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# 31 C.F.R. § 29.502

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## Definitions.

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For purposes of this subpart —

*Additional charges* means interest, penalties, and/or administrative costs owed on a debt.

*Administrative offset*, as defined in 31 U.S.C. 3701(a)(1), means withholding funds payable by the United States to, or held by the United States for, a person to satisfy a debt the person owes the United States.

*Agency* means:

- (1) An Executive agency as defined in section 105 of title 5, United States Code, including the U.S. Postal Service and the U.S. Postal Rate Commission;
- (2) A military department, as defined in section 102 of title 5, United States Code;
- (3) An agency or court in the judicial branch, including a court as defined in section 610 of title 28, United States Code, the District Court for the Northern Mariana Islands, and the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation;
- (4) An agency of the legislative branch, including the U.S. Senate and the U.S. House of Representatives; and
- (5) Other independent establishments that are entities of the Federal Government.

*Annuitant* means a retired participant, former spouse, spouse, widow(er), child or other beneficiary receiving recurring Federal Benefit Payments.

*Annuity* means the monthly benefit (including a retirement salary under the Judges Plan) of indefinite duration payable to an annuitant.

*Anticipated expenses* means expenditures which are expected to occur and for which the debtor can provide documentation of the estimated cost.

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