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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

As required by Section 15(h)(3)(A)(ii) of the Small Business Act, the General Services Administration (GSA) provides a report on all prime contract procurements made during each fiscal year (FY), not excluding any contract awarded. The information in this report for FY 2023 was derived from the Federal Procurement Data System (FPDS) on February 22, 2024, and includes procurements made for the Federal Government, including each of the 24 Chief Financial Officers (CFO) Act agencies. Based on this report, Federal Government contract expenditures totaled $775 billion during FY 2023. Other than small business expenditures totaled $604 billion. Small business expenditures totaled $171 billion. Government-wide dollars awarded to service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses (SDVOSB) totaled $31 billion; Historically Underutilized Business Zone (HUBZone) small businesses totaled $16 billion; small disadvantaged businesses (SDB) totaled $74 billion; and women-owned small businesses (WOSB) totaled $29 billion.

Additionally, as required by Section 15(h)(3)(A)(ii), subcontracting data is being supplied. Based on this report, which was derived from the Electronic Subcontracting Reporting System (eSRS) on March 1, 2024, dollars awarded to small businesses through subcontracting totaled $100 billion during FY 2023. Government-wide subcontracting dollars awarded to SDVOSBs totaled $8 billion; HUBZone small businesses totaled $6 billion; SDBs totaled $16 billion; and WOSBs totaled $17 billion.

**Prime Contracts**

The first report provides prime contract awards without exclusions, as required by

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Section 15(h)(3)(A)(ii) of the Small Business Act. This report provides, for the Federal

Government and each of the funded 24 Chief Financial Officers (CFO) Act Agencies, an accounting of the number and dollar amount of all prime contracts awarded during FY 2023 to—

**Small business concerns--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through sole source contracts;

(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through unrestricted competition;

(V) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business concerns for purposes of the initial contract; and

(VI) that were awarded using a procurement method that restricted competition to small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans, qualified HUBZone small business concerns, small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, small business concerns owned and controlled by women, or a subset of any such concerns;

**Small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled Veterans--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through sole source contracts;

(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through competitions restricted to small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans;

(V) through unrestricted competition;

(VI) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans for purposes of the initial contract; and

(VII) that were awarded using a procurement method that restricted competition to qualified HUBZone small business concerns, small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, small business concerns owned and controlled by women, or a subset of any such concerns;

**Qualified HUBZone small business concerns--**

(I) in the aggregate;

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(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through competitions restricted to qualified HUBZone small business concerns; (V) through unrestricted competition where a price evaluation preference was used; (VI) through unrestricted competition where a price evaluation preference was not used;

(VII) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be qualified HUBZone small business concerns for purposes of the initial contract; and

(VIII) that were awarded using a procurement method that restricted competition to small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans, small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, small business concerns owned and controlled by women, or a subset of any such concerns;

**Small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through sole source contracts;

(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through competitions restricted to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals;

(V) through unrestricted competition;

(VI) by reason of that concern's certification as a small business owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals;

(VII) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and

economically disadvantaged individuals for purposes of the initial contract; and

(VIII) that were awarded using a procurement method that restricted

competition to small business concerns owned and controlled by

service-disabled veterans, qualified HUBZone small business concerns, small business concerns owned and controlled by women, or a subset of any such concerns;

**Small business concerns owned by an Indian tribe (as such term is defined in section 8(a)(13) [15 USC § 637(a)(13)]) other than an Alaska Native Corporation--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through sole source contracts;

(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through competitions restricted to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals;

(V) through unrestricted competition; and

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(VI) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business concerns owned by an Indian tribe other than an Alaska Native Corporation for purposes of the initial contract;

**Small business concerns owned by a Native Hawaiian Organization--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through sole source contracts;

(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through competitions restricted to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals;

(V) through unrestricted competition; and

(VI) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business concerns owned by a Native Hawaiian Organization for purposes of the initial contract;

**Small business concerns owned by an Alaska Native Corporation--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through sole source contracts;

(III) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(IV) through competitions restricted to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals;

(V) through unrestricted competition;

(VI) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business concerns owned by an Alaska Native Corporation for purposes of the initial contract;

**Small business concerns owned and controlled by women--**

(I) in the aggregate;

(II) through competitions restricted to small business concerns;

(III) through competitions restricted using the authority under section 8(m)(2); (IV) through competitions restricted using the authority under section 8(m)(2) and in which the waiver authority under section 8(m)(3) was used;

(V) through sole source contracts awarded using the authority under subsection 8(m)(7);

(VI) through sole source contracts awarded using the authority under section 8(m)(8);

(VII) by industry for contracts described in subclause (III), (IV), (V), or (VI); (VIII) through unrestricted competition;

(IX) that were purchased by another entity after the initial contract was awarded and as a result of the purchase, would no longer be deemed to be small business

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concerns owned and controlled by women for purposes of the initial contract; and

(X) that were awarded using a procurement method that restricted competition to small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans, small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, or a subset of any such concerns;

**Other Than Small Business concerns—**

(I) in the aggregate

(II) each funded 24 Chief Financial Officers (CFO) Act Agencies

**Subcontracting**

As required by Section 15(h)(3)(A)(ii) of the Small Business Act, the second report provides for the Federal Government the dollar amount and the distribution of subcontracts awarded during FY 2023 with respect to the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) to small business concerns, small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans, qualified HUBZone small business concerns, small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, and small business concerns owned and controlled by women. Section 15(h)(2)(F) of the Act requires that the report also include the number of subcontracting actions, “provided that such information is publicly available through data systems developed pursuant to the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006 (Public Law 109-282), or otherwise available.” As of the time of this report, this information is not captured in the Electronic Subcontracting Reporting System (eSRS) and, therefore, is not included.