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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE/GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION/NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (FAR)

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### Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

**AGENCIES:** Department of Defense (DoD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Semiannual regulatory agenda.

**SUMMARY:** This agenda provides summary descriptions of regulations being developed by the Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council in compliance with Executive Order 12866 "Regulatory Planning and Review." This agenda is being published to allow interested persons an opportunity to participate in the rulemaking process.

The Regulatory Secretariat Division has attempted to list all regulations pending at the time of publication, except for minor and routine or repetitive actions; however, unanticipated requirements may result in the issuance of regulations that are not included in this agenda. There is no legal significance to the omission of an item from this listing. Also, the dates shown for the steps of each action are estimated and are not commitments to act on or by the dates shown.

Published proposed rules may be reviewed in their entirety at the Government's rulemaking website at http://www.regulations.gov.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** DoD, GSA, and NASA, under their several statutory authorities, jointly issue and maintain the FAR through periodic issuance of changes published in the **Federal Register** and produced electronically as Federal Acquisition Circulars (FACs).

The electronic version of the FAR, including changes, can be accessed on the FAR website at http://www.acquisition.gov/far.

Dated: September 3, 2009. David A. Drabkin, Senior Procurement Executive, Office of Acquisition Policy.

### DOD/GSA/NASA (FAR)—Final Rule Stage

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
462 463	FAR Case 2006-005, HUBZone Program Revisions	9000–AL18 9000–AL21

## DOD/GSA/NASA (FAR)—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
464	FAR Case 2006-034, Socioeconomic Program Parity	9000-AK92

# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE/GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION/NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (FAR)

Final Rule Stage

## 462. FAR CASE 2006-005, HUBZONE PROGRAM REVISIONS

**Legal Authority:** 40 USC 121(c); 10 USC ch 137; 42 USC 2473(c)

Abstract: The Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council (Councils) are proposing to amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to implement revisions to the Small Business Administration's HUBZone Program as a result of revisions to the Small Business Administration's regulations. This was not a significant regulatory action and, therefore, was not subject to review under section 6 of Executive Order 12866, Regulatory Planning and Review, dated September 30, 1993. This rule is not a major rule under 5 U.S.C. 804.

#### Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/13/09	74 FR 16823

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	06/12/09	
Final Rule	06/00/10	

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: Yes

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## FAR Final Rule Stage

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## 463. FAR CASE 2009-009, AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT—REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

**Legal Authority:** 40 USC 121(c); 10 USC ch 137; 42 USC 2473(c)

Abstract: The Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council (the Councils) are issuing an interim rule amending the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to implement section 1512 of Division A of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, which requires contractors to report on their use of Recovery Act funds.

This is a significant regulatory action and, therefore, was subject to Office of Management and Budget (OMB) review under section 6(b) of Executive Order 12866 "Regulatory Planning and Review," dated September 30, 1993. This rule is not a major rule under 5 U.S.C. 804.

#### Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	03/31/09	74 FR 14639

Action Date FR Cite

Interim Final Rule Comment Period End
Final Rule 12/00/09

## **Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required:** Yes

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE/GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION/NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (FAR)

**Long-Term Actions** 

### 464. FAR CASE 2006–034, SOCIOECONOMIC PROGRAM PARITY

**Legal Authority:** 40 USC 121(c); 10 USC ch 137; 42 USC 2473(c)

Abstract: The Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council (Councils) are proposing to amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to ensure that the FAR reflects the Small Business Administration's (SBA) interpretation of the Small Business Act and SBA regulations with regard to the relationship among various small business programs. This is not a significant regulatory action and, therefore, was not subject to review under section 6(b) of Executive Order 12866, Regulatory Planning and Review, dated September 30, 1993. The rule is not a major rule under 5 U.S.C. 804.

#### Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/10/08	73 FR 12699
NPRM Comment Period End	05/09/08	
Final Rule	12/00/10	

## Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

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