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## SUBPART 5605.1 - DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION

### 5605.102 Availability of Solicitations.

*(Revised August 2016)*

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(A) When posting is required, contracting offices shall post all solicitations over $25,000 electronically on [Government Point of Entry](https://beta.sam.gov/) (GPE) website.

(B) When electronic dissemination of a solicitation is not practical, the Contracting Officer shall annotate the contract file with the rationale for the decision. No annotation is required for classified solicitations.

## SUBPART 5605.2 - SYNOPSES OF PROPOSED CONTRACT ACTIONS

### 5605.207 Preparation and Transmittal of Synopses.

(a)

(i) Contracting offices must use the Government Point of Entry (GPE) at [beta.SAM](https://beta.sam.gov/) to submit synopses to the maximum extent possible.

(ii) When release of government controlled technical data is required in a solicitation, the synopsis will include a statement for potential offerors to identify whether or not they are foreign owned, controlled, or influenced companies.

## SUBPART 5605.3 - SYNOPSES OF CONTRACT AWARDS

### 5605.302 Preparation and Transmittal of Synopses of Awards.

*(Revised November 2018)*

(i) Contracting officers must not post or attach the actual contract document to contract award synopses posted to the GPE. SOF AT&L-KM/KX/KB and the legal staff must approve all requests for exception to this policy.

(ii) A security review is required for contract award synopsis and public announcements not exempt IAW 5.202(a)(1), National Security, and must be filed with the public award announcement in the contract file.

### 5605.303 Announcement of Contract Awards.

*(Revised June 2021)*

See the DCG for additional guidance, procedures, and suggested formats.

## SUBPART 5605.4 – RELEASE OF INFORMATION

*(Added November 2018)*

### 5605.403 Requests from Members of Congress

The release of information must be coordinated with SOF AT&L-KM/KX/KB as appropriate.

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