

877—8.8(96) Defense manpower policy number 4 (DMP-4). A firm may become eligible for a labor surplus area set-aside award under DMP-4 if it agrees to perform a substantial proportion (considered to be more than half of the award) of the contract in an area classified as a labor surplus area as of the date of the award. The Department of Labor quarterly publication, “Area Trends in Employment and Unemployment,” identifies localities that are classified as labor surplus areas. Guidelines for eligibility for preference under DMP-4 can be obtained from the federal agency awarding the contract.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code sections 96.10 to 96.12.