

**Department of Defense**

**252.217-7019**

(b) If any lien or right *in rem* is not immediately discharged, the Government, at the expense of the Contractor, may discharge, or cause to be discharged, the lien or right.

(End of clause)

**252.217-7015 Safety and health.**

As prescribed in 217.7104(a), use the following clause:

SAFETY AND HEALTH (DEC 1991)

Nothing contained in the Master Agreement or any job order shall relieve the Contractor of any obligations it may have to comply with—

(a) The Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (29 U.S.C. 651, *et seq.*);

(b) The Safety and Health Regulations for Ship Repairing (29 CFR part 1915); or

(c) Any other applicable Federal, State, and local laws, codes, ordinances, and regulations.

(End of clause)

**252.217-7016 Plant protection.**

As prescribed in 217.7104(a), use the following clause:

PLANT PROTECTION (DEC 1991)

(a) The Contractor shall provide, for the plant and work in process, reasonable safeguards against all hazards, including unauthorized entry, malicious mischief, theft, vandalism, and fire.

(b) The Contractor shall also provide whatever additional safeguards are necessary to protect the plant and work in process from espionage, sabotage, and enemy action.

(1) The Government shall reimburse the Contractor for that portion of the costs of the additional safeguards that is allocable to the contract in the same manner as if the Contracting Officer had issued a change order for the additional safeguards.

(2) The costs reimbursed shall not include any overhead allowance, unless the overhead is incident to the construction or installation of necessary security devices or equipment.

(c) Upon payment by the Government of the cost of any device or equipment required or approved under paragraph (b) of this clause, title shall vest in the Government.

(1) The Contractor shall comply with the instructions of the Contracting Officer concerning its identification and disposition.

(2) No such device or equipment shall become a fixture as a result of its being affixed to realty not owned by the Government.

(End of clause)

**252.217-7017 Time of delivery.**

As prescribed in 217.7203(a)(1), use the following clause:

TIME OF DELIVERY (DEC 1991)

(a) Ordering offices shall specify delivery locations and quantities in all oral or written delivery orders under this contract.

(b) The Contractor shall complete deliveries within the hours prescribed in the schedule of this contract and on the days specified by the order.

(c) Orders requiring delivery within 24 hours from Contractor receipt are governed by paragraph (e) of the Requirements clause of this contract.

(End of clause)

*Alternate I* (DEC 1991). As prescribed in 217.7203(a)(1), substitute the following paragraph (c) for paragraph (c) of the basic clause:

(c) The Contractor shall not be required to deliver within less than \_\_\_\_\_ hours from the time the Contractor receives a delivery order.

**252.217-7018 Change in plant location—bakery and dairy products.**

As prescribed in 217.7203(a)(2), use the following clause:

CHANGE IN PLANT LOCATION—BAKERY AND DAIRY PRODUCTS (DEC 1991)

(a) The Offeror shall identify in the clause in this solicitation entitled Place of Performance, all plants to be used for manufacturing, processing, and shipment. Failure to furnish this information with the offer may result in rejection of the offer.

(b) The Offeror shall not change any place of performance between the date set for receipt of offers and the award, except where time permits and then only after receipt of the Contracting Officer's written approval.

(c) The Contractor shall not change any place of performance after contract award without advance approval by the Contracting Officer.

(End of clause)

**252.217-7019 Sanitary conditions.**

As prescribed in 217.7203(a)(3), use the following clause:

SANITARY CONDITIONS (DEC 1991)

(a) The Contractor shall ensure that all supplies delivered under this contract, and all plant facilities, machinery, equipment,

and apparatus used in the production, processing, handling, storage, or delivery of these supplies, meet the sanitary standards (including bacteriological requirements) prescribed by the specifications cited in this contract.

(b) The Government reserves the right to inspect and test at any reasonable times all plant facilities, machinery, equipment, and parts used in the production, processing, handling, storage, transportation, or delivery of supplies under this contract.

(c) The Contracting Officer or representative shall notify the Contractor in writing of any failure to meet the sanitary standards (including bacteriological requirements) prescribed by this contract. If the Contractor does not correct the failure within three days from receipt of notice, the Contracting Officer may—

(1) Terminate for default all or part of this contract; or

(2) Suspend work (wholly or partially) under the contract for ten days or any longer period considered necessary to allow correction of the failure.

(d) The suspension does not extend the life of this contract and shall not be considered sufficient reason for extending the delivery time.

(e) During the suspension period, the Government reserves the right to acquire similar supplies from other sources, on whatever terms and in whatever manner the Contracting Officer considers appropriate. The Contractor shall be liable to the Government for any excess costs for those similar supplies.

(f) If the Contractor does not correct the failure within the suspension period, the Contracting Officer may terminate for default the unexpired portion of this contract without allowing additional time for correction, notwithstanding paragraph (a)(2) of the Default (Fixed-Price Supply and Service) clause of this contract.

(End of clause)

*Alternate I* (DEC 1991). As prescribed in 217.7203(a)(3), add the following to paragraph (d) of the basic clause:

In a suspension, the quantity of supplies designated in the schedule as a minimum shall be reduced by an amount proportionate to the ratio between (1) the number of days the work is suspended; and (2) the number of days in the contract period. The quantity of supplies designated as maximum shall not be reduced.

#### **252.217-7020 Examination and testing.**

As prescribed in 217.7203(b)(1), use the following clause:

#### EXAMINATION AND TESTING (DEC 1991)

(a) The Government reserves the right to examine and test all products to be delivered under the contract. Examination and testing of dairy products shall be in accordance with the Veterinary/Medical Wholesomeness Assurance Program for Fresh and Cultured Dairy Products and Frozen Desserts (AR 40-70; NAVSUPINST 4355.6; AFR 161-46; and MCO 10110.44).

(b) *Samples.* (1) The Government shall select the samples. For purposes of this clause, the Contractor agrees that a lot consists of a day's production of the type of product delivered, or intended to be delivered, under this contract.

(2) Samples selected at origin shall be furnished at the Contractor's expense, and shall be considered representative of all the products delivered to the Government from the lot sampled.

(3) Samples selected at destination shall be furnished at Government expense, and shall be considered representative of all of that type product delivered to the Government on the date sampled.

(4) When samples are selected from containers of 1/2 gallon size or smaller, the entire contents of the container shall constitute the sample. When samples are selected from containers larger than 1/2 gallon, a 1/2 pint sample shall be taken for laboratory analysis.

(c) *Deficiencies in amounts.* The Contractor shall reimburse the Government for deficiencies (i.e., amounts less than required in this contract) in the amount of butterfat, milk solids non-fat, or total solids of any type of product as determined by chemical analysis. The amount of the reimbursement shall be determined in accordance with the Deficiency Adjustment clause of this contract. The Government shall not reimburse the Contractor for butterfat, milk solids non-fat, and total solids content in excess of the amount required by this contract.

(d) *Deficiencies in products.* (1) The Contracting Officer or representative shall notify the Contractor orally (with written confirmation) or in writing when two of the last four consecutive lots tested are nonconforming for the same specification requirements. The notice shall be in effect as long as two of the last four consecutive lots tested exceed the same limit of the specification. The Government will take additional samples between 3 and 14 days after the date of the notice.

(2) The Contracting Officer may suspend work under this contract for up to ten days when three out of the last five consecutive lots tested are nonconforming for the same specification requirement, or when any deficiency causes the production of a product which is considered to be a health hazard.