



PREP ASSIGNMENT
SEASON 2023, EPISODE FIFTEEN
FAR PART 25:
FOREIGN ACQUISITION

Preparation Assignment (20 points each)

Fill In the Blank Questions:

1. The _____ uses a two-part test to define a _____ or _____.
The _____ has been waived for acquisition of _____ items, expect a product that consists wholly or predominantly of iron or steel or a combination of both.
[Hint: Check out **FAR 25.001**]
2. If a _____ requests a determination regarding the _____ of the Buy American statute after _____, the contractor must explain why it could not request the determination before _____ or why the need for such determination otherwise was not _____. [Hint: Check out **FAR 25.205**]
3. Generally, _____ are responsible for providing their own logistical and security support, including logistical and security support for their _____. The _____ shall provide logistical or security support only when the appropriate _____ official, in accordance with _____ guidance, determines that-
(1) _____
(2) _____
[Hint: Check out **FAR 25.301**]
4. The _____ ([19 U.S.C.2501](#), *et seq.*) provides the authority for the President to waive the _____ and other discriminatory provisions for eligible products from countries that have signed a _____ with the United States, or that meet certain other criteria, such as being a _____. The President has delegated this waiver authority to the _____.
[Hint: Check out **FAR 25.402**]
5. If a contract is priced in _____, the agency must ensure that _____ are available to cover _____ to avoid a violation of the _____ Act. [Hint: Check out **FAR 25.1002**]

“Look ‘Em Ups” (Enter the FAR cite and Answer)

1. What are the five exceptions to the Buy American Act?

2. As a general rule, what five (5) countries must a government contractor NOT do business with, unless expressly authorized by the Office of Foreign Assets Council.

FAR Question: What FAR contract clause must be included in a contract if a contracting officer anticipates that it will need to be “translated” into another language?

FUN Question: Speaking of translation, one of my favorite stories is known for being the world’s most translated book, excluding religious works. What is the name of that book. For an additional twenty (20) “FUN” points tell me the name of the author of that book AND the original language of the book.