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for any part of the transportation, in any other vessel than a vessel built in and documented under laws of the United States and owned by persons who are citizens of the United States or vessels to which the privilege of engaging in coastwise trade is extended by sections 13 and 808 of title 46 of the United States Code. There are exceptions and limitations to this basic provision, especially with regard to the United States island territories and possessions in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. (For example, see 46 U.S.C. 877 relative to the Virgin Islands; 48 U.S.C. 1664 relative to American Samoa; and Presidential Proclamation 3215, December 12, 1957, relative to Canton Island.) Agencies shall comply with the current U.S. coastwise laws and any amendments to them. The Secretary of Treasury is empowered to impose monetary penalties against agencies which violate the coastwise laws.

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§ 101-40.104 Insurance against transportation hazards.

The policy of the Government with respect to insurance of its property while in the possession of commercial carriers is set forth in 48 CFR 47.102.

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§ 101-40.105 Use of Government-owned transportation equipment.

Generally, the preferred method of transporting property for the Government is through use of the facilities and services of commercial carriers. However, under certain circumstances, Government vehicles may be used when they are available. They may be used for such purposes as local transfer of property, pickup or delivery services which are not performed by the commercial carriers in connection with the line-haul transportation, transportation of property to meet emergencies, and accomplishment of program objectives which cannot be attained through use of commercial carriers.

§ 101-40.106 Reports.

Subject to the provisions of 41 CFR 201-45.6, each executive agency shall submit reports concerning its transpor-

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tation procedures, practices, and operations to the GSA Central Office when requested.

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§ 101-40.107 Surveys.

As necessary and after adequate advance notice to the agencies affected, or upon request of agencies, GSA will make onsite surveys of transportation activities and will make recommendations, when necessary, for changes in agencies' policies, standards, practices, and procedures to improve transportation concepts and operations at all levels.

§ 101-40.108 Transportation seminars and workshops.

GSA conducts transportation seminars and workshops for the benefit of executive agency personnel assigned functions relating to the movement of Government materials. The objective of this training is to broaden traffic management knowledge and experience within the agency and to enhance economy of operations. Seminars on the use of socially and economically disadvantaged carriers are conducted by the GSA regional offices in coordination with the GSA Central Office. All other seminars are conducted through GSA Training Center (CTD). GSA regional offices will conduct workshops on transportation subjects designed to meet specific agency needs. Agencies desiring assistance in these matters should direct their requests to the appropriate GSA regional office or to the General Services Administration, GSA Training Center (CTD), P.O. Box 15608, Arlington, VA 22215, as appropriate.

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§ 101-40.109 Availability of transportation-related contracts and agreements.

§ 101-40.109-1 Miscellaneous transportation-related contracts and agreements.

(a) The GSA Central Office or the appropriate GSA regional office will, as considered necessary, enter into agreements or contracts for transportation and related services, including but not limited to stevedoring, storage, drayage, packing, marking, ocean