

# 52.247-21 Contractor Liability for Personal Injury and/or Property Damage.

As prescribed in [47.207-7\(c\)](#), insert the following clause in *solicitations* and contracts for transportation or for transportation-related services:

Contractor Liability for Personal Injury and/or Property Damage (Apr 1984)

(a) The Contractor assumes responsibility for all damage or injury to persons or property occasioned through the use, maintenance, and operation of the Contractor's vehicles or other equipment by, or the action of, the Contractor or the Contractor's employees and agents.

(b) The Contractor, at the Contractor's expense, *shall* maintain adequate public liability and property damage *insurance* during the continuance of this contract, insuring the Contractor against all *claims* for injury or damage.

(c) The Contractor *shall* maintain Workers' Compensation and other legally required *insurance* with respect to the Contractor's own employees and agents.

(d) The Government *shall* in no event be liable or responsible for damage or injury to any person or property occasioned through the use, maintenance, or operation of any vehicle or other equipment by, or the action of, the Contractor or the Contractor's employees and agents in performing under this contract, and the Government *shall* be indemnified and saved harmless against *claims* for damage or injury in such cases.

(End of clause)

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