

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**GENERAL SERVICES
ADMINISTRATION****NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND
SPACE ADMINISTRATION****48 CFR Parts 1, 25, and 52****[FAR Case 2021–008; Docket No. FAR–
2021–0008, Sequence No. 1]****RIN 9000–AO22****Federal Acquisition Regulation:
Amendments to the FAR Buy American
Act Requirements; Extension of Time
for Comments****AGENCY:** Department of Defense (DoD),
General Services Administration (GSA),
and National Aeronautics and Space
Administration (NASA).**ACTION:** Proposed rule; extension of
comment period.**SUMMARY:** DoD, GSA, and NASA issued
a proposed rule on July 30, 2021,
amending the Federal Acquisition
Regulation (FAR) to implement an
Executive order (E.O.) addressing
domestic preferences in Government
procurement. The deadline for
submitting comments is being extended
from September 28, 2021 to October 28,
2021 to provide additional time for
interested parties to provide comments
on the FAR case.**DATES:** For the proposed rule published
on July 30, 2021 (86 FR 40980), submit
comments by October 28, 2021.**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments in
response to FAR Case 2021–008 to
<https://www.regulations.gov>. Submit
comments via the Federal eRulemaking
portal by searching for “FAR Case 2021–
008”. Select the link “Comment Now”
that corresponds with “FAR Case 2021–
008.” Follow the instructions provided
on the screen. Please include your
name, company name (if any), and
“FAR Case 2021–008” on your attacheddocument. If your comment cannot be
submitted using [https://
www.regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov), call or email the
points of contact in the **FOR FURTHER
INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this
document for alternate instructions.**Instructions:** Please submit comments
only and cite “FAR Case 2021–008” in
all correspondence related to this case.Comments submitted in response to
this proposed rule will be made
publicly available and are subject to
disclosure under the Freedom of
Information Act. For this reason, please
do not include in your comments
information of a confidential nature,
such as sensitive personal information
or proprietary information, or any
information that you would not want
publicly disclosed unless you follow the
instructions below for confidential
comments. Summary information of the
public comments received, including
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<https://www.regulations.gov>.To confirm receipt of your
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two to three days after submission to
verify posting.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms.
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pertaining to status or publication
schedules, contact the Regulatory
Secretariat Division at 202–501–4755 or
GSARegSec@gsa.gov. Please cite FAR
Case 2021–008.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Background**DoD, GSA, and NASA published a
proposed rule in the **Federal Register** at
86 FR 40980, on July 30, 2021. The
comment period is extended to October
28, 2021 to allow additional time for
interested parties to develop comments
on the proposed rule as well as provide
feedback on the questions posed in the
preamble that will be used to further
inform the rulemaking and future
regulatory actions.**List of Subjects in 48 CFR Parts 1, 25,
and 52**

Government procurement.

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