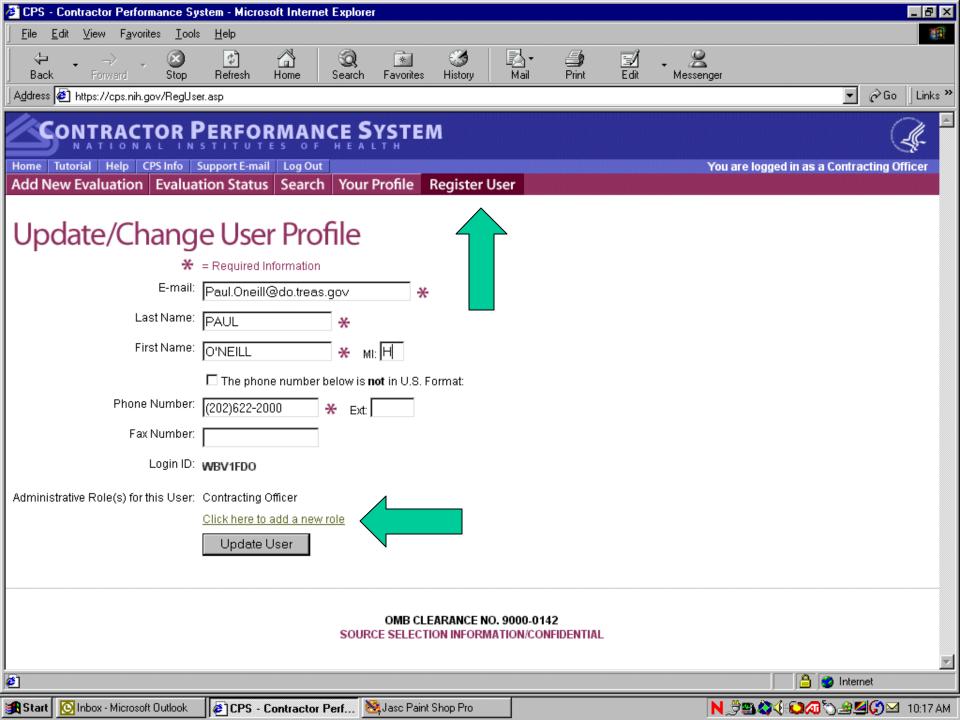
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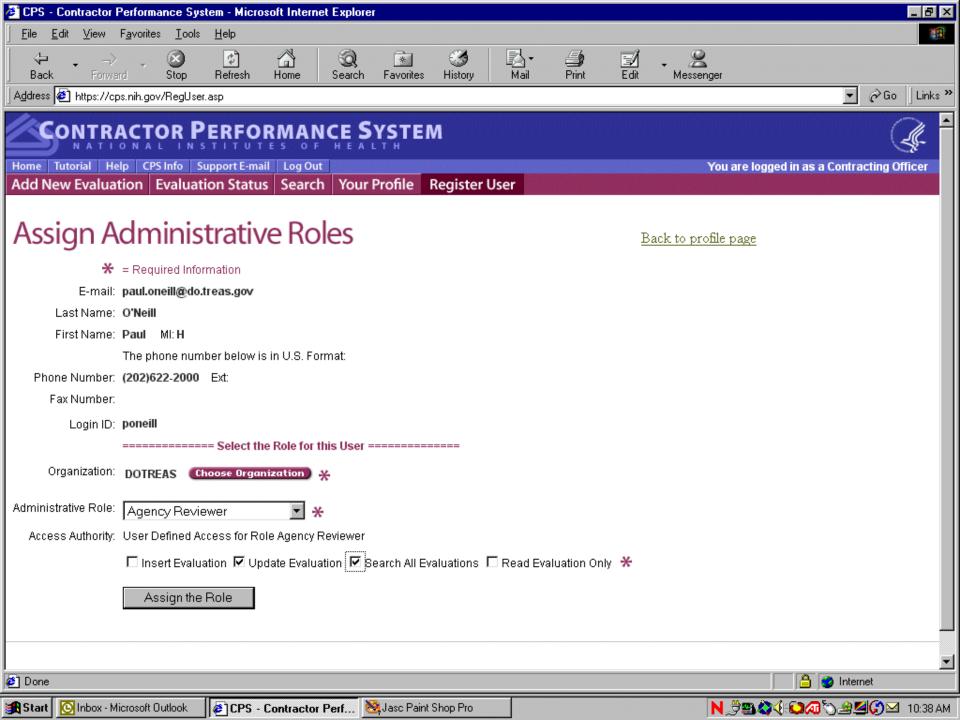
- •Standard and Construction Modules (CO's/high level/create and finalize evaluations)
- Project Officer/COTR Module (limited authority)
- •Contractor Module (Electronic storage of contractors rebuttal/comments and Electronic, encrypted, transmittal of proprietary evaluations to and from contractor).

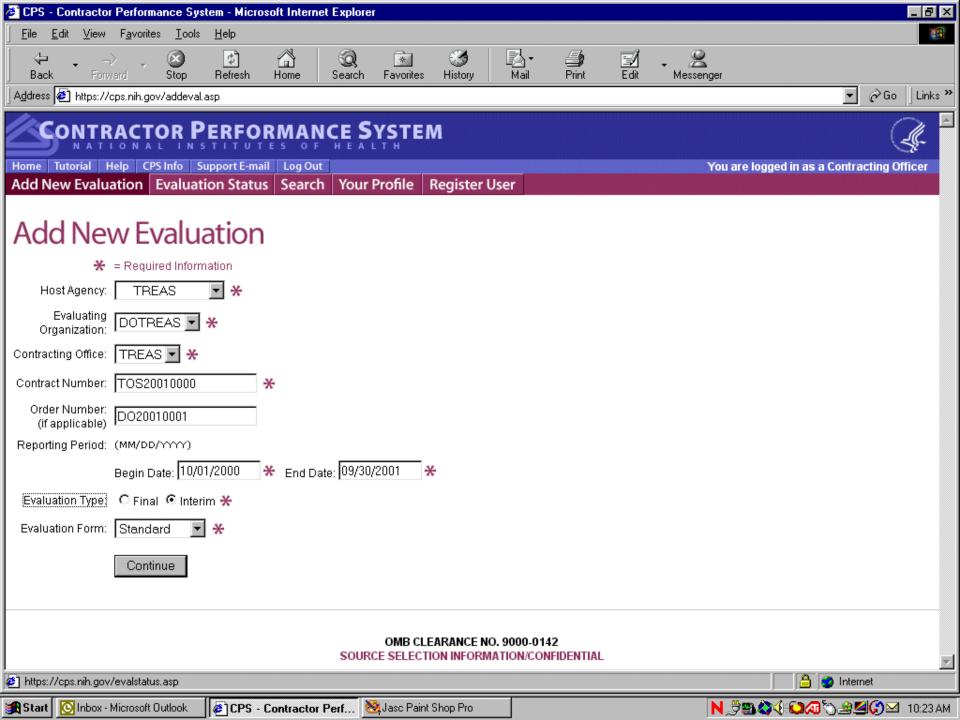


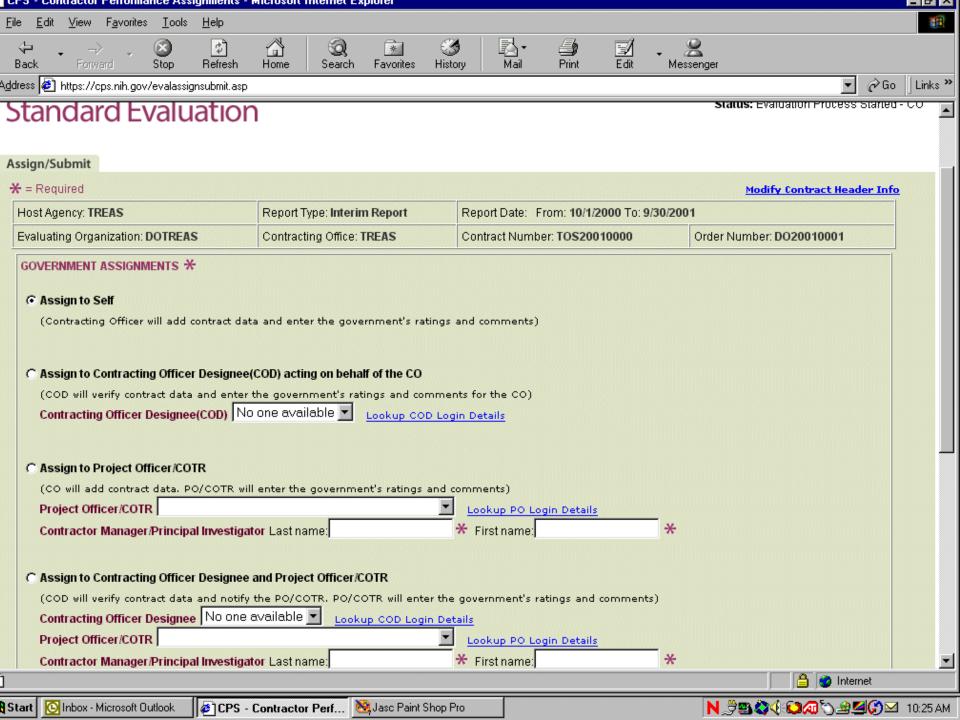


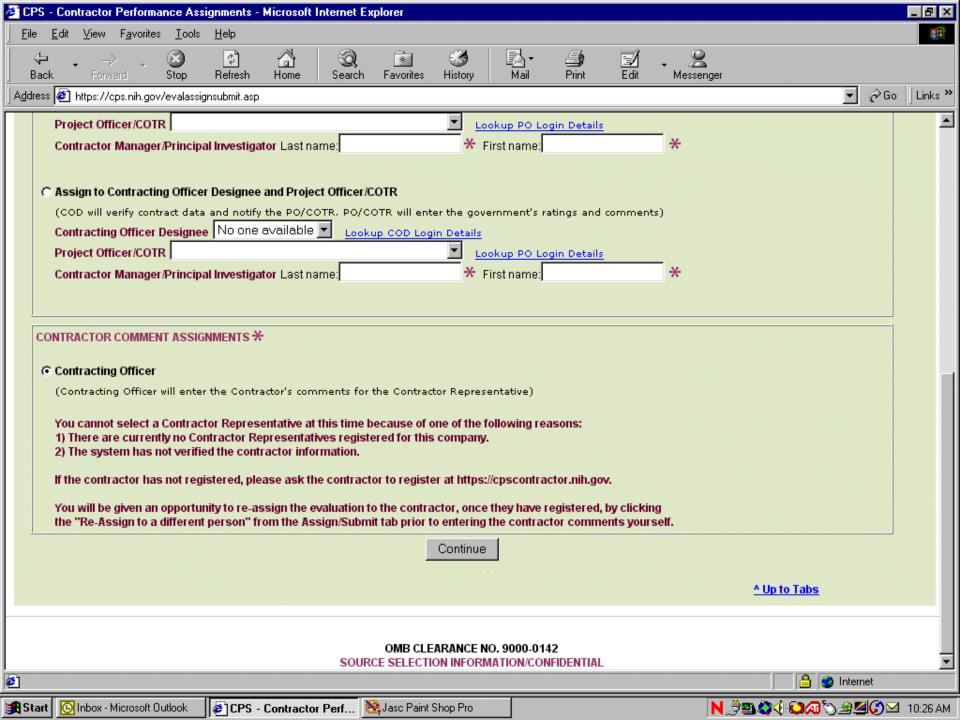


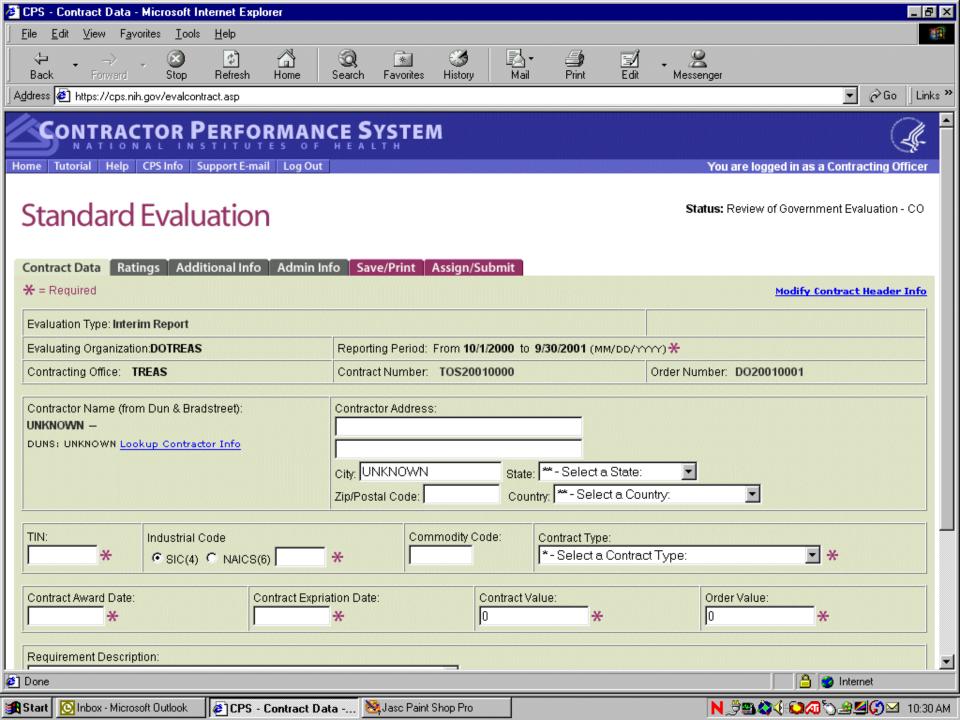












CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE SYSTEM



CPS Info | Support E-mail | Log Out

You are logged in as a Contracting Officer

Standard Evaluation

Status: Evaluation Process Started - CO

This is an Interim Report. The evaluation process has not bee	n completed for this reporting period.	
Reporting Period from 01/02/2000 to	12/31/2000	
Contracting Office: NHLBI	Contract Number: N02RR10006	Task Order Number:
Contractor Name: CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES, INC. Address: 251 BALLARDVALE ST WILMINGTON, MA 01887		TIN: 042055369 DUNS: 019716729 SIC: 8999 Commodity Code: Contract Type: Fixed-Price
Contract Award Date: 10/01/1990	Contract Expiration Date: 09/30/1997	Contract Value: \$ 918,741
Description of requirement: CAESAREAN DELIVERED HARTLEY	GUINEA PIGS	
	RATINGS	



Contractor Performance System (CPS) Data Collected:

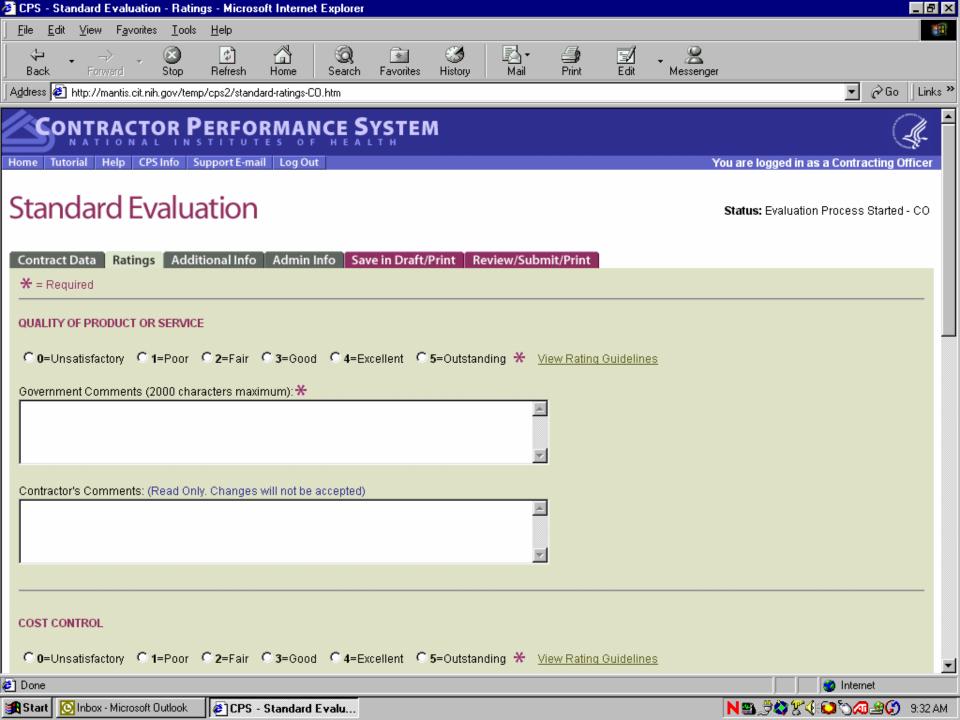
Numerical Ratings and Supporting Narrative on:

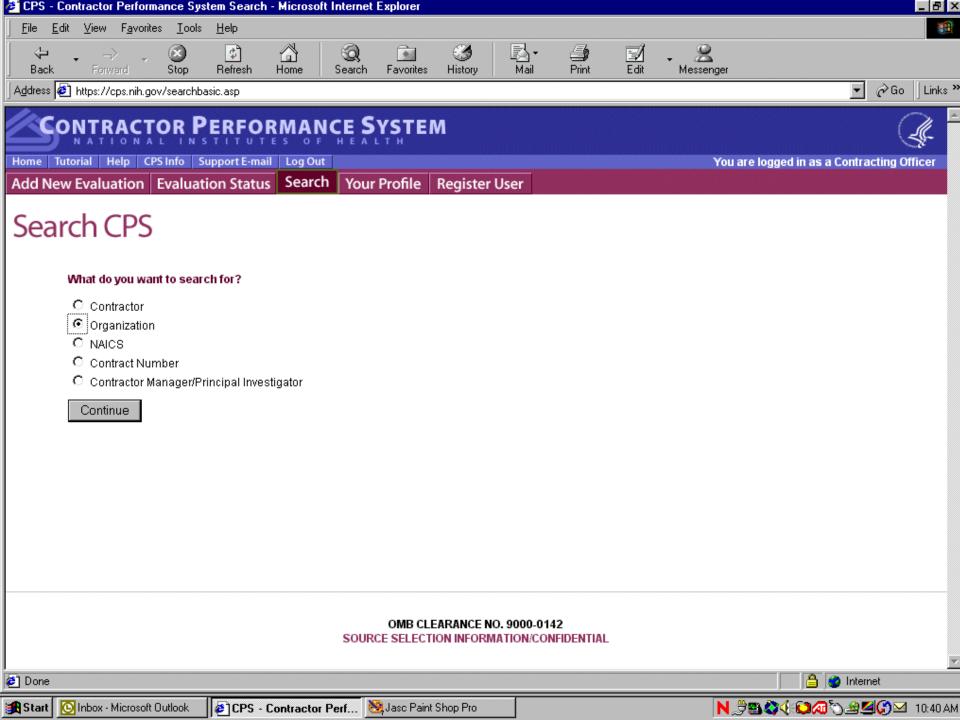
- **6** Quality of Product or Service
- **G**Cost Control
- **5**Timeliness of Performance
- **6** Business Practices
- •Comments on Subcontracts/Socioeconomic Goals
- •Comments on Prime's Oversight of Subcontractors
- •Comments on Key Personnel
- Determination of Commitment to Customer Service

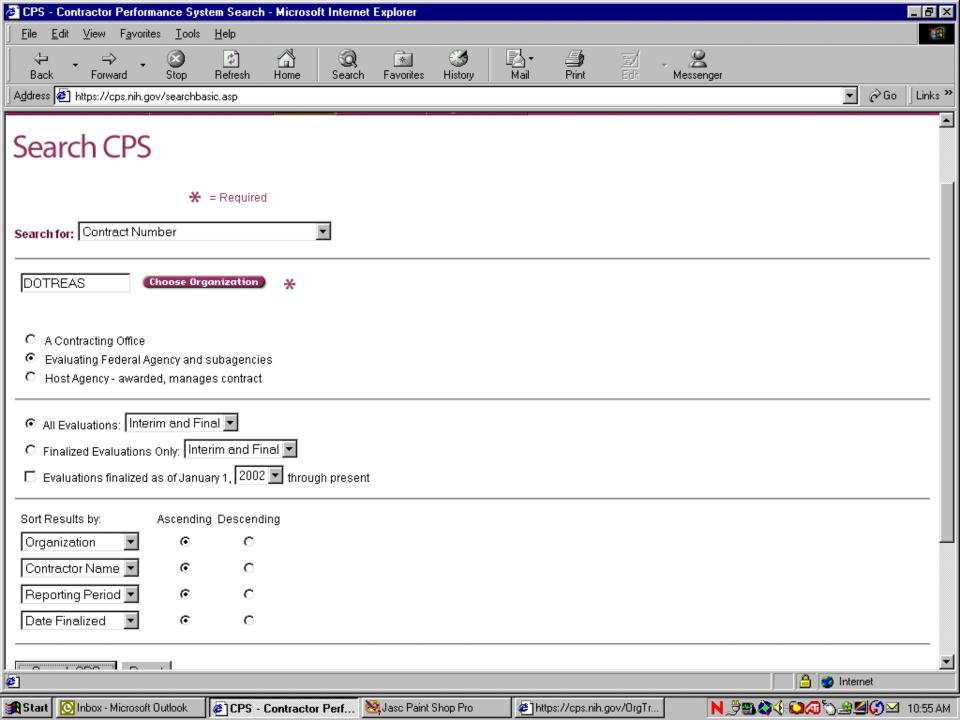


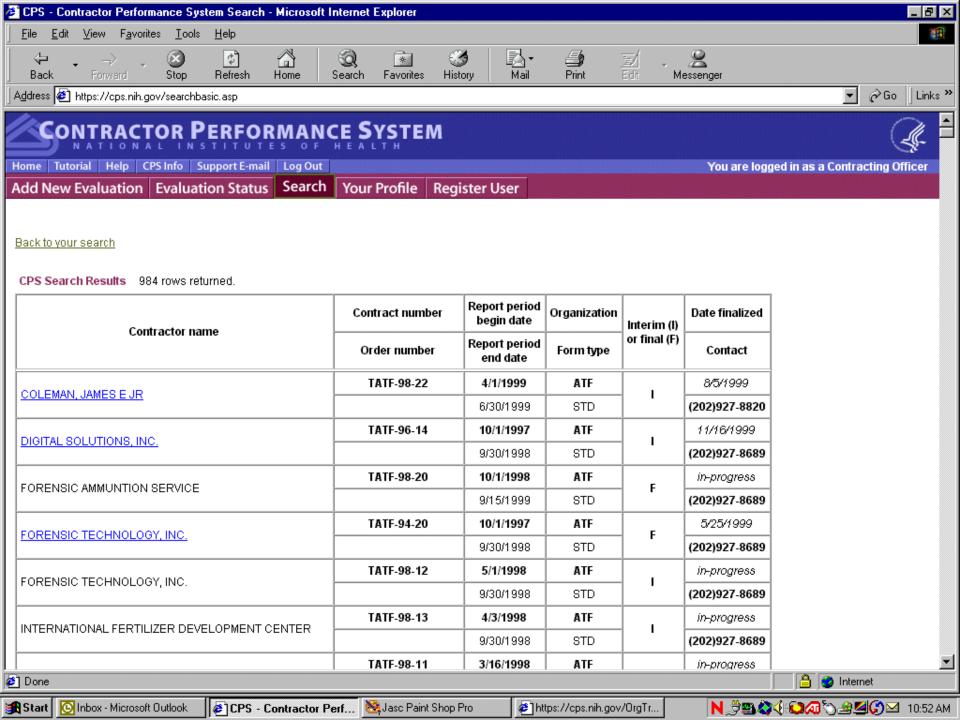
Contractor Rating Scale:

- •0 Unsatisfactory
- •1 Poor
- •2 Fair
- •3 Good
- •4 Excellent
- •5 Outstanding

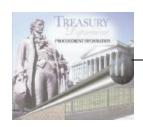






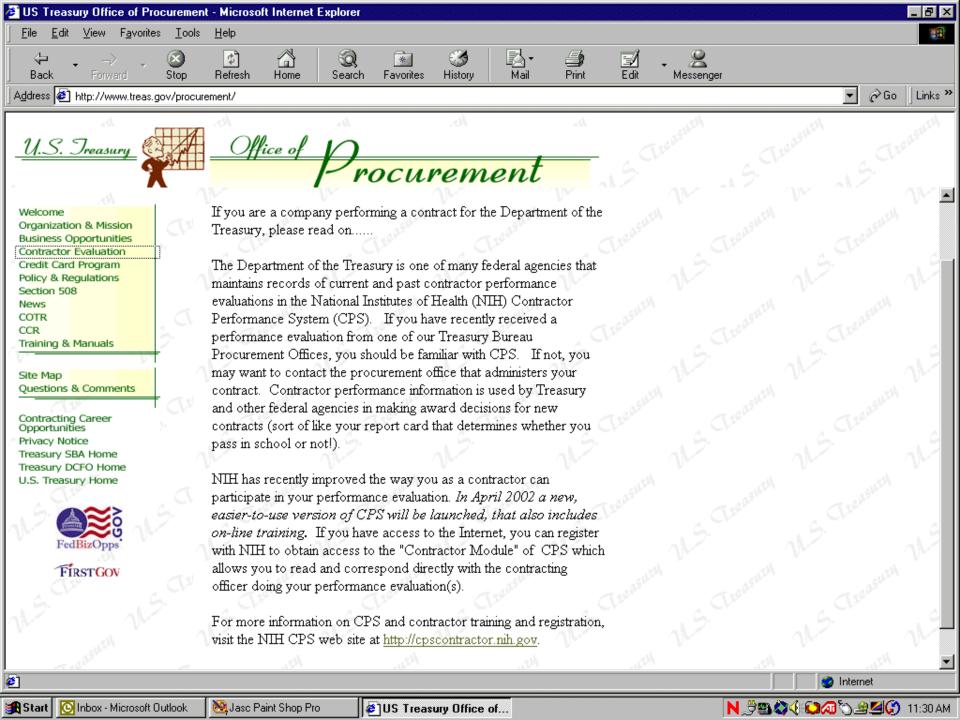


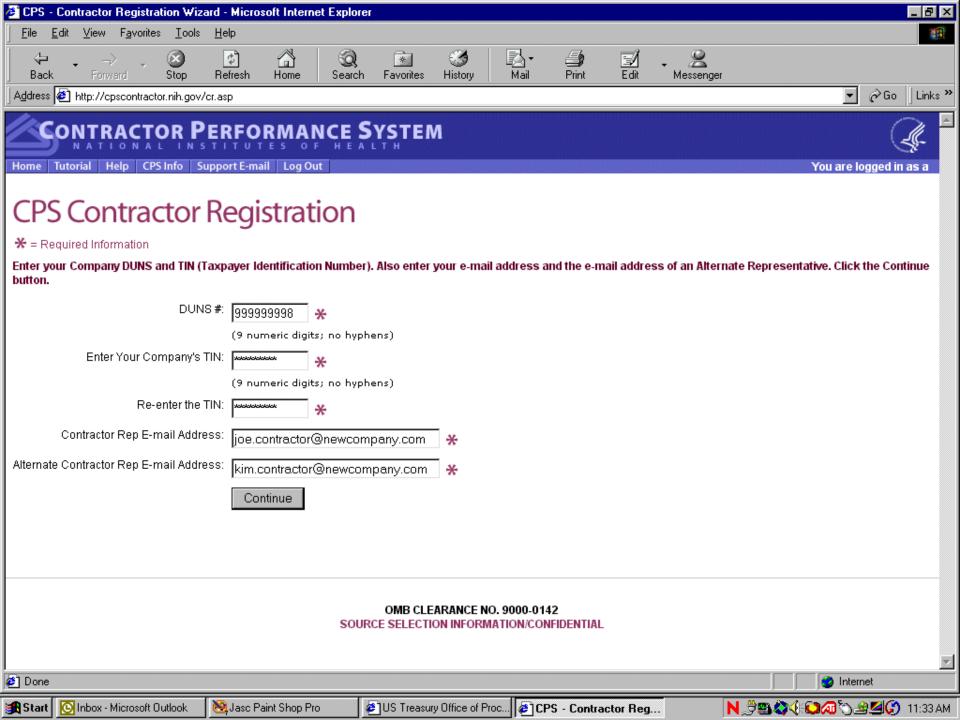


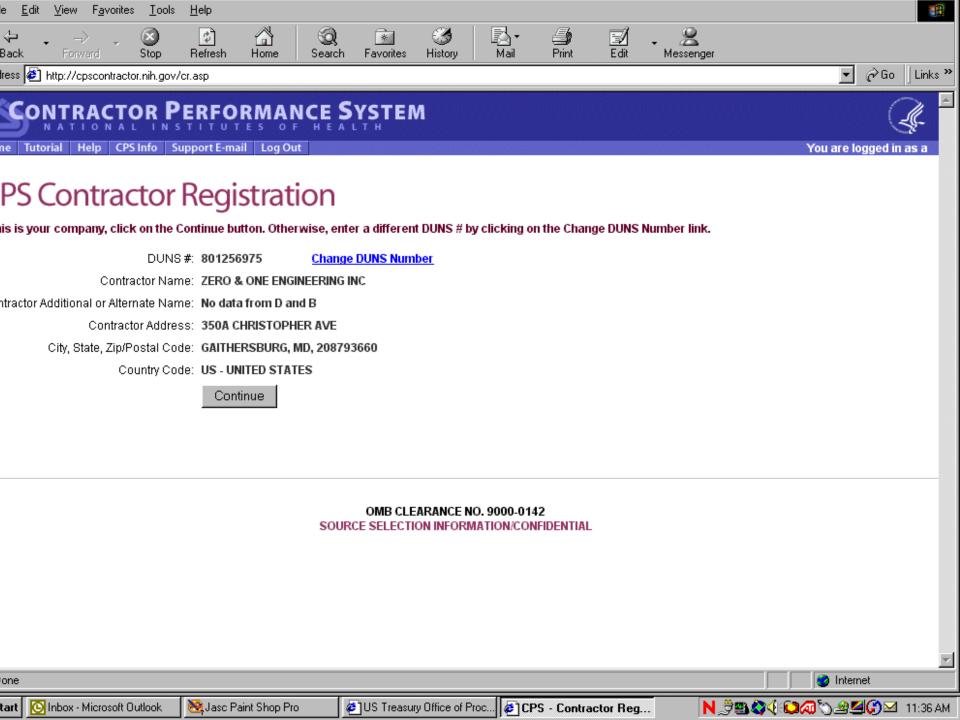


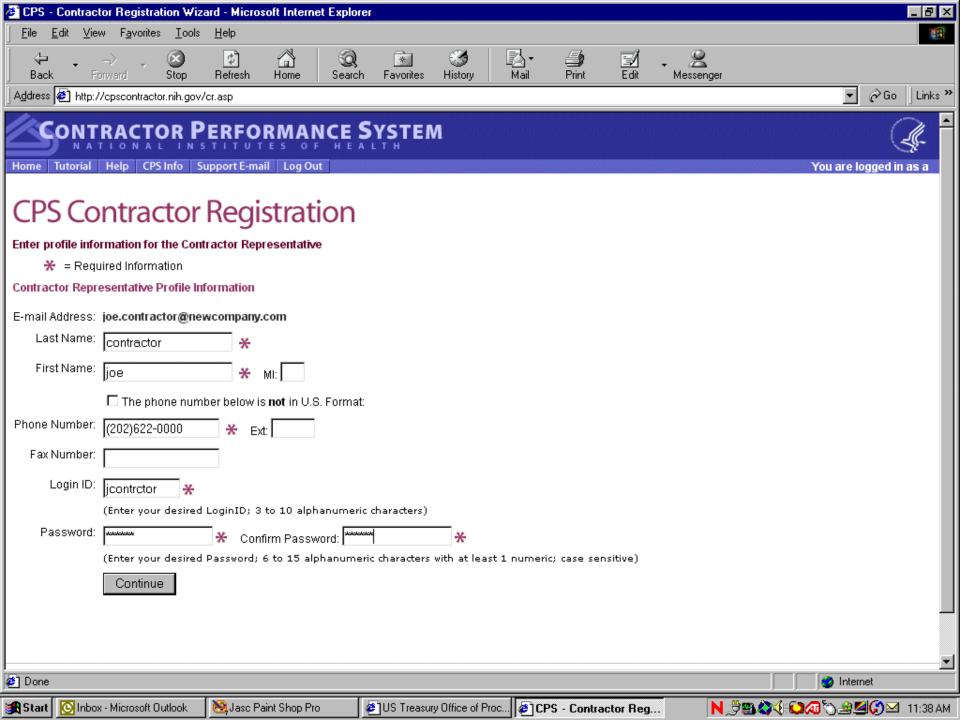
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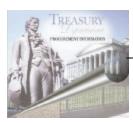
- •Vendor has access to proprietary evaluations only, assigned by Contracting Officer
- •Enables vendor and Government to complete evaluations more efficiently











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