

# **SUBPART 212.2 –SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS**

See DoD Class Deviation 2018-00016, Defense Commercial Solutions Opening Pilot Program, issued June 26, 2018. This class deviation allows the contracting officer to acquire innovative commercial items, technologies, or services using the competitive procedure outlined in the class deviation called a commercial solutions opening (CSO). Use of a CSO is authorized by section 879 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Pub. L. 114-328). Under a CSO, DoD may competitively select proposals received in response to a general solicitation, similar to a broad agency announcement, based on a review of proposals by scientific, technological, or other subject matter experts. This class deviation remains in effect until September 30, 2022.

**[212.203 Procedures for solicitation, evaluation, and award.](#)**

**[212.205 Offers.](#)**

**[212.207 Contract type.](#)**

**[212.209 Determination of price reasonableness.](#)**

**[212.211 Technical data.](#)**

**[212.212 Computer software.](#)**

**[212.270 Major weapon systems as commercial items.](#)**

**[212.271 Limitation on acquisition of right-hand drive passenger sedans.](#)**

**[212.272 Preference for certain commercial products and services.](#)**

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