

# WD 05-2047 (Rev.-16) WAGE DETERMINATIONS UNDER THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT FOR LOS ANGELES COUNTY

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REGISTER OF WAGE DETERMINATIONS UNDER  
THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT  
By direction of the Secretary of Labor

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
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Note: Executive Order (EO) 13658 establishes an hourly minimum wage of \$10.10 for 2015 that applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract Act for which the solicitation is issued on or after January 1, 2015. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must pay all workers in any classification listed on this wage determination at least \$10.10 (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract. The EO minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at [www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts](http://www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts).

State: California

Area: California Counties of Los Angeles, Orange

OCCUPATION NOTES:

Heating, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration: Wage rates and fringe benefits can be found on Wage Determinations 1986-0879.

Laundry: Wage rates and fringe benefits can be found on Wage Determination 1977-1297.

**Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing**		
OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	FOOTNOTE	RATE
01000 - Administrative Support And Clerical Occupations		
01011 - Accounting Clerk I		15.83
01012 - Accounting Clerk II		17.77
01013 - Accounting Clerk III		20.27
01020 - Administrative Assistant		28.08
01040 - Court Reporter		19.93
01051 - Data Entry Operator I		12.26
01052 - Data Entry Operator II		13.37
01060 - Dispatcher, Motor Vehicle		22.41
01070 - Document Preparation Clerk		13.75
01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator		13.75
01111 - General Clerk I		11.76
01112 - General Clerk II		14.92
01113 - General Clerk III		17.43
01120 - Housing Referral Assistant		21.90
01141 - Messenger Courier		11.45
01191 - Order Clerk I		16.98
01192 - Order Clerk II		18.53
01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I		18.07
01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II		20.20
01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III		22.53
01270 - Production Control Clerk		23.51

01280 - Receptionist	14.51
01290 - Rental Clerk	16.83
01300 - Scheduler, Maintenance	17.39
01311 - Secretary I	17.39
01312 - Secretary II	19.45
01313 - Secretary III	21.90
01320 - Service Order Dispatcher	19.54
01410 - Supply Technician	26.82
01420 - Survey Worker	19.93
01531 - Travel Clerk I	14.72
01532 - Travel Clerk II	16.02
01533 - Travel Clerk III	17.21
01611 - Word Processor I	15.18
01612 - Word Processor II	16.87
01613 - Word Processor III	18.76
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations	
05005 - Automobile Body Repairer, Fiberglass	23.56
05010 - Automotive Electrician	22.18
05040 - Automotive Glass Installer	20.84
05070 - Automotive Worker	20.84
05110 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	19.16
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	23.56
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	20.84
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic	23.56
05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	18.38
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	20.40
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	20.84
05310 - Painter, Automotive	22.18
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	20.84
05370 - Tire Repairer	15.47
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist	23.56
07000 - Food Preparation And Service Occupations	
07010 - Baker	12.28
07041 - Cook I	12.91
07042 - Cook II	14.31
07070 - Dishwasher	10.29
07130 - Food Service Worker	11.20
07210 - Meat Cutter	15.92
07260 - Waiter/Waitress	9.85
09000 - Furniture Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	20.45
09040 - Furniture Handler	13.66
09080 - Furniture Refinisher	20.45
09090 - Furniture Refinisher Helper	16.30
09110 - Furniture Repairer, Minor	18.74
09130 - Upholsterer	20.45
11000 - General Services And Support Occupations	
11030 - Cleaner, Vehicles	11.76
11060 - Elevator Operator	11.76
11090 - Gardener	19.21
11122 - Housekeeping Aide	12.58
11150 - Janitor	14.04
11210 - Laborer, Grounds Maintenance	14.40
11240 - Maid or Houseman	10.16
11260 - Pruner	13.27
11270 - Tractor Operator	17.13
11330 - Trail Maintenance Worker	14.40
11360 - Window Cleaner	15.77
12000 - Health Occupations	
12010 - Ambulance Driver	17.82
12011 - Breath Alcohol Technician	17.82
12012 - Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant	26.38
12015 - Certified Physical Therapist Assistant	26.70

12020 - Dental Assistant	17.27
12025 - Dental Hygienist	38.39
12030 - EKG Technician	28.14
12035 - Electroneurodiagnostic Technologist	28.14
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician	17.82
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I	18.43
12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II	20.68
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III	23.72
12100 - Medical Assistant	14.82
12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician	19.73
12160 - Medical Record Clerk	16.07
12190 - Medical Record Technician	18.53
12195 - Medical Transcriptionist	19.35
12210 - Nuclear Medicine Technologist	36.54
12221 - Nursing Assistant I	10.19
12222 - Nursing Assistant II	11.46
12223 - Nursing Assistant III	12.50
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV	14.03
12235 - Optical Dispenser	17.00
12236 - Optical Technician	15.71
12250 - Pharmacy Technician	17.83
12280 - Phlebotomist	14.03
12305 - Radiologic Technologist	25.24
12311 - Registered Nurse I	31.47
12312 - Registered Nurse II	38.49
12313 - Registered Nurse II, Specialist	38.49
12314 - Registered Nurse III	48.20
12315 - Registered Nurse III, Anesthetist	48.20
12316 - Registered Nurse IV	57.77
12317 - Scheduler (Drug and Alcohol Testing)	25.09
13000 - Information And Arts Occupations	
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I	24.83
13012 - Exhibits Specialist II	30.76
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III	37.63
13041 - Illustrator I	27.84
13042 - Illustrator II	34.51
13043 - Illustrator III	42.16
13047 - Librarian	31.80
13050 - Library Aide/Clerk	16.49
13054 - Library Information Technology Systems Administrator	28.71
13058 - Library Technician	22.40
13061 - Media Specialist I	20.36
13062 - Media Specialist II	22.76
13063 - Media Specialist III	25.38
13071 - Photographer I	17.95
13072 - Photographer II	20.08
13073 - Photographer III	26.61
13074 - Photographer IV	33.56
13075 - Photographer V	40.61
13110 - Video Teleconference Technician	20.08
14000 - Information Technology Occupations	
14041 - Computer Operator I	17.82
14042 - Computer Operator II	19.93
14043 - Computer Operator III	22.89
14044 - Computer Operator IV	25.73
14045 - Computer Operator V	27.35
14071 - Computer Programmer I	(see 1) 27.42
14072 - Computer Programmer II	(see 1)
14073 - Computer Programmer III	(see 1)
14074 - Computer Programmer IV	(see 1)
14101 - Computer Systems Analyst I	(see 1)
14102 - Computer Systems Analyst II	(see 1)

14103 - Computer Systems Analyst III	(see 1)	
14150 - Peripheral Equipment Operator		17.82
14160 - Personal Computer Support Technician		25.73
15000 - Instructional Occupations		
15010 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Non-Rated)		34.73
15020 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Rated)		42.03
15030 - Air Crew Training Devices Instructor (Pilot)		50.37
15050 - Computer Based Training Specialist / Instructor		34.73
15060 - Educational Technologist		36.09
15070 - Flight Instructor (Pilot)		50.37
15080 - Graphic Artist		26.72
15090 - Technical Instructor		25.70
15095 - Technical Instructor/Course Developer		31.47
15110 - Test Proctor		20.77
15120 - Tutor		20.77
19000 - Machine Tool Operation And Repair Occupations		
19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Tool Room)		18.52
19040 - Tool And Die Maker		23.95
21000 - Materials Handling And Packing Occupations		
21020 - Forklift Operator		14.54
21030 - Material Coordinator		23.51
21040 - Material Expediter		23.51
21050 - Material Handling Laborer		13.02
21071 - Order Filler		13.31
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)		14.54
21110 - Shipping Packer		15.08
21130 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk		15.08
21140 - Store Worker I		11.53
21150 - Stock Clerk		17.13
21210 - Tools And Parts Attendant		14.54
21410 - Warehouse Specialist		14.54
23000 - Mechanics And Maintenance And Repair Occupations		
23010 - Aerospace Structural Welder		30.78
23021 - Aircraft Mechanic I		29.10
23022 - Aircraft Mechanic II		30.78
23023 - Aircraft Mechanic III		31.94
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper		20.38
23050 - Aircraft, Painter		24.41
23060 - Aircraft Servicer		23.55
23080 - Aircraft Worker		24.58
23110 - Appliance Mechanic		20.11
23120 - Bicycle Repairer		15.47
23125 - Cable Splicer		32.84
23130 - Carpenter, Maintenance		27.67
23140 - Carpet Layer		21.12
23160 - Electrician, Maintenance		30.18
23181 - Electronics Technician Maintenance I		23.67
23182 - Electronics Technician Maintenance II		25.21
23183 - Electronics Technician Maintenance III		26.76
23260 - Fabric Worker		23.87
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic		22.33
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer		20.03
23311 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic		25.94
23312 - Fuel Distribution System Operator		19.83
23370 - General Maintenance Worker		23.26
23380 - Ground Support Equipment Mechanic		29.10
23381 - Ground Support Equipment Servicer		23.55
23382 - Ground Support Equipment Worker		24.58
23391 - Gunsmith I		20.03
23392 - Gunsmith II		23.16
23393 - Gunsmith III		26.19
23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic		28.30
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator		32.18

23460 - Instrument Mechanic	27.13
23465 - Laboratory/Shelter Mechanic	24.67
23470 - Laborer	12.49
23510 - Locksmith	20.69
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	27.12
23550 - Machinist, Maintenance	25.41
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	14.82
23591 - Metrology Technician I	27.13
23592 - Metrology Technician II	28.74
23593 - Metrology Technician III	31.63
23640 - Millwright	25.45
23710 - Office Appliance Repairer	20.86
23760 - Painter, Maintenance	21.05
23790 - Pipefitter, Maintenance	25.74
23810 - Plumber, Maintenance	24.24
23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	26.19
23850 - Rigger	26.81
23870 - Scale Mechanic	23.16
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker, Maintenance	24.34
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	18.70
23931 - Telecommunications Mechanic I	26.30
23932 - Telecommunications Mechanic II	27.86
23950 - Telephone Lineman	24.18
23960 - Welder, Combination, Maintenance	19.75
23965 - Well Driller	24.56
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	23.90
23980 - Woodworker	18.49
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	
24570 - Child Care Attendant	13.05
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk	16.03
24610 - Chore Aide	10.57
24620 - Family Readiness And Support Services Coordinator	16.03
24630 - Homemaker	19.21
25000 - Plant And System Operations Occupations	
25010 - Boiler Tender	27.59
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator	28.83
25070 - Stationary Engineer	27.59
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender	19.34
25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator	28.83
27000 - Protective Service Occupations	
27004 - Alarm Monitor	23.77
27007 - Baggage Inspector	13.15
27008 - Corrections Officer	31.01
27010 - Court Security Officer	31.00
27030 - Detection Dog Handler	23.77
27040 - Detention Officer	31.01
27070 - Firefighter	29.97
27101 - Guard I	13.15
27102 - Guard II	23.77
27131 - Police Officer I	36.78
27132 - Police Officer II	40.87
28000 - Recreation Occupations	
28041 - Carnival Equipment Operator	12.76
28042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer	13.74
28043 - Carnival Equipment Worker	9.67
28210 - Gate Attendant/Gate Tender	14.16
28310 - Lifeguard	13.48
28350 - Park Attendant (Aide)	15.83
28510 - Recreation Aide/Health Facility Attendant	11.56
28515 - Recreation Specialist	19.61
28630 - Sports Official	12.61
28690 - Swimming Pool Operator	16.97

29000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupational Services	
29010 - Blocker And Bracer	23.42
29020 - Hatch Tender	23.42
29030 - Line Handler	23.42
29041 - Stevedore I	21.88
29042 - Stevedore II	24.95
30000 - Technical Occupations	
30010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Center (HFO) (see 2)	39.85
30011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Station (HFO) (see 2)	27.98
30012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Terminal (HFO) (see 2)	30.26
30021 - Archeological Technician I	22.52
30022 - Archeological Technician II	24.21
30023 - Archeological Technician III	34.46
30030 - Cartographic Technician	34.46
30040 - Civil Engineering Technician	30.78
30061 - Drafter/CAD Operator I	24.86
30062 - Drafter/CAD Operator II	27.81
30063 - Drafter/CAD Operator III	31.00
30064 - Drafter/CAD Operator IV	38.15
30081 - Engineering Technician I	19.68
30082 - Engineering Technician II	22.09
30083 - Engineering Technician III	24.70
30084 - Engineering Technician IV	30.60
30085 - Engineering Technician V	37.43
30086 - Engineering Technician VI	45.29
30090 - Environmental Technician	27.72
30210 - Laboratory Technician	23.13
30240 - Mathematical Technician	33.92
30361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I	21.83
30362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II	27.04
30363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III	33.08
30364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV	40.03
30390 - Photo-Optics Technician	33.92
30461 - Technical Writer I	23.62
30462 - Technical Writer II	28.89
30463 - Technical Writer III	34.96
30491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I	25.32
30492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II	30.64
30493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III	36.72
30494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort	25.32
30495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel	25.32
30620 - Weather Observer, Combined Upper Air Or (see 2)	30.42
Surface Programs	
30621 - Weather Observer, Senior (see 2)	33.79
31000 - Transportation/Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations	
31020 - Bus Aide	13.63
31030 - Bus Driver	19.62
31043 - Driver Courier	13.27
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant	9.39
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver	14.48
31310 - Taxi Driver	13.23
31361 - Truckdriver, Light	14.48
31362 - Truckdriver, Medium	20.63
31363 - Truckdriver, Heavy	21.78
31364 - Truckdriver, Tractor-Trailer	21.78
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations	
99030 - Cashier	12.13
99050 - Desk Clerk	12.65
99095 - Embalmer	23.19
99251 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker I	11.02
99252 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker II	12.08
99310 - Mortician	34.35
99410 - Pest Controller	15.19

99510 - Photofinishing Worker	16.36
99710 - Recycling Laborer	21.03
99711 - Recycling Specialist	24.67
99730 - Refuse Collector	18.76
99810 - Sales Clerk	17.13
99820 - School Crossing Guard	9.51
99830 - Survey Party Chief	37.97
99831 - Surveying Aide	21.26
99832 - Surveying Technician	27.95
99840 - Vending Machine Attendant	12.77
99841 - Vending Machine Repairer	15.42
99842 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	12.77

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ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: \$4.02 per hour or \$160.80 per week or \$696.79 per month

VACATION: 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor; 3 weeks after 5 years, and 4 weeks after 15 years. Length of service includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or successor, wherever employed, and with the predecessor contractors in the performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)

HOLIDAYS: A minimum of ten paid holidays per year, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans' Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. (A contractor may substitute for any of the named holidays another day off with pay in accordance with a plan communicated to the employees involved.) (See 29 CFR 4174)

THE OCCUPATIONS WHICH HAVE NUMBERED FOOTNOTES IN PARENTHESES RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING:

1) COMPUTER EMPLOYEES: Under the SCA at section 8(b), this wage determination does not apply to any employee who individually qualifies as a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional employee as defined in 29 C.F.R. Part 541. Because most Computer System Analysts and Computer Programmers who are compensated at a rate not less than \$27.63 (or on a salary or fee basis at a rate not less than \$455 per week) an hour would likely qualify as exempt computer professionals, (29 C.F.R. 541.400) wage rates may not be listed on this wage determination for all occupations within those job families. In addition, because this wage determination may not list a wage rate for some or all occupations within those job families if the survey data indicates that the prevailing wage rate for the occupation equals or exceeds \$27.63 per hour conformances may be necessary for certain nonexempt employees. For example, if an individual employee is nonexempt but nevertheless performs duties within the scope of one of the Computer Systems Analyst or Computer Programmer occupations for which this wage determination does not specify an SCA wage rate, then the wage rate for that employee must be conformed in accordance with the conformance procedures described in the conformance note included on this wage determination.

Additionally, because job titles vary widely and change quickly in the computer industry, job titles are not determinative of the application of the computer professional exemption. Therefore, the exemption applies only to computer employees who satisfy the compensation requirements and whose primary duty consists of:

(1) The application of systems analysis techniques and procedures, including consulting with users, to determine hardware, software or system functional specifications;

(2) The design, development, documentation, analysis, creation, testing or modification of computer systems or programs, including prototypes, based on and related to user or system design specifications;

(3) The design, documentation, testing, creation or modification of computer programs related to machine operating systems; or

(4) A combination of the aforementioned duties, the performance of which requires the same level of skills. (29 C.F.R. 541.400).

2) AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS AND WEATHER OBSERVERS - NIGHT PAY & SUNDAY PAY: If you work at night as part of a regular tour of duty, you will earn a night differential and receive an additional 10% of basic pay for any hours worked between 6pm and 6am. If you are a full-time employed (40 hours a week) and Sunday is part of your regularly scheduled workweek, you are paid at your rate of basic pay plus a Sunday premium of 25% of your basic rate for each hour of Sunday work which is not overtime (i.e. occasional work on Sunday outside the normal tour of duty is considered overtime work).

HAZARDOUS PAY DIFFERENTIAL: An 8 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a high degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordnance, explosives, and incendiary materials. This includes work such as screening, blending, dying, mixing, and pressing of sensitive ordnance, explosives, and pyrotechnic compositions such as lead azide, black powder and photoflash powder. All dry-house activities involving propellants or explosives.

Demilitarization, modification, renovation, demolition, and maintenance operations on sensitive ordnance, explosives and incendiary materials. All operations involving regrading and cleaning of artillery ranges.

A 4 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a low degree of hazard when working with, or in close proximity to ordnance, (or employees possibly adjacent to) explosives and incendiary materials which involves potential injury such as laceration of hands, face, or arms of the employee engaged in the operation, irritation of the skin, minor burns and the like; minimal damage to immediate or adjacent work area or equipment being used. All operations involving, unloading, storage, and hauling of ordnance, explosive, and incendiary ordnance material other than small arms ammunition. These differentials are only applicable to work that has been specifically designated by the agency for ordnance, explosives, and incendiary material differential pay.

#### \*\* UNIFORM ALLOWANCE \*\*

If employees are required to wear uniforms in the performance of this contract (either by the terms of the Government contract, by the employer, by the state or local law, etc.), the cost of furnishing such uniforms and maintaining (by laundering or dry cleaning) such uniforms is an expense that may not be borne by an employee where such cost reduces the hourly rate below that required by the wage determination. The Department of Labor will accept payment in accordance with the following standards as compliance:

The contractor or subcontractor is required to furnish all employees with an adequate number of uniforms without cost or to reimburse employees for the actual cost of the uniforms. In addition, where uniform cleaning and maintenance is made the responsibility of the employee, all contractors and subcontractors subject to this wage determination shall (in the absence of a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing for a different amount, or the furnishing of contrary affirmative proof as to the actual cost), reimburse all employees for such cleaning and maintenance at a rate of \$3.35 per week (or \$.67 cents per day). However, in those instances where the uniforms furnished are made of "wash and wear" materials, may be routinely washed and dried with other personal garments, and do not require any special treatment such as dry cleaning, daily washing, or commercial laundering in order to meet the cleanliness or appearance standards set by the terms of the Government contract, by the contractor, by law, or by the nature of the work, there is no requirement that employees be reimbursed for uniform maintenance costs.



The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations", Fifth Edition, April 2006, unless otherwise indicated. Copies of the Directory are available on the Internet. A links to the Directory may be found on the WHD home page at <http://www.dol.gov/esa/whd/> or through the Wage Determinations On-Line (WDOL) Web site at <http://wdol.gov/>.

REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE RATE {Standard Form 1444 (SF 1444)}

#### Conformance Process:

The contracting officer shall require that any class of service employee which is not listed herein and which is to be employed under the contract (i.e., the work to be performed is not performed by any classification listed in the wage determination), be classified by the contractor so as to provide a reasonable relationship (i.e., appropriate level of skill comparison) between such unlisted classifications and the classifications listed in the wage determination. Such conformed classes of employees shall be paid the monetary wages and furnished the fringe benefits as are determined. Such conforming process shall be initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees. The conformed classification, wage rate, and/or fringe benefits shall be retroactive to the commencement date of the contract. {See Section 4.6 (C)(vi)} When multiple wage determinations are included in a contract, a separate SF 1444 should be prepared for each wage determination to which a class(es) is to be conformed.

The process for preparing a conformance request is as follows:

- 1) When preparing the bid, the contractor identifies the need for a conformed occupation(s) and computes a proposed rate(s).
- 2) After contract award, the contractor prepares a written report listing in order proposed classification title(s), a Federal grade equivalency (FGE) for each proposed classification(s), job description(s), and rationale for proposed wage rate(s), including information regarding the agreement or disagreement of the authorized representative of the employees involved, or where there is no authorized representative, the employees themselves. This report should be submitted to the contracting officer no later than 30 days after such unlisted class(es) of employees performs any contract work.
- 3) The contracting officer reviews the proposed action and promptly submits a report of the action, together with the agency's recommendations and pertinent information including the position of the contractor and the employees, to the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, for review. (See section 4.6(b)(2) of Regulations 29 CFR Part 4).
- 4) Within 30 days of receipt, the Wage and Hour Division approves, modifies, or disapproves the action via transmittal to the agency contracting officer, or notifies the contracting officer that additional time will be required to process the request.
- 5) The contracting officer transmits the Wage and Hour decision to the contractor.
- 6) The contractor informs the affected employees.

Information required by the Regulations must be submitted on SF 1444 or bond paper.

When preparing a conformance request, the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" (the Directory) should be used to compare job definitions to insure that duties requested are not performed by a classification already listed in the wage determination. Remember, it is not the job title, but the required tasks that

determine whether a class is included in an established wage determination. Conformances may not be used to artificially split, combine, or subdivide classifications listed in the wage determination.