

agency head.

(Pub. L. 107-217, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1130.)

Historical and Revision Notes

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)

Source (Statutes at Large)	

1103.....	40:543.
June 30, 1949, ch. 288, title IX, Sec.	
903, as added Pub. L. 92-582, Oct. 27,	
1972, 86 Stat. 1279.	

In subsection (b), the words ``engaged in the lawful practice of their profession'' are omitted as unnecessary because of the definition of ``firm'' in section 1102 of the revised title.

In subsection (c), the words ``compare alternative methods for furnishing services'' are substituted for ``the relative utility of alternative methods of approach for furnishing the required services'' to eliminate unnecessary words.

Architectural and Engineering Services

Pub. L. 108-136, div. A, title XIV, Sec. 1427(b), Nov. 24, 2003, 117 Stat. 1670, provided that: ``Architectural and engineering services (as defined in section 1102 of title 40, United States Code) shall not be offered under multiple-award schedule contracts entered into by the Administrator of General Services or under Government wide task and delivery order contracts entered into under sections 2304a and 2304b of title 10, United States Code, or sections 303H and 303I of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (41 U.S.C. 253h and 253i) unless such services--

``(1) are performed under the direct supervision of a professional architect or engineer licensed, registered, or certified in the State, territory (including the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico), possession, or Federal District in which the services are to be performed; and

``(2) are awarded in accordance with the selection procedures set forth in chapter 11 of title 40, United States Code.''

Sec. 1104. Negotiation of contract

(a) In General.--The agency head shall negotiate a contract for architectural and engineering services at compensation which the agency head determines is fair and reasonable to the Federal Government. In determining fair and reasonable compensation, the

