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## 52.227-2 Notice and Assistance Regarding Patent and Copyright Infringement.

As prescribed in [27.201-2\(b\)](#), insert the following clause:

Notice and Assistance Regarding Patent and Copyright Infringement (Jun 2020)

(a) The Contractor *shall* report to the *Contracting Officer*, promptly and in reasonable written detail, each notice or *claim* of patent or copyright infringement based on the performance of this contract of which the Contractor has knowledge.

(b) In the event of any *claim* or suit against the Government on account of any alleged patent or copyright infringement arising out of the performance of this contract or out of the use of any *supplies* furnished or work or services performed under this contract, the Contractor *shall* furnish to the Government, when requested by the *Contracting Officer*, all evidence and information in the Contractor's possession pertaining to such *claim* or suit. Such evidence and information *shall* be furnished at the expense of the Government except where the Contractor has agreed to indemnify the Government.

(c) The Contractor *shall* include the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in all subcontracts that are expected to exceed the simplified *acquisition* threshold, as defined in Federal *Acquisition* Regulation (FAR) [2.101](#) on the date of subcontract award.

(End of clause)

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