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Note: Under Executive Order (EO) 13658 an hourly minimum wage of \$10.60 for calendar year 2019 applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was 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 \$10.60 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in calendar year 2019. 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.

State: Mississippi

Area: Mississippi Counties of Hancock Harrison Jackson

****Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing****

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	FOOTNOTE	RATE
01000 - Administrative Support And Clerical Occupations		
01011 - Accounting Clerk I		13.85
01012 - Accounting Clerk II		15.61
01013 - Accounting Clerk III		17.46
01020 - Administrative Assistant		22.40
01035 - Court Reporter		17.13
01041 - Customer Service Representative I		11.33
01042 - Customer Service Representative II		12.74
01043 - Customer Service Representative III		13.90
01051 - Data Entry Operator I		13.60
01052 - Data Entry Operator II		14.84
01060 - Dispatcher Motor Vehicle		15.97
01070 - Document Preparation Clerk		13.63
01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator		13.63
01111 - General Clerk I		12.13
01112 - General Clerk II		13.24
01113 - General Clerk III		14.98
01120 - Housing Referral Assistant		19.09
01141 - Messenger Courier		13.21
01191 - Order Clerk I		16.73
01192 - Order Clerk II		18.25
01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I		14.60
01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II		16.33
01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III		18.20
01270 - Production Control Clerk		24.94
01290 - Rental Clerk		11.90
01300 - Scheduler Maintenance		15.31
01311 - Secretary I		15.31
01312 - Secretary II		17.13
01313 - Secretary III		19.09
01320 - Service Order Dispatcher		14.27
01410 - Supply Technician		22.40
01420 - Survey Worker		13.89
01460 - Switchboard Operator/Receptionist		12.83
01531 - Travel Clerk I		11.65

01532 - Travel Clerk II	12.37
01533 - Travel Clerk III	12.97
01611 - Word Processor I	13.33
01612 - Word Processor II	14.97
01613 - Word Processor III	16.75
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations	
05005 - Automobile Body Repairer Fiberglass	21.73
05010 - Automotive Electrician	17.59
05040 - Automotive Glass Installer	16.90
05070 - Automotive Worker	16.90
05110 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	15.49
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	18.27
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	16.90
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic	19.39
05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	14.84
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	16.20
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	16.90
05310 - Painter Automotive	17.59
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	16.90
05370 - Tire Repairer	14.61
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist	18.27
07000 - Food Preparation And Service Occupations	
07010 - Baker	11.79
07041 - Cook I	10.34
07042 - Cook II	11.28
07070 - Dishwasher	9.06
07130 - Food Service Worker	9.25
07210 - Meat Cutter	15.19
07260 - Waiter/Waitress	8.92
09000 - Furniture Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	23.94
09040 - Furniture Handler	18.25
09080 - Furniture Refinisher	23.94
09090 - Furniture Refinisher Helper	20.31
09110 - Furniture Repairer Minor	22.16
09130 - Upholsterer	23.94
11000 - General Services And Support Occupations	

11030 - Cleaner Vehicles	10.44
11060 - Elevator Operator	10.61
11090 - Gardener	14.93
11122 - Housekeeping Aide	10.61
11150 - Janitor	10.61
11210 - Laborer Grounds Maintenance	12.83
11240 - Maid or Houseman	9.24
11260 - Pruner	12.15
11270 - Tractor Operator	14.28
11330 - Trail Maintenance Worker	12.83
11360 - Window Cleaner	11.20
12000 - Health Occupations	
12010 - Ambulance Driver	20.42
12011 - Breath Alcohol Technician	18.09
12012 - Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant	24.82
12015 - Certified Physical Therapist Assistant	22.87
12020 - Dental Assistant	17.21
12025 - Dental Hygienist	32.45
12030 - EKG Technician	24.24
12035 - Electroneurodiagnostic Technologist	24.24
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician	20.42
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I	16.17
12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II	18.09
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III	20.16
12100 - Medical Assistant	13.73
12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician	20.47
12160 - Medical Record Clerk	15.82
12190 - Medical Record Technician	17.70
12195 - Medical Transcriptionist	16.16
12210 - Nuclear Medicine Technologist	39.74
12221 - Nursing Assistant I	11.19
12222 - Nursing Assistant II	12.58
12223 - Nursing Assistant III	13.72
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV	15.41
12235 - Optical Dispenser	15.66
12236 - Optical Technician	14.24
12250 - Pharmacy Technician	15.92

12280 - Phlebotomist	16.27
12305 - Radiologic Technologist	24.27
12311 - Registered Nurse I	23.51
12312 - Registered Nurse II	28.76
12313 - Registered Nurse II Specialist	30.14
12314 - Registered Nurse III	34.79
12315 - Registered Nurse III Anesthetist	34.79
12316 - Registered Nurse IV	41.70
12317 - Scheduler (Drug and Alcohol Testing)	22.41
12320 - Substance Abuse Treatment Counselor	15.82
13000 - Information And Arts Occupations	
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I	17.54
13012 - Exhibits Specialist II	21.72
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III	26.57
13041 - Illustrator I	17.54
13042 - Illustrator II	21.72
13043 - Illustrator III	26.57
13047 - Librarian	24.06
13050 - Library Aide/Clerk	10.15
13054 - Library Information Technology Systems Administrator	21.72
13058 - Library Technician	15.47
13061 - Media Specialist I	15.67
13062 - Media Specialist II	17.54
13063 - Media Specialist III	19.54
13071 - Photographer I	15.67
13072 - Photographer II	17.54
13073 - Photographer III	21.72
13074 - Photographer IV	26.57
13075 - Photographer V	32.14
13090 - Technical Order Library Clerk	15.74
13110 - Video Teleconference Technician	18.00
14000 - Information Technology Occupations	
14041 - Computer Operator I	15.28
14042 - Computer Operator II	17.09
14043 - Computer Operator III	19.04
14044 - Computer Operator IV	21.16

14045 - Computer Operator V		23.44
14071 - Computer Programmer I	(see 1)	20.43
14072 - Computer Programmer II	(see 1)	25.30
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		15.28
14160 - Personal Computer Support Technician		21.16
14170 - System Support Specialist		23.49
15000 - Instructional Occupations		
15010 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Non-Rated)		28.47
15020 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Rated)		34.44
15030 - Air Crew Training Devices Instructor (Pilot)		41.28
15050 - Computer Based Training Specialist / Instructor		28.47
15060 - Educational Technologist		34.34
15070 - Flight Instructor (Pilot)		41.28
15080 - Graphic Artist		19.42
15085 - Maintenance Test Pilot Fixed Jet/Prop		41.28
15086 - Maintenance Test Pilot Rotary Wing		41.28
15088 - Non-Maintenance Test/Co-Pilot		41.28
15090 - Technical Instructor		25.83
15095 - Technical Instructor/Course Developer		31.60
15110 - Test Proctor		20.86
15120 - Tutor		20.86
16000 - Laundry Dry-Cleaning Pressing And Related Occupations		
16010 - Assembler		9.89
16030 - Counter Attendant		9.89
16040 - Dry Cleaner		11.46
16070 - Finisher Flatwork Machine		9.89
16090 - Presser Hand		9.89
16110 - Presser Machine Drycleaning		9.89
16130 - Presser Machine Shirts		9.89
16160 - Presser Machine Wearing Apparel Laundry		9.89
16190 - Sewing Machine Operator		12.13
16220 - Tailor		12.85

16250 - Washer Machine	10.33
19000 - Machine Tool Operation And Repair Occupations	
19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Tool Room)	23.94
19040 - Tool And Die Maker	27.08
21000 - Materials Handling And Packing Occupations	
21020 - Forklift Operator	19.26
21030 - Material Coordinator	24.94
21040 - Material Expediter	24.94
21050 - Material Handling Laborer	12.97
21071 - Order Filler	12.75
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)	19.26
21110 - Shipping Packer	16.67
21130 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk	16.67
21140 - Store Worker I	15.36
21150 - Stock Clerk	18.21
21210 - Tools And Parts Attendant	19.26
21410 - Warehouse Specialist	19.26
23000 - Mechanics And Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
23010 - Aerospace Structural Welder	30.90
23019 - Aircraft Logs and Records Technician	26.71
23021 - Aircraft Mechanic I	29.87
23022 - Aircraft Mechanic II	30.90
23023 - Aircraft Mechanic III	31.79
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper	24.50
23050 - Aircraft Painter	28.87
23060 - Aircraft Servicer	26.71
23070 - Aircraft Survival Flight Equipment Technician	28.87
23080 - Aircraft Worker	27.84
23091 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic I	27.84
23092 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic II	29.87
23110 - Appliance Mechanic	23.94
23120 - Bicycle Repairer	18.11
23125 - Cable Splicer	30.38
23130 - Carpenter Maintenance	21.46
23140 - Carpet Layer	21.62

23160 - Electrician Maintenance	26.32
23181 - Electronics Technician Maintenance I	30.35
23182 - Electronics Technician Maintenance II	31.47
23183 - Electronics Technician Maintenance III	32.57
23260 - Fabric Worker	22.16
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic	24.31
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer	21.23
23311 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic	24.79
23312 - Fuel Distribution System Operator	20.42
23370 - General Maintenance Worker	16.03
23380 - Ground Support Equipment Mechanic	29.87
23381 - Ground Support Equipment Servicer	26.71
23382 - Ground Support Equipment Worker	27.84
23391 - Gunsmith I	21.23
23392 - Gunsmith II	23.08
23393 - Gunsmith III	24.77
23410 - Heating Ventilation And Air-Conditioning Mechanic	20.21
23411 - Heating Ventilation And Air Contidioning Mechanic (Research Facility)	20.90
23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic	25.75
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator	20.25
23460 - Instrument Mechanic	24.77
23465 - Laboratory/Shelter Mechanic	23.94
23470 - Laborer	12.97
23510 - Locksmith	23.01
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	24.77
23550 - Machinist Maintenance	26.26
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	20.25
23591 - Metrology Technician I	24.77
23592 - Metrology Technician II	25.62
23593 - Metrology Technician III	26.36
23640 - Millwright	23.98
23710 - Office Appliance Repairer	18.39
23760 - Painter Maintenance	18.62
23790 - Pipefitter Maintenance	25.48
23810 - Plumber Maintenance	24.62

23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	24.77
23850 - Rigger	23.78
23870 - Scale Mechanic	23.08
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker Maintenance	24.77
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	15.59
23931 - Telecommunications Mechanic I	25.49
23932 - Telecommunications Mechanic II	27.78
23950 - Telephone Lineman	25.05
23960 - Welder Combination Maintenance	25.73
23965 - Well Driller	24.77
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	24.77
23980 - Woodworker	21.23
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	
24550 - Case Manager	15.82
24570 - Child Care Attendant	10.21
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk	12.74
24610 - Chore Aide	11.01
24620 - Family Readiness And Support Services Coordinator	15.82
24630 - Homemaker	15.82
25000 - Plant And System Operations Occupations	
25010 - Boiler Tender	23.82
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator	18.25
25070 - Stationary Engineer	23.82
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender	19.54
25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator	18.25
27000 - Protective Service Occupations	
27004 - Alarm Monitor	15.30
27007 - Baggage Inspector	12.91
27008 - Corrections Officer	14.58
27010 - Court Security Officer	17.26
27030 - Detection Dog Handler	15.38
27040 - Detention Officer	14.58
27070 - Firefighter	18.47
27101 - Guard I	12.91
27102 - Guard II	15.38
27131 - Police Officer I	19.14

27132 - Police Officer II	21.27
28000 - Recreation Occupations	
28041 - Carnival Equipment Operator	11.41
28042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer	12.75
28043 - Carnival Worker	9.71
28210 - Gate Attendant/Gate Tender	15.02
28310 - Lifeguard	12.71
28350 - Park Attendant (Aide)	16.80
28510 - Recreation Aide/Health Facility Attendant	12.26
28515 - Recreation Specialist	20.81
28630 - Sports Official	13.38
28690 - Swimming Pool Operator	17.32
29000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupational Services	
29010 - Blocker And Bracer	25.83
29020 - Hatch Tender	25.83
29030 - Line Handler	25.83
29041 - Stevedore I	24.79
29042 - Stevedore II	26.79
30000 - Technical Occupations	
30010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist Center (HFO) (see 2)	38.78
30011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist Station (HFO) (see 2)	26.74
30012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist Terminal (HFO) (see 2)	29.45
30021 - Archeological Technician I	18.63
30022 - Archeological Technician II	21.06
30023 - Archeological Technician III	24.82
30030 - Cartographic Technician	26.10
30040 - Civil Engineering Technician	19.75
30051 - Cryogenic Technician I	23.44
30052 - Cryogenic Technician II	25.89
30061 - Drafter/CAD Operator I	18.63
30062 - Drafter/CAD Operator II	21.06
30063 - Drafter/CAD Operator III	23.45
30064 - Drafter/CAD Operator IV	28.86
30081 - Engineering Technician I	16.25
30082 - Engineering Technician II	18.24
30083 - Engineering Technician III	20.44
30084 - Engineering Technician IV	25.28

30085 - Engineering Technician V	31.68
30086 - Engineering Technician VI	37.41
30090 - Environmental Technician	23.70
30095 - Evidence Control Specialist	21.16
30210 - Laboratory Technician	24.89
30221 - Latent Fingerprint Technician I	23.44
30222 - Latent Fingerprint Technician II	25.89
30240 - Mathematical Technician	25.12
30361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I	17.66
30362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II	21.88
30363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III	26.76
30364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV	32.38
30375 - Petroleum Supply Specialist	25.89
30390 - Photo-Optics Technician	25.12
30395 - Radiation Control Technician	25.89
30461 - Technical Writer I	27.93
30462 - Technical Writer II	29.20
30463 - Technical Writer III	35.32
30491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I	24.65
30492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II	29.82
30493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III	35.74
30494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort	24.65
30495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel	24.65
30501 - Weather Forecaster I	28.86
30502 - Weather Forecaster II	35.10
30620 - Weather Observer Combined Upper Air Or	(see 2) 23.45
Surface Programs	
30621 - Weather Observer Senior	(see 2) 25.12
31000 - Transportation/Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations	
31010 - Airplane Pilot	29.82
31020 - Bus Aide	11.48
31030 - Bus Driver	14.48
31043 - Driver Courier	12.93
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant	9.08
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver	13.52
31310 - Taxi Driver	11.13
31361 - Truckdriver Light	13.52

31362 - Truckdriver Medium	15.35
31363 - Truckdriver Heavy	18.33
31364 - Truckdriver Tractor-Trailer	18.33
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations	
99020 - Cabin Safety Specialist	14.54
99030 - Cashier	9.11
99050 - Desk Clerk	10.60
99095 - Embalmer	24.65
99130 - Flight Follower	24.65
99251 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker I	13.56
99252 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker II	13.95
99260 - Marketing Analyst	23.73
99310 - Mortician	24.65
99410 - Pest Controller	18.21
99510 - Photofinishing Worker	12.95
99710 - Recycling Laborer	16.19
99711 - Recycling Specialist	17.97
99730 - Refuse Collector	14.81
99810 - Sales Clerk	11.54
99820 - School Crossing Guard	16.24
99830 - Survey Party Chief	24.15
99831 - Surveying Aide	15.97
99832 - Surveying Technician	21.93
99840 - Vending Machine Attendant	15.39
99841 - Vending Machine Repairer	17.48
99842 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	15.39

Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706 Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal

Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness injury or other health-related needs including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill injured or has other health-related needs including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is the victim of domestic violence sexual assault or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: Life accident and health insurance plans sick leave pension plans civic and personal leave severance pay and savings and thrift plans. Minimum employer contributions costing an average of \$4.54 per hour computed on the basis of all hours worked up to 40 hours per week by service employees employed on the contract.

HEALTH & WELFARE EO 13706: Minimum employer contributions costing an average of \$4.22 per hour computed on the basis of all hours worked up to 40 hours per week by service employees employed on the covered contracts. *

*This rate is to be used only when compensating employees for performance on an SCA-covered contract also covered by EO 13706 Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors. A contractor may not receive credit toward its SCA obligations for any paid sick leave provided pursuant to EO 13706.

VACATION: 1 week paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor; 2 weeks after 2 years; 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 4.174)

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 re-grading 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.

** SERVICE CONTRACT ACT DIRECTORY OF OCCUPATIONS **

The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" Fifth Edition (Revision 1) dated September 2015 unless otherwise indicated.

** 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 (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(i)). Such conforming procedures shall be initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(ii)). The Wage and Hour Division shall make a final determination of conformed classification wage rate and/or fringe benefits which shall be paid to all employees performing in the classification from the first day of work on which contract work is performed by them in the classification. Failure to pay such unlisted employees the compensation agreed upon by the interested parties and/or fully determined by the Wage and Hour Division retroactive to the date such class of employees commenced contract work shall be a violation of the Act and this contract. (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(v)). 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 the 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 U.S. Department of Labor Wage and Hour Division for review (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(ii)).
- 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 Division's decision to the contractor.
- 6) Each affected employee shall be furnished by the contractor with a written copy of such determination or it shall be posted as a part of the wage determination (See

29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(iii)).

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" should be used to compare job definitions to ensure 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 (See 29 CFR 4.152(c)(1))."

