46.304 Fixed-price service contracts.

The *contracting officer shall* insert the clause at 52.246-4, *Inspection* of Services-Fixed-Price, in *solicitations* and contracts for services, or *supplies* that involve the furnishing of services, when a fixed-price contract is contemplated and the contract amount is expected to exceed the *simplified acquisition threshold*. The *contracting officer may* insert the clause in such *solicitations* and contracts when the contract amount is expected to be at or below the *simplified acquisition threshold* and inclusion is in the Government's interest.

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