Use this provision in Section M of the solicitation if a fixed price type contract is contemplated and the "Partnering" local provision was selected for inclusion in Section L.

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Any decision to engage in the Partnering process will be made after contract award. Any anticipated costs associated with the implementation of the Partnering process should not be included in the offeror's proposed cost or price. Accordingly, proposed Partnering efforts will not be evaluated or considered a factor for award, and will not be evaluated or considered for price realism purposes.