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## Office of the General Counsel

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Margaret A. Willis FAR Secretariat General Services Administration

Dear Ms. Willis:

This responds to your letter of June 8, 1989, requesting our comments on Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) case No. 89-36, a proposal to revise the clause at FAR section 52.247-23, which concerns a contractor carrier's liability for loss and damage to household goods. The proposed revision would extend from 45 to 75 days after delivery the time within which the owner of damaged or lost household goods must notify the contractor in order to hold the contractor liable. We have no objection to the proposed change.

Sincerely yours,

James F. Hinchman General Counsel