Subpart 625.70—Arab League Boycott and Related Provisions

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Parent topic: PART 625—FOREIGN ACQUISITION

625.7001 Policy.

- (a) Section 565 of the Fiscal Year 94/95 Foreign Relations Authorizations Act (Public Law 103–236) prohibits the Department of State from entering into any contract that expends funds appropriated to the Department of State:
- (1) With a foreign person that complies with the Arab League Boycott of Israel; or,
- (2) With any foreign or United States person that discriminates in the award of subcontracts on the basis of religion.
- (b) This authority has continuing effect. Section 565 requires specific language to be included in all Invitations for Bids and Requests for Proposals with respect to a contract subject to Section 565's prohibitions.
- (c) Section 565 may be waived on a country-by-country basis if such a waiver is in the national interest and necessary to carry on diplomatic functions and is approved by the Secretary of State or his/her designee.

625.7002 Solicitation provision and contract clause.

Contracting officers shall include the following provision and clause in all solicitations and contracts exceeding the simplified acquisition threshold, unless a waiver has been granted in accordance with 625.7001(c):

- (a) 652.225-70, Arab League Boycott of Israel; and.
- (b) 652.225-71, Section 8(a) of the Export Administration Act, as amended.