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APTAC Body of Knowledge Competency Guide C. Basics of Contracting with Government Entities C.9 Bids and Solicitations

Description

- 1. Procurement Methods:
 - a) Sealed Bids
 - b) Contracting by Negotiation
- 2. Types of Solicitations
 - a) Invitation for Bid (IFB)
 - b). Request for Proposal (RFP)
- 3. Contract Types
 - a) Fixed-Price
 - b) Cost-Reimbursement
 - c) Other
 - 1) Time and Materials
 - 2) Labor-Hour
 - 3) Indefinite Delivery
 - 4) Letter
- 4. Uniform Contract Format

Part I – Schedule

Part II – Contract Clauses

Part III – Documents, Exhibits & Attachments

- 5. Proposal Elements
 - a. Technical Proposal
 - b. Cost Proposal

References

Federal Acquisition Regulation

FAR 14 Sealed Bidding

FAR 15 Contracting by Negotiation

FAR 16 Types of Contracts

FAR 31 Contract Cost Principles and Procedures

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CLC003 Sealed Bidding SPS102 Contracts for Production CLC104 Analyzing Profit or Fee CLC Contract Negotiation Techniques CLC133 Contract Payment Instructions CLC034 Provisional Award Fee FAC014 Time and Materials Contracts CLC060 Time and Materials Contracts