

Panama Canal Commission

3501.403

the PAR have been approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (Pub. L. 96-511). OMB control number 3207-0007 is assigned to the following PAR sections:

PAR Sections

3513.107(a)(4)(i)
3513.107(a)(4)(ii)
3513.107(a)(4)(iii)
3513.107(a)(4)(iv)
3515.804-6
3536.571

Subpart 3501.2—Administration

3501.201 Maintenance of the FAR.

3501.201-1 The two councils.

(e)(2) The Commission's Procurement Executive, in consultation with the General Counsel, is responsible for overseeing the development of the agency position on proposed revisions to the FAR and responding to the FAR Secretariat when such action is appropriate.

Subpart 3501.3—Agency Acquisition Regulations

3501.301 Policy.

(a)(1) The Procurement Executive, in consultation with the General Counsel and such other agency officials as may be appropriate, is responsible for the development, preparation, and maintenance of PAR issuances by the Administrator. In addition, the Procurement Executive is authorized to issue internal policies, procedures, instructions, and guidelines to clarify or implement the FAR or PAR within the Commission. Such internal issuances are subject to review by the General Counsel.

(2) Heads of contracting activities and division chiefs are authorized to issue internal guidance of the type described in FAR 1.301(a)(2).

(b) Public participation in the promulgation of the PAR shall be in the same manner as specified for the FAR in FAR subpart 1.5. Where solicitation of public comment on significant revisions is impracticable prior to promulgation, the revisions may be set forth in temporary regulations. Comments will be solicited on the temporary reg-

ulations and considered prior to formulating the final regulations.

3501.303 Publication and codification.

(a) The PAR is codified as chapter 35 in title 48, Code of Federal Regulations.

(c) The PAR replaces the former Part 87—Procurement, of the Panama Canal Administration and Regulations (PCAR), in its entirety.

3501.304 Agency control and compliance procedures.

(a) Whenever contracting activities and organizational components thereof wish to propose for publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER an agency acquisition regulation that they consider necessary to implement or supplement the FAR or PAR, they must prepare a memorandum that explains the need, background, justification, and significant aspects of the proposed regulation and send it to the Procurement Executive. The Procurement Executive and General Counsel will (1) review the proposed regulation to assure compliance with FAR part 1, and (2) either approve or disapprove it. If approved, the Procurement Executive will prepare the proposed regulation in FEDERAL REGISTER format for issuance by the Administrator.

Subpart 3501.4—Deviations From the FAR and PAR

3501.401 Definition.

A deviation from the PAR is defined in the same manner as a deviation from the FAR (see FAR 1.401).

3501.403 Individual deviations.

Requests for individual deviations from the FAR and the PAR shall be submitted by the Head of the Contracting Activity (HCA) through the General Counsel to the Procurement Executive for approval. Requests submitted shall cite the specific part of the FAR or PAR from which it is desired to deviate, shall set forth the nature of the deviation(s), and shall give the reasons for the action requested. The Procurement Executive shall transmit copies of approved individual FAR deviations to the FAR Secretariat.