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Subpart 1446.1—General

1446.170 Government-Industry Data Exchange Program (GIDEP).

(a) COs shall encourage contractors and subcontractors to participate in the GIDEP, a cooperative program managed and funded by the U.S. Government to exchange engineering, failure experience, metrology, product information, and reliability-maintain ability data on products, components (including construction materials), manufacturing processes, environmental issues associated with those manufacturing processes, recycling and waste prevention.

(b) The GIDEP is managed for the U.S. Government by the Department of the Navy. GIDEP participants are not subject to any fees or assessments other than the costs associated with dissemination of information by other than electronic means.

(c) An application to participate in the GIDEP may be obtained at <http://www.gidep.org> . COs shall include information on GIDEP in solicitation documents and during discussions at preaward and postaward conferences.

Subpart 1446.4—Government Contract Quality Assurance

1446.401 General.

Inspection of supplies or services shall be documented as prescribed in DIAR Subpart [1446.6](#).

Subpart 1446.5—Acceptance

1446.501 General.

Acceptance of supplies or services shall be documented as prescribed in DIAR Subpart [1446.6](#).

Subpart 1446.6—Material Inspection and Receiving Reports

1446.670 Inspection, receiving and acceptance reports.

(a) Except for simplified acquisitions (*See* FAR [46.404](#)) and unless otherwise prescribed by bureau procedures, the documentation in DIAR [1446.671](#) shall be inserted on each commercial shipping document or packing list, whether by manual or electronic means, for supplies or services and shall be signed by the authorized Government representative as required in FAR [46.401](#)(f) and subpart [46.5](#).

(b) The documentation required in paragraph (a) of this section shall be made at the place or places specified in the contract for performance of Government quality assurance (*See* FAR [46.401](#)(b)) as prescribed in FAR [46.402](#) or FAR [46.403](#), as appropriate and for acceptance in accordance with FAR [46.503](#).

(c) If the CO elects to use a contractor's certificate of conformance (*See* FAR [46.315](#)) under the conditions prescribed in FAR [46.504](#), the certificate may be used as the basis of Government acceptance.

§ 1446.671 Inspection, receiving and acceptance certification.

As prescribed in DIAR [1446.670](#), the following documentation shall be completed via manual or

electronic means for each delivery of supplies or services in accordance with Bureau procedures:

INSPECTION, RECEIVING AND ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATION

The listed items or services have been: ___ inspected, ___ received, and ___ accepted and they conform to the contract except as noted below or on attached documents.

_____ Signature and typed name of authorized Government representative.

Date _____

Subpart 1446.7—Warranties

1446.704 Authority for use of warranties.

The CCO is authorized to make the written determination to use a warranty in an acquisition.

1446.708 Warranties of data.

Warranties of data shall only be used after consultation with the SOL.