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MEMORANDUM FOR: Heads of the Contracting Activities

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SUBJECT: **REVISION 1: Rescind Federal Acquisition Regulation Class Deviation (Number 22-01) – Executive Order 14042 Ensuring Adequate COVID Safety Protocols for Federal Contractors**

- 1. Purpose:** This memorandum rescinds the class deviation in its entirety.
- 2. Background:** On May 11, 2023 Supplement 1 was issued to *CAAC Letter 2021-03 Class Deviation From the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Regarding Implementation of Executive Order 14042, Ensuring Adequate COVID Safety Protocols for Federal Contractors to rescind 2021-03*. Supplement 1 is based on [Executive Order 14099](#) entitled “Moving Beyond COVID-19 Vaccination Requirements for Federal Workers” that is effective at 12:01am on May 12, 2023, and revokes E.O. 14042.
- 3. Effective Date:** May 12, 2023.
- 4. Discussion:** This class deviation is rescinded in its entirety. Contracting officers are not required to remove the clause prescribed by the class deviation.
- 5. Attachment:** Supplement to rescind CAAC Letter 2021-03 Class Deviation From the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Regarding Implementation of Executive Order 14042, Ensuring Adequate COVID Safety Protocols for Federal Contractors
- 6. Questions or comments** about this class deviation may be directed to Ben Shih at Ben.Shih@hq.dhs.gov.