

## **36.609-2 Redesign responsibility for design errors or deficiencies.**

(a) Under architect-engineer contracts, contractors shall be required to make necessary corrections at no cost to the Government when the designs, drawings, specifications, or other items or services furnished contain any errors, deficiencies, or inadequacies. If, in a given situation, the Government does not require a firm to correct such errors, the contracting officer shall include a written statement of the reasons for that decision in the contract file.

(b) The contracting officer shall insert the clause at [52.236-23](#), Responsibility of the Architect-Engineer Contractor, in fixed-price architect-engineer contracts.

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