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# Acquisition & Assistance Policy Directive (AAPD)

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## AAPD 12-05, Amendment 1

**FAR Class Deviation: Extended Use of  
FAR CLAUSE 52.232-99, PROVIDING ACCELERATED PAYMENT TO SMALL BUSINESS  
SUBCONTRACTORS (Deviation) (Aug 2012)**

Subject Category: Acquisition Management  
Type: POLICY

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AAPDs are EFFECTIVE AS OF THE ISSUED DATE unless otherwise noted in the guidance below; the directives remain in effect until this office issues a notice of cancellation.

This AAPD:  Is New  Replaces/  Amends CIB/AAPD

Applicable to:

- Existing awards;  Modification required  
 No later than  
 As noted in guidance below\*
- RFPs/RFAs issued on or after the effective date of this AAPD; all other Pending Awards, i.e., 8(a), sole source, IQC
- Other

Precedes change to:

- AIDAR Part(s) Appendix  
 USAID Automated Directives System (ADS) Chapter  
 Code of Federal Regulations  
 Federal Acquisition Regulations FAR 52.232-99  
 No change to regulations

New Provision/Clause Provided Herein: If checked, scheduled update to GLAAS:

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**1. PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this Amendment is to announce the extension of the requirement to incorporate FAR clause 52.232-99 titled “Providing Accelerated Payment to Small Business Subcontractors (Deviation) (Aug 2012)” for an additional year, until July 11, 2014 as issued in the original AAPD 12-05. No other changes are being made and all other requirements of the AAPD remain applicable as previously stated.

**2. REQUIRED ACTION:**

Contracting Officers must continue to insert the FAR clause 52.232-99 (Deviation) (Aug 2012) in all solicitations and resultant contracts issued or awarded on or after the date of the original AAPD 12-05, in order to require contractors to pay small business subcontractors on an accelerated timetable to the maximum extent practicable.

**3. POINT OF CONTACT:**

USAID Contracting Officers may direct their questions about this AAPD Amendment to Rosella Marshall, M/OAA/P, at (202) 567-4675 or email: romarshall@usaid.gov.