

1 Defense Acquisition University shall establish comprehen-
2 sive training available for contract specialists in the De-
3 partment of Defense on the use of reverse auctions.

4 (c) DESIGN-BUILD DEFINED.—In this section, the
5 term “design-build” means procedures used for the selec-
6 tion of a contractor on the basis of price and other evalua-
7 tion criteria to perform, in accordance with the provisions
8 of a firm fixed-price contract, both the design and con-
9 struction of a facility using performance specifications
10 supplied by the Secretary of Defense.

11 **SEC. 825. SOLE SOURCE CONTRACTS FOR SMALL BUSINESS**

12 **CONCERNS OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY**
13 **WOMEN.**

14 (a) AUTHORITY FOR SOLE SOURCE CONTRACTS FOR
15 CERTAIN SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS OWNED AND CON-
16 TROLLED BY WOMEN.—Subsection (m) of section 8 of the
17 Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 637(m)) is amended—

18 (1) by amending paragraph (2)(E) to read as
19 follows:

20 “(E) each of the concerns is certified by a
21 Federal agency, a State government, the Ad-
22 ministrator, or a national certifying entity ap-
23 proved by the Administrator as a small business
24 concern owned and controlled by women.”;

1 (2) in paragraph (5), by striking “paragraph
2 (2)(F)” each place such term appears and inserting
3 “paragraph (2)(E)”; and

4 (3) by adding at the end the following new
5 paragraphs:

6 “(7) AUTHORITY FOR SOLE SOURCE CON-
7 TRACTS FOR ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED
8 SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS OWNED AND CON-
9 TROLLED BY WOMEN.—A contracting officer may
10 award a sole source contract under this subsection
11 to any small business concern owned and controlled
12 by women described in paragraph (2)(A) and cer-
13 tified under paragraph (2)(E) if—

14 “(A) such concern is determined to be a
15 responsible contractor with respect to perform-
16 ance of the contract opportunity and the con-
17 tracting officer does not have a reasonable ex-
18 pectation that 2 or more businesses described in
19 paragraph (2)(A) will submit offers;

20 “(B) the anticipated award price of the
21 contract (including options) will not exceed—

22 “(i) \$6,500,000, in the case of a con-
23 tract opportunity assigned a standard in-
24 dustrial classification code for manufac-
25 turing; or

1 “(ii) \$4,000,000, in the case of any
2 other contract opportunity; and

3 “(C) in the estimation of the contracting
4 officer, the contract award can be made at a
5 fair and reasonable price.

6 “(8) AUTHORITY FOR SOLE SOURCE CON-
7 TRACTS FOR SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS OWNED
8 AND CONTROLLED BY WOMEN IN SUBSTANTIALLY
9 UNDERREPRESENTED INDUSTRIES.—A contracting
10 officer may award a sole source contract under this
11 subsection to any small business concern owned and
12 controlled by women certified under paragraph
13 (2)(E) that is in an industry in which small business
14 concerns owned and controlled by women are sub-
15 stantially underrepresented (as determined by the
16 Administrator under paragraph (3)) if—

17 “(A) such concern is determined to be a
18 responsible contractor with respect to perform-
19 ance of the contract opportunity and the con-
20 tracting officer does not have a reasonable ex-
21 pectation that 2 or more businesses in an in-
22 dustry that has received a waiver under para-
23 graph (3) will submit offers;

24 “(B) the anticipated award price of the
25 contract (including options) will not exceed—

1 “(i) \$6,500,000, in the case of a con-
2 tract opportunity assigned a standard in-
3 dustrial classification code for manufac-
4 turing; or

5 “(ii) \$4,000,000, in the case of any
6 other contract opportunity; and

7 “(C) in the estimation of the contracting
8 officer, the contract award can be made at a
9 fair and reasonable price.”.

10 (b) REPORTING ON GOALS FOR SOLE SOURCE CON-
11 TRACTS FOR SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS OWNED AND
12 CONTROLLED BY WOMEN.—Clause (viii) of subsection
13 15(h)(2)(E) of such Act is amended—

14 (1) in subclause (IV), by striking “and” after
15 the semicolon;

16 (2) by redesignating subclause (V) as subclause
17 (VIII); and

18 (3) by inserting after subclause (IV) the fol-
19 lowing new subclauses:

20 “(V) through sole source con-
21 tracts awarded using the authority
22 under subsection 8(m)(7);

23 “(VI) through sole source con-
24 tracts awarded using the authority
25 under section 8(m)(8);

1 “(VII) by industry for contracts
2 described in subclause (III), (IV), (V),
3 or (VI); and”.

4 (c) ACCELERATED DEADLINE FOR REPORT ON IN-
5 DUSTRIES UNDERREPRESENTED BY SMALL BUSINESS
6 CONCERNS OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY WOMEN.—
7 Paragraph (2) of section 29(o) of such Act is amended
8 by striking “5 years after the date of enactment” and in-
9 serting “3 years after the date of enactment”.

10 **Subtitle D—Federal Information** 11 **Technology Acquisition Reform**

12 **SEC. 831. CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER AUTHORITY EN-** 13 **HANCEMENTS.**

14 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 113 of
15 title 40, United States Code, is amended by adding at the
16 end the following new section:

17 **“§ 11319. Resources, planning, and portfolio manage-** 18 **ment**

19 “(a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

20 “(1) The term ‘covered agency’ means each
21 agency listed in section 901(b)(1) or 901(b)(2) of
22 title 31.

23 “(2) The term ‘information technology’ has the
24 meaning given that term under capital planning