



DFARS 252.240-7012 Cybersecurity Compliance Assistance

Aleta Technologies has **unusually deep experience** useful in helping companies minimize burden of DFARS 252.204-7012 and the mandatory NIST SP 800-171 security controls that are required for any contractor information systems that process, store, or transmit covered defense information (such as FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY information). Though the DFARS cybersecurity requirements are relatively new, Aleta staff **have helped over 1,000 systems** comply with similar DoD Information Security processes over the past 21 years. We have also served as Army third-party assessors, and even served on behalf of Army Headquarters deciding what systems were and were not sufficiently secure to be authorized to operate.

We offer various options for compliance:

- Staff augmentation, either one-time or on a monthly basis; risk assessment; and/or complete turn-key support that includes security hardening, training, and policy creation
- Normal contract support, or low-monthly-cost lease options for hardware, software, and services

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DFARS = Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement
NIST SP = National Institute of Standards and Technology Special Publication

DFARS 252.204-7012 defines covered Defense information as "...Unclassified controlled technical information or other information, as described in the Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) Registry at <http://www.archives.gov/cui/registry/category-list.html> that requires safeguarding or dissemination controls pursuant to and consistent with law, regulations, and Government-wide policies, and is—

- 1) Marked or otherwise identified in the contract, task order, or delivery order and provided to the contractor by or on behalf of DoD in support of the performance of the contract; or
- 2) Collected, developed, received, transmitted, used, or stored by or on behalf of the contractor in support of the performance of the contract."

