**AFARS – PART 5112**

**Acquisition of Commercial Items**

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### Subpart 5112.1 – Acquisition of Commercial Items – General

#### 5112.102 Applicability.

(a)(i)(B)(*3*) Section 1244 of the James M. Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 as amended by section 1242 of the NDAA for FY 2024 allows for temporary authorizations. In accordance with section (C)(4) of [DPCAP Class Deviation 2024-O0005 Temporary Authorizations for Covered Contracts Related to Ukraine, Taiwan, and Israel](https://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/policy/policyvault/USA002760-23-DPC.pdf) Contracting officers carrying out a procurement of a product or service for a covered contract may treat the product or service as a commercial product or a commercial service, similar to allowances for commercial solutions openings, for the purpose of carrying out the procurement. See AFARS 5153.206-93 for instructions for reporting covered contracts applicable under this subpart to congressional defense committees.

(a)(ii)(B) The head of the contracting activity shall perform the duties under DFARS 212.102(a)(ii)(B). See [Appendix GG](https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/:x:/r/sites/ASA-ALT-PAM-PP/AFARSPDF/AFARSGG.xlsx?d=w5cd5fba948e94467be69dbb717e123ce&csf=1&web=1&e=TlDEWz) for further delegation.

(f) The head of the contracting activity has the authority to make the determination as described in FAR 12.102(f). See [Appendix GG](https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/:x:/r/sites/ASA-ALT-PAM-PP/AFARSPDF/AFARSGG.xlsx?d=w5cd5fba948e94467be69dbb717e123ce&csf=1&web=1&e=TlDEWz) for further delegation.

### Subpart 5112.2 – Special Requirements for the Acquisition of Commercial Items

#### 5112.207 Contract type.

(b)(iii) The Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology) has the authority to make the determination as described in DFARS 212.207(b)(iii). See [Appendix GG](https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/:x:/r/sites/ASA-ALT-PAM-PP/AFARSPDF/AFARSGG.xlsx?d=w5cd5fba948e94467be69dbb717e123ce&csf=1&web=1&e=TlDEWz) for further delegation.

#### 5112.272 Preference for certain commercial products and services.

(b)(2)(i) The head of the contracting activity has the authority to make the determination as described in DFARS 212.272(b)(2)(i). See [Appendix GG](https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/:x:/r/sites/ASA-ALT-PAM-PP/AFARSPDF/AFARSGG.xlsx?d=w5cd5fba948e94467be69dbb717e123ce&csf=1&web=1&e=TlDEWz) for further delegation.

### Subpart 5112.3 – Solicitation Provisions and Contract Clauses for the Acquisition of Commercial Items

#### 5112.301 Solicitation provisions and contract clauses for the acquisition of commercial items.

(b)(4)(i) The Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology), on a non-delegable basis, shall perform the function as described in FAR 12.301(b)(4)(i). See [Appendix GG](https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/:x:/r/sites/ASA-ALT-PAM-PP/AFARSPDF/AFARSGG.xlsx?d=w5cd5fba948e94467be69dbb717e123ce&csf=1&web=1&e=TlDEWz).

#### 5112.302 Tailoring of provisions and clauses for the acquisition of commercial items.

(c) The head of the contracting activity is the approval authority. See [Appendix GG](https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/:x:/r/sites/ASA-ALT-PAM-PP/AFARSPDF/AFARSGG.xlsx?d=w5cd5fba948e94467be69dbb717e123ce&csf=1&web=1&e=TlDEWz) for further delegation.