MICRO-PURCHASE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT (NDAA) SECTION 889 REPRESENTATION							
For additional information see: <u>https://www.acquisition.gov/FAR-Case-2019-009/889_Part_B</u>							
1. Merchant has an active registration in SAM ( <u>www.sam.gov</u> ) <u>and</u> FAR 52.204-26 is dated Oct 2020 (or later) Merchant is not registered in SAM ( <u>www.sam.gov</u> ) <u>or</u> is registered, but FAR 52.204-26 is dated earlier than Oct 2020							
2. Company Name / Merchant (Offeror)					3. Date		
4. Company Street Address			5. City		6. State	7. Zip Code	
8. Owner or Designated Representative Name		9. E-mail			10. Telephone Number		
11. Unique Entity ID ( <i>if applicable</i> )	12. Cage Code Number ( <i>if applicable</i> ) 13. SAM Registra			ation Expiration Date ( <i>if applicable</i> )			
<ul> <li>14. Complete the following FAR 52.204-26 Representation:</li> <li>COVERED TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES-REPRESENTATION (OCT 2020)</li> <li>(a) Definitions. As used in this provision, "covered telecommunications equipment or services" and "reasonable inquiry" have the meaning provided in the clause 52.204-25, Prohibition on Contracting for Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment.</li> <li>(b) Procedures. The Offeror shall review the list of excluded parties in the System for Award Management (SAM) (https://www.sam.gov) for entities excluded from receiving federal awards for "covered telecommunications equipment or services".</li> <li>(c)(1) Representation. The Offeror represents that it does, does not provide covered telecommunications equipment or services as a part of its offered products or to the Government in the performance of any contract, subcontract, or other contractual instrument.</li> <li>(2) After conducting a reasonable inquiry for purposes of this representation, the offeror represents that it does, does not provide services.</li> <li>Signature of Owner or Designated Representative identified in Block 8 above.</li> </ul>							
Additional Disclosure Instructions to Merchant/Offeror (if applicable)         (a) If the Offeror represents in (c)(1) above that, "it <i>does</i> provide covered telecommunications equipment []", then the Offeror should go to FAR 52.204-24 Representation Regarding Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment, paragraph (e)(1) <i>Disclosures</i> ( <a href="https://www.acquisition.gov/far/part-52#FAR_52_204_24">https://www.acquisition.gov/far/part-52#FAR_52_204_24</a> ) to identify the additional documentation that should accompany this representation when sending it back to the sender.							
(b) If the Offeror represents in (c)(2) above that, "it <i>does</i> use covered telecommunications equipment []", then							

(b) If the Offeror represents in (c)(2) above that, it *abes* use covered telecommunications equipment [...], the Offeror should go to FAR 52.204-24 -- Representation Regarding Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment, paragraph (e)(2) *Disclosures* (<u>https://www.acquisition.gov/far/part-52#FAR\_52\_204\_24</u>) to identify the additional documentation that should accompany this representation when sending it back to the sender.

## **PURPOSE**

To obtain <u>889 Representation</u> from a vendor providing supplies and/or services to the US Government who does not have an updated FAR 52.204-26 (Oct 2020) in the System for Award Management (SAM).

An <u>889 Representation</u> is **not required** for <u>SF-182 training purchases</u>, <u>intra-governmental/inter-governmental</u> purchases, or purchases against a contract (including BPAs). For these purchases, the <u>889 annotation</u> is: <u>889</u> <u>Payment</u>. See instructions below.

An <u>889 Representation</u> is **not required** from any merchant who has an <u>active SAM Registration with an</u> <u>updated FAR 52.204-26 (Oct 2020)</u>. Cardholders may verify the SAM Registration by using either the Robotic Process Automation (RPA) or verifying at <u>www.sam.gov</u> directly:

- a. To use the RPA, send an email to <u>info@section889request.com</u> with a valid UEI or CAGE Code number in the subject line and no text in the body of the email. The system should send a response within 5 minutes. For further instructions, see *Instructions for Robotic Process Automation Capability for Confirming Section 889 Prospective Offeror Responses in the System for Award Management.*
- b. To verify in SAM directly, go to: <u>www.sam.gov</u>. You MUST sign in to use SAM. Locate the merchant using the Search link [CAGE Codes do not contain the letter O; only zero (0)]. Click the Merchant Name. Click the Reps & Certs link on the left side of the screen. Scroll down to FAR 52.204-26. Press the link (FAR 52.204-26) to open the representation. Verify the date of the clause: COVERED TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES REPRESENTATION (Oct 2020).

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

An <u>889 annotation</u> is required in Access Online for every purchase. For GFEBS orders, cardholders must manually type the 889 annotation in the <u>Transaction Management</u> – <u>Comments</u> box. For manual orders created in Access Online, cardholders must manually type the annotation in the <u>889 Designation</u> box. See the appropriate US Bank 889 instruction documents for further guidance on the specific locations of these boxes, if needed.

- 1. Verify the <u>889 Representation</u> by using one of the two methods listed under paragraphs a or b above. Send the 889 Representation to any merchant providing supplies and/or services to the government who does not have or appear to have an active registration in SAM with the appropriate <u>Oct 2020</u> clause listed in b above.
- 2. Refer to the e-mail provided by RPA or the blocks checked under FAR 52.204-26(c)(2) either from the 889 Representation provided by merchant or the merchant information in SAM to determine the appropriate 889 annotation

889 Annotation	Merchant (Offeror) Representation noted in FAR 52.204-26(c)(2):
889 Merchant Rep	Merchant provided a "does not" response. Cardholder relied upon the merchant representation.
889 Agency	Merchant provided a " <i>does</i> " response. Cardholder, in conjunction with written support and approval from the supporting contracting office, determined a FAR 4.2104 approved Executive Agency waiver exception applies. Cardholder relied upon the agency waiver.
889 Exception	Merchant provided a " <i>does</i> " response. Cardholder, in conjunction with written support and approval from the supporting contracting office, determined a FAR 52.204-25 (c) exception applies. Cardholder relied upon the exception.

3. Upload the RPA e-mail or 889 Representation along with all other supporting documents into Transaction Management in Access Online for the respective transaction.