23.303 Notice of radioactive materials.

(a) The clause at <u>52.223-7</u>, Notice of Radioactive Materials, requires the contractor to notify the *contracting officer* prior to delivery of radioactive material.

(b) Upon receipt of the notice, the *contracting officer shall* notify receiving activities so that appropriate safeguards can be taken.

(c) The clause permits the *contracting officer* to waive the notification if the contractor states that the notification on prior deliveries is still current. The *contracting officer may* waive the notice only after consultation with cognizant technical representatives.

(d) The *contracting officer* is required to specify in the clause at <u>52.223-7</u>, the number of days in advance of delivery that the contractor will provide notification. The determination of the number of days *should* be done in coordination with the installation/facility radiation protection officer (RPO). The RPO is responsible for ensuring the proper license, authorization, or permit is obtained prior to receipt of the radioactive material.

Parent topic: Subpart 23.3 - Hazardous Material Identification, Material Safety Data, and Notice of Radioactive Materials