

(ii) A CMP imposed under subpart N of 42 CFR part 1003 has become final consistent with the procedures in subpart O of 42 CFR part 1003.

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Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

48 CFR Parts 1, 2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 12, 37, 39, and 52

[FAR Case 2021-019; Docket No. FAR-2021-0019; Sequence No. 1]

RIN 9000-AO35

Federal Acquisition Regulation: Standardizing Cybersecurity Requirements for Unclassified Federal Information Systems; Extension of Comment Period

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 October 3, 2023, proposing to amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to partially implement an Executive Order to standardize cybersecurity contractual requirements across Federal agencies for unclassified Federal information systems, and a statute on improving the Nation's cybersecurity. The deadline for submitting comments is being extended from December 4, 2023, to February 2, 2024, to provide additional time for interested parties to provide comments on the proposed rule.

DATES: For the proposed rule published on October 3, 2023 (88 FR 68402), the deadline to submit comments is extended. Submit comments by February 2, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments in response to FAR Case 2021-019 to the Federal eRulemaking portal at <https://www.regulations.gov> by searching for "FAR Case 2021-019". Select the link "Comment Now" that corresponds with "FAR Case 2021-019". Follow the instructions provided on the "Comment Now" screen. Please include your name,

company name (if any), and "FAR Case 2021-019" on your attached document. If your comment cannot be submitted using <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 2021-019" in all correspondence related to this case. Comments received generally will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal and/or business confidential information provided. Public comments may be submitted as an individual, as an organization, or anonymously (see frequently asked questions at <https://www.regulations.gov/faq>). To confirm receipt of your comment(s), please check <https://www.regulations.gov>, approximately two to three days after submission to verify posting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For clarification of content, Ms. Carrie Moore, Procurement Analyst, at 571-300-5917 or by email at carrie.moore@gsa.gov. For information pertaining to status, publication schedules, or alternate instructions for submitting comments if <https://www.regulations.gov> cannot be used, contact the Regulatory Secretariat Division at 202-501-4755 or GSARegSec@gsa.gov. Please cite FAR Case 2021-019.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

DoD, GSA, and NASA published a proposed rule in the **Federal Register** at 88 FR 68402 on October 3, 2023. The comment period is extended to February 2, 2024, to allow additional time for interested parties to develop comments on the rule.

List of Subjects in 48 CFR Parts 1, 2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 12, 37, 39, and 52

Government procurement.

William F. Clark,

Director, Office of Government-wide Acquisition Policy, Office of Acquisition Policy, Office of Government-wide Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

48 CFR Parts 1, 2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 12, 39, and 52

[FAR Case 2021-017; Docket No. FAR-2021-0017; Sequence No. 1]

RIN 9000-AO34

Federal Acquisition Regulation: Cyber Threat and Incident Reporting and Information Sharing; Extension of Comment Period

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 October 3, 2023, proposing to amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to implement an Executive order on cyber threats and incident reporting and information sharing for Federal contractors and to implement related cybersecurity policies. The deadline for submitting comments is being extended from December 4, 2023, to February 2, 2024, to provide additional time for interested parties to provide comments on the proposed rule.

DATES: For the proposed rule published on October 3, 2023 (88 FR 68055), the comment period is extended. Submit comments by February 2, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments in response to FAR Case 2021-017 to the Federal eRulemaking portal at <https://www.regulations.gov> by searching for "FAR Case 2021-017". Select the link "Comment Now" that corresponds with "FAR Case 2021-017". Follow the instructions provided on the "Comment Now" screen. Please include your name, company name (if any), and "FAR Case 2021-017" on your attached document. If your comment cannot be submitted using <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 2021-017" in all correspondence related to this case. Comments received generally will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal and/or business confidential information provided. Public comments

may be submitted as an individual, as an organization, or anonymously (see frequently asked questions at <https://www.regulations.gov/faq>). To confirm receipt of your comment(s), please check <https://www.regulations.gov>, approximately two to three days after submission to verify posting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For clarification of content, Ms. Marissa Ryba, Procurement Analyst, at 314–586–1280 or by email at Marissa.Ryba@gsa.gov. For information pertaining to status, publication schedules, or alternate instructions for submitting comments if <https://www.regulations.gov> cannot be used, contact the Regulatory Secretariat Division at 202–501–4755 or GSARegSec@gsa.gov. Please cite FAR Case 2021–017.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

DoD, GSA, and NASA published a proposed rule in the **Federal Register** at 88 FR 68055 on October 3, 2023. The comment period is extended to February 2, 2024, to allow additional time for interested parties to develop comments on the rule.

List of Subjects in 48 CFR Parts 1, 2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 12, 39, and 52

Government procurement.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

50 CFR Part 223

[Docket No. 230802–0182]

RIN 0648–BL87

Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Proposed Protective Regulations for the Threatened Banggai Cardinalfish (*Pterapogon kauderni*); Informational Meeting and Public Hearing

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice; informational meeting and public hearing.

SUMMARY: We, NMFS, will hold an informational meeting and formal

public hearing related to our proposed rule published on August 15, 2023, to promulgate protective regulations for the Banggai cardinalfish (*Pterapogon kauderni*). The public comment period was extended to December 15, 2023.

DATES: An informational meeting and virtual public hearing will be held online on November 17, 2023, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time).

ADDRESSES: The informational meeting and public hearing will be conducted as a virtual meeting, and any member of the public can join by internet or phone regardless of location. You may join the virtual meeting using a web browser, a mobile app on a phone (app installation required), or—to listen only—using just a phone call, as specified at this link: <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/action/proposed-protective-regulations-banggai-cardinalfish>.

You may submit comments verbally at the public hearing. You may also submit comments in writing by the following method:

- **Electronic Submissions:** Submit all electronic public comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal <https://www.regulations.gov> and enter NOAA–NMFS–2023–0099 in the Search box. Click on the “Comment” icon, complete the required fields, and enter or attach your comments.

Instructions: Comments sent by any other method, to any other address or individual, or received after the end of the comment period, may not be considered by NMFS. All comments received are a part of the public record and will generally be posted for public viewing on <https://www.regulations.gov> without change. All Personal Identifying Information (e.g., name, address, etc.) voluntarily submitted by the commenter may be publicly accessible. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

We will accept anonymous comments (enter N/A in the required fields if you wish to remain anonymous).

Attachments to electronic comments will be accepted in Microsoft Word, Excel, or Adobe PDF file formats only.

Details on the virtual public hearing will be made available on our website at: <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/action/proposed-protective-regulations-banggai-cardinalfish>. The draft environmental assessment and draft initial regulatory flexibility analysis that were prepared to support the development of the proposed rule are available on our website at: <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/action/proposed-protective-regulations-banggai-cardinalfish>. Previous

rulemaking documents related to the listing of the species can also be obtained electronically on our website at: <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/species/banggai-cardinalfish/conservation-management>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Celeste Stout, NMFS, Office of Protected Resources, celeste.stout@noaa.gov, (301) 427–8436; Erin Markin, NMFS, Office of Protected Resources, erin.markin@noaa.gov, (301) 427–8416.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On August 15, 2023, NMFS published a proposed rule to promulgate protective regulations for the Banggai cardinalfish under the Endangered Species Act (ESA; 88 FR 55431). In that notice of proposed rulemaking, we also announced a 60-day public comment period, and an option to request a public hearing. On September 27, 2023, we received a letter requesting a public hearing be held as well as a 90-day extension to the public comment period. In response, the public comment period was extended by another 60 days, and we are accepting public comments on the proposed rule through December 15, 2023 (88 FR 71523). In addition, a virtual public hearing and will be held online on November 17, 2023, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time) as specified in **DATES** above. Public comments can be submitted as described under **ADDRESSES**.

Public Hearing

The informational meeting and public hearing on November 17, 2023, will be conducted online as a virtual meeting, as specified in the **ADDRESSES** above. More detailed instructions for joining the virtual meeting are provided on our web page (see <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/action/proposed-protective-regulations-banggai-cardinalfish>). The hearing will begin with a brief presentation by NMFS that will give an overview of the proposed rule under the ESA. After the presentation, there will be a question and answer session during which members of the public may ask NMFS staff questions about the proposed rule. Following the question and answer session, members of the public will have the opportunity to provide oral comments for the record regarding the proposed rule. In order to ensure all participants have an opportunity to speak during the hearing, the time allotted for individual oral comments may be limited. Therefore, anyone wishing to make an oral statement at the public hearing for the record is encouraged to prepare a written copy of their comments. All oral comments will