

Commercial Contracting Authorities*

FAR 13.5 –

Use of Simplified Acquisition Procedures for commercial procurements under \$7.5M

Nontraditional Defense Contractor–

DFARS 212.102 allows the use of commercial acquisition procedures without the need for commercial determination

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DFARS 212.102 requires the use of commercial acquisition procedures for the procurement of services using same pool of employees/ similar pricing structure

Nontraditional authority may apply to Primes, subs. Specific to the top middle box, the permissive authority is retained at the PCO; e.g. a prime cannot grant this authority to a subcontractor

Commercial Preference –

FAR 10.001 (3) determine if commercial solutions are available to meet agency needs, modified to meet agency needs, or requirements could update to leverage commercial solutions

Commercial Contracting

FAR 12 – Acquire commercial products & services, exempt from certified cost or pricing data. Use SF1449

Commercial Preference (IT) –

DFARS 239.101 requirement to buy IT products and services commercial or HCA determine in writing no commercial are available