

## **423.506 Suspension of payments, termination of contract, and debarment and suspension actions.**

- (a) The contracting officer may recommend waiver of the determination to suspend payments, to terminate a contract, or to debar or to suspend a contractor.
- (b) The recommendation shall be submitted through the HCA to the SPE and shall include a full description of the disruption of USDA operations should the determination not be waived.
- (c) The SPE will submit the request for a waiver to the Secretary with a recommendation for action.

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