

Commerce Acquisition Manual
CAM Notice 06-01

1. ***Title or Purpose:*** Department of Commerce Competitive Sourcing Policy and Procedures
2. ***File in:*** CAM, Part 7, Subpart 3, Section 70 1307.370
3. ***Effective:*** December 14, 2005
4. ***Applicability:*** The Department of Commerce personnel participating in any of the following activities as it relates to the successful management of the competitive sourcing program and reporting requirements as described in the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-76 and the Federal Activities Inventory Reform (FAIR) Act of 1998:
 - Management of or participation in the program at the department, bureau, or Office of the Secretary level. Activities include, but are not limited to completion of FAIR Act inventory, conducting feasibility studies, streamlined or standard competitions, implementing and monitoring competition winners, and oversight or reporting of program activity results.
5. ***Supersedes:*** Not applicable
6. ***Implementing Guidance:*** All personnel described above should read and understand the attached CAM. Contents include: competitive sourcing program introduction, policy and purpose, definitions, management roles and responsibilities, and operational roles and responsibilities (guidance on planning, competitions, implementation of competitive sourcing decisions, and post competition accountability).



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