

## 6.204 Section 8(a) competition.

(a) To fulfill statutory requirements relating to section 8(a) of the Small Business Act, as amended by Public Law 100-656, *contracting officers may limit competition to eligible 8(a) participants* (see [subpart 19.8](#)).

(b) No separate justification or determination and findings is required under this part to limit competition to eligible 8(a) participants. (But see [6.302-5](#) and [6.303-1](#) for sole source 8(a) awards over \$25 million.)

**Parent topic:** [Subpart 6.2 - Full and Open Competition After Exclusion of Sources](#)