32.107 Need for contract financing not a deterrent.

- (a) If the contractor or *offeror* meets the standards prescribed for *responsible prospective* contractors at 9.104, the contracting officer shall not treat the contractor's need for contract financing as a handicap for a contract award; *e.g.*, as a responsibility factor or evaluation criterion.
- (b) The contractor *should* not be disqualified from contract financing solely because the contractor failed to indicate a need for contract financing before the contract was awarded.

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