

# 52.222-56 Certification Regarding Trafficking in Persons Compliance Plan.

As prescribed in [22.1705\(b\)](#), insert the following provision:

Certification Regarding Trafficking in Persons Compliance Plan (Oct 2020)

(a) The term "*commercially available off-the-shelf (COTS) item*," is defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Combating Trafficking in Persons" (FAR clause [52.222-50](#)).

(b) The apparent successful *Offeror shall* submit, prior to award, a certification, as specified in paragraph (c) of this provision, for the portion (if any) of the contract that-

(1) Is for *supplies*, other than commercially available off-the-shelf items, to be acquired outside the *United States*, or services to be performed outside the *United States*; and

(2) Has an estimated value that exceeds \$550,000.

(c) The certification *shall* state that-

(1) It has implemented a compliance plan to prevent any prohibited activities identified in paragraph

(b) of the clause at [52.222-50](#), Combating Trafficking in Persons, and to monitor, detect, and

terminate the contract with a subcontractor engaging in prohibited activities identified at paragraph

(b) of the clause at [52.222-50](#), Combating Trafficking in Persons; and

(2) After having conducted due diligence, either-

(i) To the best of the *Offeror's* knowledge and belief, neither it nor any of its proposed agents, subcontractors, or their agents is engaged in any such activities; or

(ii) If abuses relating to any of the prohibited activities identified in [52.222-50\(b\)](#) have been found, the *Offeror* or proposed subcontractor has taken the appropriate remedial and referral actions.

(End of provision)

**Parent topic:** [52.222 \[Reserved\]](#)