

# SECTION 1423 ACQUISITION ADVISORY PANEL

Government-wide Contracts and Interagency Contract Vehicles Working Group



## Government – Wide Contracts and Interagency Contract Vehicles

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# Planned Outcomes

• Briefings

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- Written Reports
- Recommendations
  - Start
  - Stop
  - Improve
  - Maintain

# Legal Authority

31 U.S.C. 1535 (Economy Act)
41 U.S.C. 259 (b)(3) (Schedule program authority)
P.L. 103-355 (Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act)
sec. 1074 - Use of Multiple Agency Contracts
sec. 1074(b) – Economy Act requirements
sec. 1503 – DoD delegation authority
sec. 1552 – Civilian agency delegation authority
P.L. 103-356 (Government Management Reform Act)
sec. 403 - Franchise fund authority
P.L. 104-106 (Clinger-Cohen Act)
sec. 5112 - GWAC authority
sec. 5122 - Capital planning
sec. 5124(a)(2) - multi-agency IT acquisitions
P.L. 106-65 (FY 2000 NDAA)
sec. 804 - Guidance on GWACs
P.L. 107-107 (FY 2002 NDAA)
sec. 803 – Competition requirements for multiple award contracts
P.L. 108-375 (FY 2005 NDAA)
sec. 802 – Controls for DoD use of FTS
sec. 854 – DoD contracts with other agencies

#### **Regulatory Guidance**

FAR 2.101 (Definitions)

FAR 5.6 (Publicizing Multi-Agency Use Contracts)

FAR 6.1 (Full and Open Competition)FAR 6.2 (Full and Open Competition After Exclusion of Sources)FAR 6.3 (Other Than Full and Open Competition)

FAR 7.1 (Acquisition Plans)

FAR 8.001 (Capital Planning Requirements) FAR 8.4 (Federal Supply Schedules)

FAR 16.5 (Indefinite Delivery Contracts)

FAR 17.5 (Interagency Acquisitions Under the Economy Act)

FAR 38 (Federal Supply Schedule Contracting)

#### Administrative and Policy Guidance

• OMB

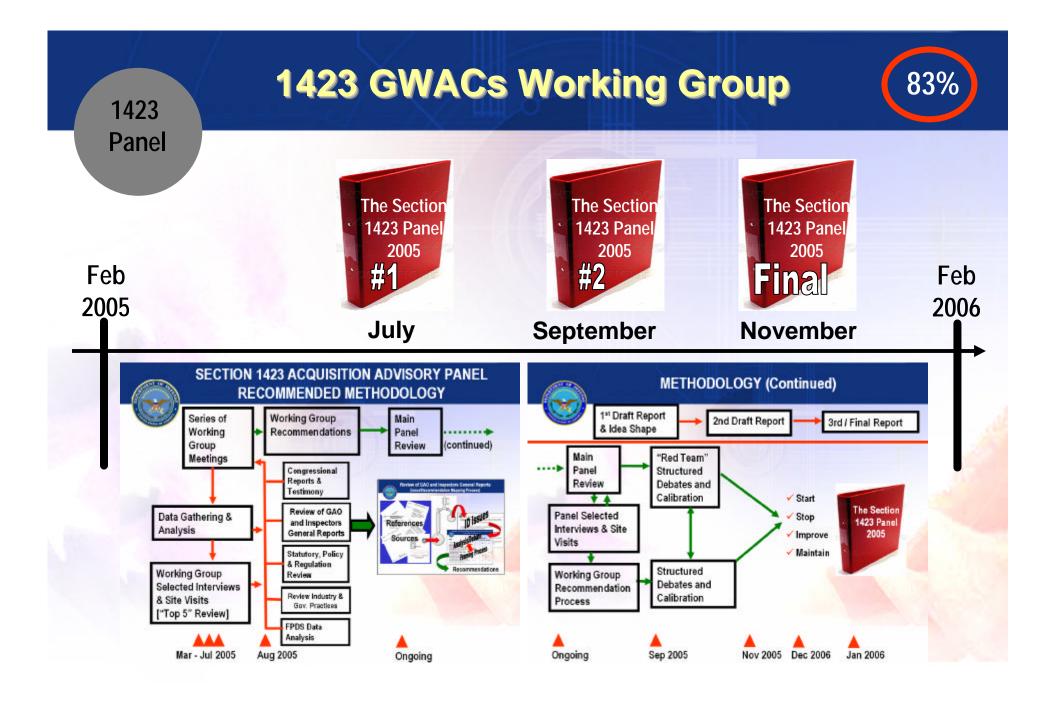
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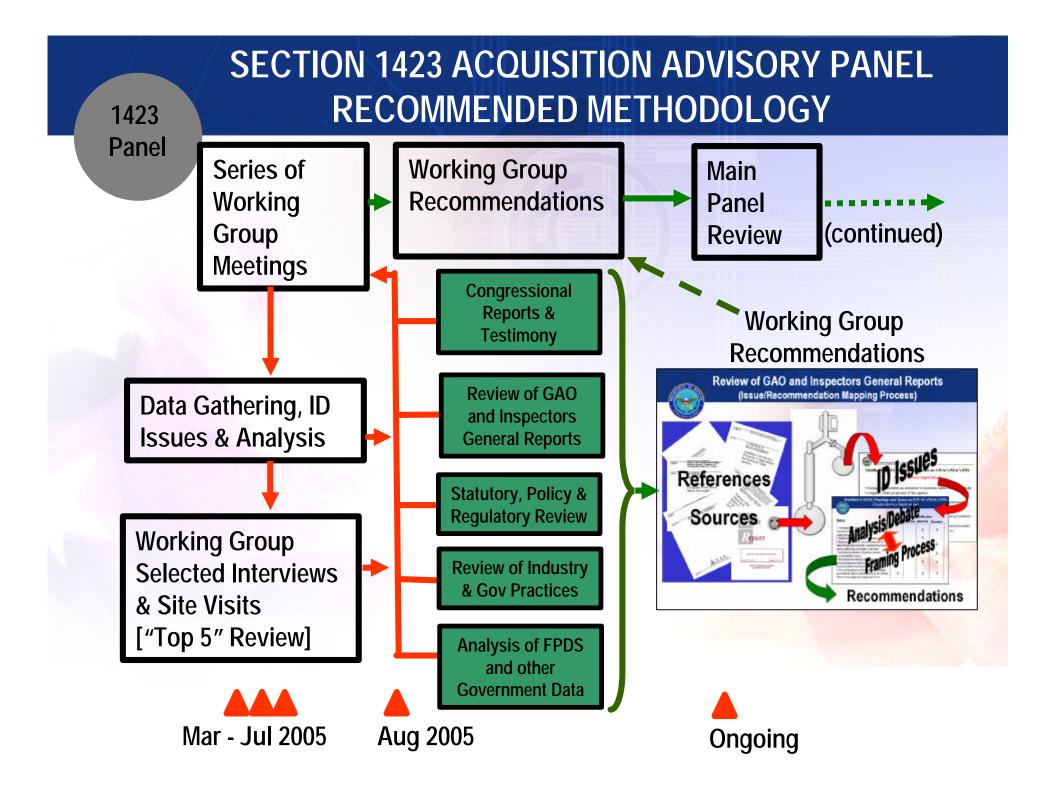
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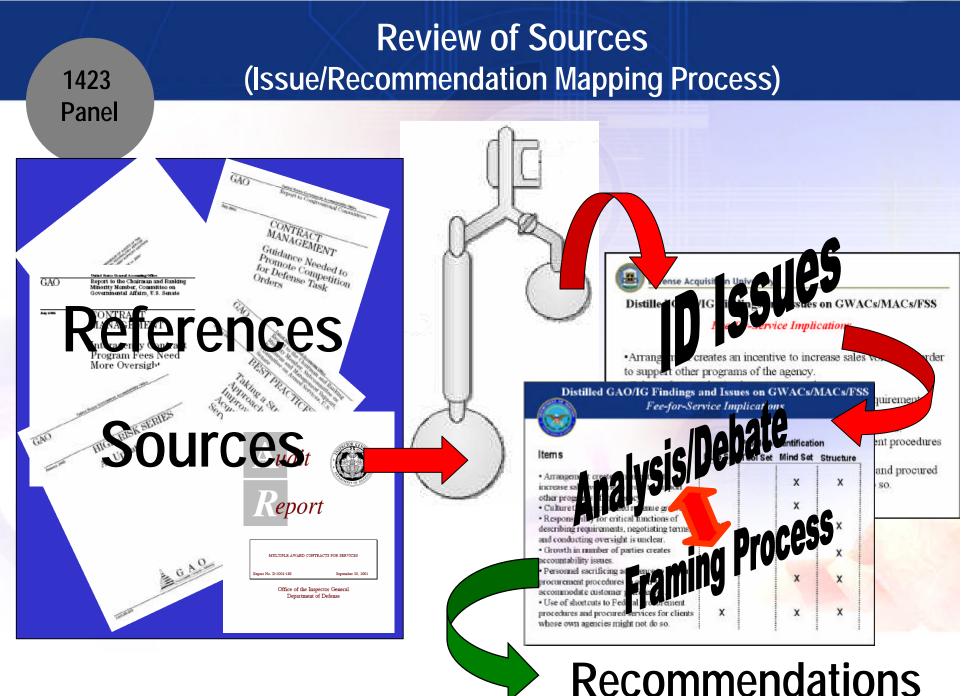
Memorandum 97-07 (Multi-agency contracts under the Information Technology Management Reform Act of 1996).

Memorandum M-03-01 (Business rules for intergovernmental transactions).

Memorandum M-04-08 (Maximizing the use of SmartBuy and avoiding duplication of agency activities with the President's 24 E-Gov initiatives)







#### Issues

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Benefits of government-wide contracts and multi-agency contract vehicles affected by issues in the following categories:

- Socio-economic programs.
- Structures/Constructs of contract vehicles and schedules programs.
- Pricing and cost.
- Implementation of vehicles including scope and competition issues.
- Oversight, surveillance and accountability.
- Training.
- Government organizations (GSA/DoD): Strategic approaches to structure and processes.
- Workforce.

### Next steps

- Broaden source search.
- Examine private sector testimony for best practices.
- Analyze data from the Federal Procurement Data System.
- Continue source review.
- Establish working group milestones.
- Refine and prioritize identified issues.
- Begin developing recommendations for the Panel.