

(A) is a commercial item (as described in section 103(1) of this title);

(B) is sold in substantial quantities in the commercial marketplace; and

(C) is offered to the Federal Government, without modification, in the same form in which it is sold in the commercial marketplace; but

(2) does not include bulk cargo, as defined in section 40102(4) of title 46, such as agricultural products and petroleum products.

(Pub. L. 111-350, §3, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3679.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
104	41:431(c).	Pub. L. 93-400, §35(c), as added Pub. L. 104-106, title XLII, §4203(a), Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 655.

In paragraph (2), the words “section 40102(4) of title 46” are substituted for “section 3 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. App. 1702)” because of section 18(c) of Public Law 109-304 (46 U.S.C. note prec. 101).

§ 105. Component

In this subtitle, the term “component” means an item supplied to the Federal Government as part of an end item or of another component.

(Pub. L. 111-350, §3, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3680.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
105	41:259(c)(14).	June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title III, §309(c)(14), as added Pub. L. 98-369, title VII, §2711(a)(3), July 18, 1984, 98 Stat. 1180; Pub. L. 98-577, title V, §504(a)(4), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 3086; Pub. L. 103-355, title I, §1551, Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3299.
	41:264a (“component”).	June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title III, §314A (“component”), as added Pub. L. 103-355, title VIII, §8202, Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3394.
	41:403(14).	Pub. L. 93-400, §4(14), as added Pub. L. 103-355, title VIII, §8001(a), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3386.

§ 106. Federal Acquisition Regulation

In this subtitle, the term “Federal Acquisition Regulation” means the regulation issued under section 1303(a)(1) of this title.

(Pub. L. 111-350, §3, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3680.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
106	41:259(e).	June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title III, §309(e), as added Pub. L. 103-355, title I, §1551, Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3299.

The defined term is made applicable to the subtitle because of the numerous references throughout the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act (Public Law 93-400, 88 Stat. 796), restated in division B of this subtitle, and especially because of sections 6(a) and 25(c) of the Act, restated in sections 1121 and 1303, respectively.

§ 107. Full and open competition

In this subtitle, the term “full and open competition”, when used with respect to a procurement, means that all responsible sources are permitted to submit sealed bids or competitive proposals on the procurement.

(Pub. L. 111-350, §3, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3680.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
107	41:259(c)(4).	June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title III, §309(c)(4), as added Pub. L. 98-369, title VII, §2711(a)(3), July 18, 1984, 98 Stat. 1180; Pub. L. 98-577, title V, §504(a)(4), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 3086; Pub. L. 103-355, title I, §1551, Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3299.
	41:403(6).	Pub. L. 93-400, §4(6), formerly §4(7), as added Pub. L. 98-369, title VII, §2731(3), July 18, 1984, 98 Stat. 1195; Pub. L. 98-577, title I, §102(1), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 3067; redesignated as §4(6), Pub. L. 100-679, §3(c), Nov. 17, 1988, 102 Stat. 4056; Pub. L. 103-355, title VIII, §8001(b)(1)-(3), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3386.

§ 108. Item and item of supply

In this subtitle, the terms “item” and “item of supply”—

(1) mean an individual part, component, sub-assembly, assembly, or subsystem integral to a major system, and other property which may be replaced during the service life of the system, including spare parts and replenishment spare parts; but

(2) do not include packaging or labeling associated with shipment or identification of an item.

(Pub. L. 111-350, §3, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3680.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
108	41:259(c)(8), (9).	June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title III, §309(c)(8), (9), as added Pub. L. 98-369, title VII, §2711(a)(3), July 18, 1984, 98 Stat. 1180; Pub. L. 98-577, title V, §504(a)(4), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 3086; Pub. L. 103-355, title I, §1551, Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3299.
	41:403(10) (“item”, “item of supply”).	Pub. L. 93-400, §4(10) (“item”, “item of supply”), formerly §4(11), as added Pub. L. 98-577, title I, §102(3), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 3067; redesignated as §4(10), Pub. L. 100-679, §3(c), Nov. 17, 1988, 102 Stat. 4056; Pub. L. 103-355, title VIII, §8001(b)(1), (2), (4), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3386.

§ 109. Major system

(a) IN GENERAL.—In this subtitle, the term “major system” means a combination of elements that will function together to produce the capabilities required to fulfill a mission need. These elements may include hardware, equipment, software, or a combination of hardware, equipment, and software, but do not include