

22.406-4 Apprentices and trainees.

(a) The *contracting officer shall* review the contractor's employment and payment records of *apprentices* and *trainees* made available pursuant to the clause at [52.222-8](#), Payrolls and Basic Records, to ensure that the contractor has complied with the clause at [52.222-9](#), *Apprentices and Trainees*.

(b) If a contractor has classified employees as *apprentices*, *trainees*, or helpers without complying with the requirements of the clause at [52.222-9](#), the *contracting officer shall* reject the classification and require the contractor to pay the affected employees at the rates applicable to the classification of the work actually performed.

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