

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****GENERAL SERVICES  
ADMINISTRATION****NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND  
SPACE ADMINISTRATION****48 CFR Chapter 1**

[Docket FAR—2006–0023]

**Federal Acquisition Regulation;  
Federal Acquisition Circular 2005–11;  
Introduction****AGENCIES:** Department of Defense (DoD),  
General Services Administration (GSA),and National Aeronautics and Space  
Administration (NASA).**ACTION:** Summary presentation of final  
and interim rules.**SUMMARY:** This document summarizes  
the Federal Acquisition Regulation  
(FAR) rules agreed to by the Civilian  
Agency Acquisition Council and the  
Defense Acquisition Regulations  
Council in this Federal Acquisition  
Circular (FAC) 2005–11. A companion  
document, the Small Entity Compliance  
Guide (SECG), follows this FAC. The  
FAC, including the SECG, is available  
via the Internet at [http://  
www.acquisition.gov/far](http://www.acquisition.gov/far).**DATES:** For effective dates and comment  
dates, see separate documents which  
follow.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For  
clarification of content, contact the  
analyst whose name appears in the table  
below in relation to each FAR case or  
subject area. Please cite FAC 2005–11  
and specific FAR case number(s).  
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FAR Secretariat at (202) 501–4755.

Item	Subject	FAR case	Analyst
.....	Earned Value Management System (EVMS) .....	2004–019	Parnell.
II .....	Emergency Acquisitions .....	2005–038	Sochon.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Summaries for each FAR rule follow.  
For the actual revisions and/or  
amendments to these FAR cases, refer to  
the specific item number and subject set  
forth in the documents following these  
item summaries.FAC 2005–11 amends the FAR as  
specified below:**Item I—Earned Value Management  
System (EVMS) (FAR Case 2004–019)**

This final rule amends the Federal Acquisition Regulation to implement Earned Value Management System (EVMS) policy in accordance with OMB Circular A–11, Part 7 and the supplement to Part 7, the Capital Planning Guide. The FAR will require the use of an EVM System that complies with the guidelines of ANSI/EIA Standard - 748, in major acquisitions for development, and in other acquisitions in accordance with agency procedures. An agency shall conduct an Integrated Baseline Review (IBR) when EVMS is required. Offerors shall not be eliminated from consideration for contract award because they do not have an EVMS that is compliant with the ANSI/EIA standards, provided they submit an EVMS implementation plan with their proposal.

**Item II—Emergency Acquisitions (FAR  
Case 2005–038)**

This interim rule revises FAR Part 18 to provide a single reference to acquisition flexibilities that may be used during emergency situations. This change is expected to improve the Government's ability to expedite acquisition of supplies and services during emergency situations. The FAR

Part 18 makes no change to existing  
contracting policy.

Dated: June 28, 2006.

**Ralph De Stefano,***Director, Contract Policy Division.***Federal Acquisition Circular**

Federal Acquisition Circular (FAC) 2005–11 is issued under the authority of the Secretary of Defense, the Administrator of General Services, and the Administrator for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Unless otherwise specified, all Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) and other directive material contained in FAC 2005–11 is effective July 5, 2006.

Dated: June 26, 2006.

**Shay D. Assad,***Director, Defense Procurement and  
Acquisition Policy.*

Dated: June 27, 2006.

**Roger D. Waldron,***Acting Senior Procurement Executive,  
General Services Administration.*

Dated: June 27, 2006.

**Tom Luedtke,***Assistant Administrator for Procurement,  
National Aeronautics and Space  
Administration.*

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ADMINISTRATION****NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND  
SPACE ADMINISTRATION****48 CFR Parts 2, 7, 34, and 52**[FAC 2005–11; FAR Case 2004–019; Item  
I; Docket 2006–0020, Sequence 13]**RIN 9000–AK16****Federal Acquisition Regulation; FAR  
Case 2004–019, Earned Value  
Management System (EVMS)****AGENCIES:** Department of Defense (DoD),  
General Services Administration (GSA),  
and National Aeronautics and Space  
Administration (NASA).**ACTION:** Final rule.**SUMMARY:** The Civilian Agency  
Acquisition Council and the Defense  
Acquisition Regulations Council  
(Councils) have agreed on a final rule  
amending the Federal Acquisition  
Regulation (FAR) to implement earned  
value management system (EVMS)  
policy. FAR coverage is necessary to  
help standardize the use of EVMS across  
the Government. The final rule  
specifically impacts contracting officers,  
program managers, and offerors/  
contractors required to manage contracts  
by utilizing earned value management  
systems for major acquisitions.**DATES:** *Effective Date:* July 5, 2006.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For  
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11, FAR case 2004–019. For information