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AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT		1. CONTRACT ID CODE	PAGE OF PAGES 1 2
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 080	3. EFFECTIVE DATE See Block 16C	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO. 09E0047D7	5. PROJECT NO. (if applicable)
6. ISSUED BY Golden Field Office U.S. Department of Energy Golden Field Office 1617 Cole Blvd. Golden CO 80401-3393	CODE 03601	7. ADMINISTERED BY (if other than item 6) Golden Field Office U.S. Department of Energy Golden Field Office 1617 Cole Blvd. Golden CO 80401-3393	CODE 03601
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (Name, street, county, State and ZIP Code) ALLIANCE FOR SUSTAINABLE ENERGY, LLC Attn: JAMES L. SPIGARELLI 1617 COLR BLVD GOLDEN CO 804013393		(a) 9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO.	
CODE 805948051		9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11)	
FACILITY CODE		9C. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO. DE-AC36-08028308	
		9D. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 07/29/2008	

10. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS

The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of offers  is extended.  is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods: (a) by completing items 9 and 15, and returning \_\_\_\_\_ copies of the amendment; (b) by acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) by separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided such telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.

12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (if required)

13. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDERS. IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.

CHECK ONE	A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.
	B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation data, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 48.103(c).
X	C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF: Clause I.149 970.5243-1 Changes (Dec 2008)
	D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)

E. IMPORTANT: Contractor  is not  is required to sign this document and return \_\_\_\_\_ copies to the issuing office.

14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including conditions/contra of subject matter where feasible)

DUNS Number: 005948051  
 Subj to Retent: N  
 Total Amount for this Modification: \$0.00  
 New Total Amount for this Version: \$0.00  
 New Total Amount for this Award: \$810,068,050.58

This modification makes the following revisions to the Contract:

- Paragraph E.3 has been added to Section E, Inspection and Acceptance.
- Paragraph G.4 has been added to Section G, Continued ...

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in item 6A or 10A, as hereof are changed, remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print) <i>D.S. GLOVER</i>	16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print) Jean M. Sielarka
15B. CONTRACTOR/ORDER NO. <i>080</i>	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA <i>080</i>
15C. DATE SIGNED 9/07/09	16C. DATE SIGNED 09/14/2009

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10000	Contract Administration, 3. Clause H.35, Special Provisions Relating to Work Funded under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 has been revised, 4. Clauses I.152, I.153, I.154, I.155, I1.56 and I.157 has been added to Section I Contract Clauses, 5. Clause I.139 has been revised, 6. DOE N 450.1A Environmental Protection Program and DOE N 456.1 Safe Handling of Unbound Engineered Nanoparticles have been added to Section J Attachment of the Contract. DOE O 450.1 CRD Environmental Protection Program (Change 3) Administrative Change 1 has been deleted from Section J, Attachment F. Delivery: 09/30/2013 Delivery Location Code: 03601 Golden Field Office U.S. Department of Energy Golden Field Office 1617 Cole Blvd. Golden CO 80401-3393  Mark For: Golden Field Office U.S. Department of Energy Golden Field Office 1617 Cole Blvd. Golden CO 80401-3393 FOB: Destination Period of Performance: 07/29/2008 to 09/30/2013  Add Item 10000 as follows:  Administrative Actions Obligated Amount: \$0.00				0.00

## Stiveson, Karen

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**From:** Stiveson, Karen  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 22, 2009 2:29 PM  
**To:** Stiveson, Karen  
**Subject:** FW: Administrative Mod 080

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**From:** Stiveson, Karen  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 16, 2009 8:31 AM  
**To:** Scott, Steve  
**Cc:** Gantos, Joseph; Motazedi, Sylvia; Michael, Laura; Darling, Linda; Stokes, Barbara; Bombeck, Kristin; Silbergleid, Steven  
**Subject:** Administrative Mod 080

Hi Steve,

As you and I discussed, I am providing for your information the marked-up PDF for the administrative mod. I did not receive any further comments than my own from the NREL review team.

Per your instruction, I will send the mod upstairs for Bill Glover's signature and we'll worry about the minor corrections later. NREL will acknowledge the mod in FedConnect once we have Bill Glover's signature.

Thanks—  
Karen Stiveson  
Requirements Management  
303) 275-3064



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	D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)

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7 G.5 Indirect Changes

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15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)		15A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)	
		Jean M. Sietekka	
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR	15C. DATE SIGNED	15B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	15C. DATE SIGNED
(Signature of person authorized to sign)		(Signature of Contracting Officer)	09/14/2009

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10000	Administrative Actions Obligated Amount: \$0.00   Attachment I - Changes   Attachment I - PEMP - Incorporated				0.00



This Modification incorporates the following significant changes to contract DE-AC36-08GO28308:

A. Section E, Inspection and Acceptance is amended as follows:

Paragraph E.3 is added which is applicable only to the Recovery Act work:

Certification – In order for the Contracting Officer to accept any products or services funded by the Recovery Act, the Contractor shall certify that the items were delivered and/or work was performed for a purpose authorized under the Recovery Act.

B. Section G, Contract Administration Data is amended as follows:

Paragraph G.4 is added which is applicable only to the Recovery Act work:

The following reporting procedure will apply to submission of monthly cost reports for Recovery Act work specified in the work scope baseline.

#### **Monthly Cost Reports**

(a) The Contractor will separately identify costs that pertain to the Recovery Act work. The Contractor will provide a monthly report that identifies the total amount drawn on the letter of credit. The contractor shall submit a monthly report that separates and identifies Recovery Act costs associated with each appropriation at the Recovery Act program and project levels.

(b) The Contractor shall certify in each monthly report that the costs included in the report for Recovery Act work were incurred only to accomplish the Recovery Act work in accordance with the work scope.

Paragraph G.5 is added which is applicable to the Recovery Act work:

#### **Indirect Charges**

In accordance with the general principles of the Recovery Act the Contractor must take the following steps to minimize the impacts of indirect costs and enhance transparency and accountability of project:

- (a) Clearly identify the estimated full cost of projects to include total direct and indirect costs, indirect costs rates, and adjust existing indirect cost rate to account for the material infusion of funds provided in the Recovery Act;
- (b) Exempt funds from contract cost base for distributing Laboratory Directed Research and Development or similar funds taxing programs;
- (c) Ensure all funds transferred by The Alliance for Sustainable Energy, LLC are completed using the Approved Funding Program process described in Chapter 12 of the Accounting Handbook; and

- (d) The Federal Administrative Charge (FAC) of three percent is waived on reimbursable work funded by the Recovery Act and performed by Departmental Federal offices or The Alliance for Sustainable Energy, LLC.
- (e) In all cases listed above and otherwise, the Contractor shall develop and maintain prudent management and good business practices regarding their indirect rate structure as it applies to Recovery Act funding.

C. The following Clause **H.35 -Special Provisions Relating to Work funded Under American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009**, attached hereto and made a part hereof, replaces the Clause **H.35 -Special Provisions Relating to Work Funded Under American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (FEB 2009)**, previously incorporated into this agreement under Modification No. M026.

**H.35 Special provisions relating to work funded under American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (APR 2009)**

Preamble:

Work performed under this contract will be funded, in whole or in part, with funds appropriated by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5, (Recovery Act or Act). The Recovery Act's purposes are to stimulate the economy and to create and retain jobs. The Act gives preference to activities that can be started and completed expeditiously, including a goal of using at least 50 percent of the funds made available by it for activities that can be initiated not later than June 17, 2009.

Contractors should begin planning activities for their first tier subcontractors, including obtaining a DUNS number (or updating the existing DUNS record), and registering with the Central Contractor Registration (CCR).

Be advised that Recovery Act funds can be used in conjunction with other funding as necessary to complete projects, but tracking and reporting must be separate to meet the reporting requirements of the Recovery Act and related Guidance. For projects funded by sources other than the Recovery Act, Contractors should plan to keep separate records for Recovery Act funds and to ensure those records comply with the requirements of the Act.

The Government has not fully developed the implementing instructions of the Recovery Act, particularly concerning the how and where for the new reporting requirements. The Contractor will be provided these details as they become available. The Contractor must comply with all requirements of the Act. If the contractor believes there is any inconsistency between ARRA requirements and current contract requirements, the issues will be referred to the Contracting Officer for reconciliation.

Be advised that special provisions may apply to projects funded by the Act relating to:

- Reporting, tracking and segregation of incurred costs;
- Reporting on job creation and preservation;
- Publication of information on the Internet;
- Protecting whistleblowers; and



- Requiring prompt referral of evidence of a false claim to the Inspector General.

**Definitions:**

For purposes of this clause, "Covered Funds" means funds expended or obligated from appropriations under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5. Covered Funds will have special accounting codes and will be identified as Recovery Act funds in the contract and/or modification using Recovery Act funds. Covered Funds must be reimbursed by September 30, 2015.

Non-Federal employer means any employer with respect to Covered Funds – the contractor or subcontractor, as the case may be, if the contractor or subcontractor is an employer; and any professional membership organization, certification of other professional body, any agent or licensee of the Federal government, or any person acting directly or indirectly in the interest of an employer receiving Covered Funds; or with respect to Covered Funds received by a State or local government, the State or local government receiving the funds and any contractor or subcontractor receiving the funds and any contractor or subcontractor of the State or local government; and does not mean any department, agency, or other entity of the federal government.

**A. Flow Down Provision**

This clause must be included in every first-tier subcontract.

**B. Segregation and Payment of Costs**

Contractor must segregate the obligations and expenditures related to funding under the Recovery Act. Financial and accounting systems should be revised as necessary to segregate, track and maintain these funds apart and separate from other revenue streams. No part of the funds from the Recovery Act shall be commingled with any other funds or used for a purpose other than that of making payments for costs allowable for Recovery Act projects. Where Recovery Act funds are authorized to be used in conjunction with other funding to complete projects, tracking and reporting must be separate from the original funding source to meet the reporting requirements of the Recovery Act and OMB Guidance.

Invoices must clearly indicate the portion of the requested payment that is for work funded by the Recovery Act.

Note: For contractors currently using drawdown on a letter of credit, the current procedure remains in effect and is used for Recovery Act activity in lieu of invoicing.

**C. Prohibition on Use of Funds**

None of the funds provided under this agreement derived from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5, may be for any casino or other gambling establishment, aquarium, zoo, golf course, or swimming pool.

D. Wage Rates

All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on projects funded directly by or assisted in whole or in part by and through the Federal Government pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5, shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on projects of a character similar in the locality as determined by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with subchapter IV of chapter 31 of title 40, United States Code. With respect to the labor standards specified in this section, the Secretary of Labor shall have the authority and functions set forth in Reorganization Plan numbered 14 of 1950 (64 Stat. 1267, 5 U.S.C. App.) and section 3145 of title 40 United States Code. See <http://www.dol.gov/esa/whd/contracts/dbra.htm>.

E. Publication

Information about this agreement will be published on the Internet and linked to the website [www.recovery.gov](http://www.recovery.gov), maintained by the Accountability and Transparency Board (the Board). The Board may exclude posting contractual or other information on the website on a case-by-case basis when necessary to protect national security or to protect information that is not subject to disclosure under sections 552 and 552a of title 5, United States Code.

F. Registration requirements

Contractor shall ensure that all first-tier subcontractors have a DUNS number and are registered in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) no later than the date the first report is due under FAR 52.204-11 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act – Reporting Requirements.

G. Utilization of Small Business

Contractor shall to the maximum extent practicable give a preference to small business in the award of subcontracts for projects funded by Recovery Act dollars.

D. Section I, Contract Clauses is amended as follows:

1. Add Clause I.152, FAR 52.203-15, Whistleblower Protections Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, as follows:

**I.152 FAR 52.203-15 – Whistleblower Protections Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Mar 2009)**

- (a) The Contractor shall post notice of employees rights and remedies for whistleblower protections provided under section 1553 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5).
- (b) The Contractor shall include the substance of this clause including this paragraph (b) in all subcontracts.

- X2. Add Clause ~~I.17~~<sup>I, 153</sup>, FAR 52.204-11, American Recovery and Reinvestment Act – Reporting Requirements, as follows:

The following clause is only applicable to projects funded by the Recovery Act:

**1.153 FAR 52.204-11 – American Recovery and Reinvestment Act--Reporting Requirements (MAR 2009)**

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause-

Contract, as defined in FAR 2.101, means a mutually binding legal relationship obligating the seller to furnish the supplies or services (including construction) and the buyer to pay for them. It includes all types of commitments that obligate the Government to an expenditure of appropriated funds and that, except as otherwise authorized, are in writing. In addition to bilateral instruments, contracts include (but are not limited to) awards and notices of awards; job orders or task letters issued under basic ordering agreements; letter contracts; orders, such as purchase orders, under which the contract becomes effective by written acceptance or performance; and bilateral contract modifications. Contracts do not include grants and cooperative agreements covered by 31 U.S.C. 6301, et seq. For discussion of various types of contracts, see FAR Part 16.

First-tier subcontract means a subcontract awarded directly by a Federal Government prime contractor whose contract is funded by the Recovery Act.

Jobs created means an estimate of those new positions created and filled, or previously existing unfilled positions that are filled, as a result of funding by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act). This definition covers only prime contractor positions established in the United States and outlying areas (see definition in FAR 2.101). The number shall be expressed as "full-time equivalent" (FTE), calculated cumulatively as all hours worked divided by the total number of hours in a full-time schedule, as defined by the contractor. For instance, two full-time employees and one part-time employee working half days would be reported as 2.5 FTE in each calendar quarter.

Jobs retained means an estimate of those previously existing filled positions that are retained as a result of funding by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act). This definition covers only prime contractor positions established in the United States and outlying areas (see definition in FAR 2.101). The number shall be expressed as "full-time equivalent" (FTE), calculated cumulatively as all hours worked divided by the total number of hours in a full-time schedule, as defined by the contractor. For instance, two full-time employees and one part-time employee working half days would be reported as 2.5 FTE in each calendar quarter.

Total compensation means the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive

during the contractor's past fiscal year of the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)):

- (1) Salary and bonus.
  - (2) Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123 (Revised 2004) (FAS 123R), Shared Based Payments.
  - (3) Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans. Does not include group life, health, hospitalization or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executives, and are available generally to all salaried employees.
  - (4) Change in pension value. This is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans.
  - (5) Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which is not tax-qualified.
  - (6) Other compensation. For example, severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on behalf of the employee, perquisites or property if the value for the executive exceeds \$10,000.
- (b) This contract requires the contractor to provide products and/or services that are funded under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act). Section 1512(c) of the Recovery Act requires each contractor to report on its use of Recovery Act funds under this contract. These reports will be made available to the public.
- (c) Reports from contractors for all work funded, in whole or in part, by the Recovery Act, and for which an invoice is submitted prior to June 30, 2009, are due no later than October 10, 2009. Thereafter, reports shall be submitted no later than the 10th day after the end of each calendar quarter.
- (d) The Contractor shall report the following information, using the online reporting tool available at <http://www.FederalReporting.gov>.
- (1) The Government contract and order number, as applicable.
  - (2) The amount of Recovery Act funds invoiced by the contractor for the reporting period. A cumulative amount from all the reports submitted for this action will be maintained by the government's on-line reporting tool.
  - (3) A list of all significant services performed or supplies delivered, including construction, for which the contractor invoiced in this calendar quarter.
  - (4) Program or project title, if any.
  - (5) A description of the overall purpose and expected outcomes or results of

the contract, including significant deliverables and, if appropriate, associated units of measure.

- (6) An assessment of the contractor's progress towards the completion of the overall purpose and expected outcomes or results of the contract (i.e., not started, less than 50 percent completed, completed 50 percent or more, or fully completed). This covers the contract (or portion thereof) funded by the Recovery Act.
- (7) A narrative description of the employment impact of work funded by the Recovery Act. This narrative should be cumulative for each calendar quarter and only address the impact on the contractor's workforce. At a minimum, the contractor shall provide-
  - (i) A brief description of the types of jobs created and jobs retained in the United States and outlying areas (see definition in FAR 2.101). This description may rely on job titles, broader labor categories, or the contractor's existing practice for describing jobs as long as the terms used are widely understood and describe the general nature of the work; and
  - (ii) An estimate of the number of jobs created and jobs retained by the prime contractor, in the United States and outlying areas. A job cannot be reported as both created and retained.
- (8) Names and total compensation of each of the five most highly compensated officers of the Contractor for the calendar year in which the contract is awarded if-
  - (i) In the Contractor's preceding fiscal year, the Contractor received-
    - (A) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and
    - (B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and
  - (ii) The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.
- (9) For subcontracts valued at less than \$25,000 or any subcontracts awarded to an individual, or subcontracts awarded to a subcontractor that in the previous tax year had gross income under \$300,000, the Contractor shall only report the aggregate number of such first tier subcontracts awarded in the quarter and their aggregate total dollar amount.
- (10) For any first-tier subcontract funded in whole or in part under the Recovery Act, that is over \$25,000 and not subject to reporting under paragraph 9, the

contractor shall require the subcontractor to provide the information described in (i), (ix), (x), and (xi) below to the contractor for the purposes of the quarterly report. The contractor shall advise the subcontractor that the information will be made available to the public as required by section 1512 of the Recovery Act. The contractor shall provide detailed information on these first-tier subcontracts as follows:

- (i) Unique identifier (DUNS Number) for the subcontractor receiving the award and for the subcontractor's parent company, if the subcontractor has a parent company. Name of the subcontractor.
- (ii) Name of the subcontractor.
- (iii) Amount of the subcontract award.
- (iv) Date of the subcontract award.
- (v) The applicable North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code.
- (vi) Funding agency.
- (vii) A description of the products or services (including construction) being provided under the subcontract, including the overall purpose and expected outcomes or results of the subcontract.
- (viii) Subcontract number (the contract number assigned by the prime contractor).
- (ix) Subcontractor's physical address including street address, city, state, and country. Also include the nine-digit zip code and congressional district if applicable.
- (x) Subcontract primary performance location including street address, city, state, and country. Also include the nine-digit zip code and congressional district if applicable.
- (xi) Names and total compensation of each of the subcontractor's five most highly compensated officers, for the calendar year in which the subcontract is awarded if:
  - (A) In the subcontractor's preceding fiscal year, the subcontractor received-
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**3. Add Clause I.154, FAR 52.225-21, Required Use of American Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials with additional introductory applicability statement, as follows:**

**The following clause is only applicable to projects funded by the Recovery Act:**

**I.154 FAR 52.225-21--Required Use of American Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials (Mar 2009)**

(a) (1) Definitions. As used in this clause—

*"Construction material"* means an article, material, or supply brought to the construction site by the Contractor or a subcontractor for incorporation into the building or work. The term also includes an item brought to the site preassembled from articles, materials, or supplies. However, emergency life safety systems, such as emergency lighting, fire alarm, and audio evacuation systems, that are discrete systems incorporated into a public building or work and that are produced as complete systems, are evaluated as a single and distinct construction material regardless of when or how the individual parts or components of those systems are delivered to the construction site. Materials purchased directly by the Government are supplies, not construction material.

*"Domestic construction material"* means—

- (i) An unmanufactured construction material mined or produced in the United States; or
- (ii) A construction material manufactured in the United States.

*"Foreign construction material"* means a construction material other than a domestic construction material.

*"Manufactured construction material"* means any construction material that is not unmanufactured construction material.

*"Steel"* means an alloy that includes at least 50 percent iron, between .02 and 2 percent carbon, and may include other elements.

*"United States"* means the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas.

*"Unmanufactured construction material"* means raw material brought to the construction site for incorporation into the building or work that has not been—

- (i) Processed into a specific form and shape; or
  - (ii) Combined with other raw material to create a material that has different properties than the properties of the individual raw materials.
- (b) Domestic preference.
- (1) This clause implements—
    - (i) Section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act) (Pub. L. 111-5), by requiring, unless an exception applies, that all iron, steel, and other manufactured goods used as construction material in the project are produced in the United States; and
    - (ii) The Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d) by providing a preference for unmanufactured domestic construction material.
  - (2) The Contractor shall use only domestic construction material in performing this contract, except as provided in paragraph (b)(3) and (b)(4) of this clause.
  - (3) This requirement does not apply to the construction material or components listed by the Government as follows: None
  - (4) The Contracting Officer may add other foreign construction material to the list in paragraph (b)(3) of this clause if the Government determines that—
    - (i) The cost of domestic construction material would be unreasonable.
    - (A) The cost of domestic iron, steel, or other manufactured goods used as construction material is unreasonable when the cumulative cost of such material will increase the cost of the contract by more than 25 percent;
    - (B) The cost of unmanufactured construction material is unreasonable when the cost of such material exceeds the cost of foreign material by more than 6 percent;
    - (ii) The construction material is not mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States in sufficient and reasonably available quantities and of a satisfactory quality; or
    - (iii) The application of the restriction of section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act to a particular construction material would be inconsistent with the public interest.
- (c) Request for determination of inapplicability of Section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act.



- (1) (i) Any Contractor request to use foreign construction material in accordance with paragraph (b)(4) of this clause shall include adequate information for Government evaluation of the request, including—
    - (A) A description of the foreign and domestic construction materials;
    - (B) Unit of measure;
    - (C) Quantity;
    - (D) Cost
    - (E) Time of delivery or availability;
    - (F) Location of the construction project;
    - (G) Name and address of the proposed supplier; and
    - (H) A detailed justification of the reason for use of foreign construction materials cited in accordance with paragraph (b)(4) of this clause.
  - (ii) A request based on unreasonable cost shall include a reasonable survey of the market and a completed cost comparison table in the format in paragraph (d) of this clause.
  - (iii) The cost of construction material shall include all delivery costs to the construction site and any applicable duty.
  - (iv) Any Contractor request for a determination submitted after contract award shall explain why the Contractor could not reasonably foresee the need for such determination and could not have requested the determination before contract award. If the Contractor does not submit a satisfactory explanation, the Contracting Officer need not make a determination.
- (2) If the Government determines after contract award that an exception to section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act applies and the Contracting Officer and the Contractor negotiate adequate consideration, the Contracting Officer will modify the contract to allow use of the foreign construction material. However, when the basis for the exception is the unreasonable cost of a domestic construction material, adequate consideration is not less than the differential established in paragraph (b)(4)(i) of this clause.
  - (3) Unless the Government determines that an exception to section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act applies, use of foreign construction material is noncompliant with section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act or the Buy American Act.
- (d) Data. To permit evaluation of requests under paragraph (c) of this clause based on unreasonable cost, the Contractor shall include the following information and any

applicable supporting data based on the survey of suppliers:

Foreign and Domestic Construction Materials Cost Comparison

Construction material description	Unit of measure	Quantity	Cost (dollars)
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Item 1:

Foreign construction material

Domestic construction material

Item 2

Foreign construction material

Domestic construction material

[List name, address, telephone number, and contact for suppliers surveyed. Attach copy of response; if oral, attach summary.] [Include other applicable supporting information.]

\*Include all delivery costs to the construction site.

**4. Add Clause I.155, 52.225-22, Notice of Required Use of American Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials as applicable.**

**The following clause is only applicable to projects funded by the Recovery Act:**

**I.155 52.225-22--NOTICE OF REQUIRED USE OF AMERICAN IRON, STEEL, AND OTHER MANUFACTURED GOODS—BUY AMERICAN ACT—CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS (MAR 2009)**

- (a) *Definitions.* “Construction material,” “domestic construction material,” “foreign construction material,” “manufactured construction material,” “steel,” and “unmanufactured construction material,” as used in this provision, are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled “Required Use of Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials” (Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clause 52.225-21).
- (b) *Requests for determinations of inapplicability.* An offeror requesting a determination regarding the inapplicability of section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5) (Recovery Act) or the Buy American Act

should submit the request to the Contracting Officer in time to allow a determination before submission of offers. The offeror shall include the information and applicable supporting data required by paragraphs (c) and (d) of the clause at FAR 52.225-21 in the request. If an offeror has not requested a determination regarding the inapplicability of 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act before submitting its offer, or has not received a response to a previous request, the offeror shall include the information and supporting data in the offer.

(c) Evaluation of offers.

(1) If the Government determines that an exception based on unreasonable cost of domestic construction material applies, the Government will evaluate an offer requesting exception to the requirements of section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act by adding to the offered price of the contract—

(i) 25 percent of the offered price of the contract, if foreign iron, steel, or other manufactured goods are used as construction material based on unreasonable cost of comparable manufactured domestic construction material; and

(ii) 6 percent of the cost of foreign unmanufactured construction material included in the offer based on unreasonable cost of comparable domestic unmanufactured construction material.

(2) If two or more offers are equal in price, the Contracting Officer will give preference to an offer that does not include foreign construction material excepted at the request of the offeror on the basis of unreasonable cost.

(d) Alternate offers.

(1) When an offer includes foreign construction material not listed by the Government in this solicitation in paragraph (b)(2) of the clause at FAR 52.225-21, the offeror also may submit an alternate offer based on use of equivalent domestic construction material.

(2) If an alternate offer is submitted, the offeror shall submit a separate Standard Form 1442 for the alternate offer and a separate cost comparison table prepared in accordance with paragraphs (c) and (d) of the clause at FAR 52.225-21 for the offer that is based on the use of any foreign construction material for which the Government has not yet determined an exception applies.

(3) if the Government determines that a particular exception requested in accordance with paragraph (c) of the clause at FAR 52.225-21 does not apply, the

Government will evaluate only those offers based on use of the equivalent domestic construction material, and the offeror shall be required to furnish such domestic construction material. An offer based on use of the foreign construction material for which an exception was requested—

- (i) Will be rejected as nonresponsive if this acquisition is conducted by sealed bidding; or
- (ii) May be accepted if revised during negotiations.

(End of provision)

*Alternate I (Mar 2009).* As prescribed in 25.1102(e), substitute the following paragraph (b) for paragraph (b) of the basic provision:

- (b) *Requests for determinations of inapplicability.* An offeror requesting a determination regarding the inapplicability of section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5) (Recovery Act) or the Buy American Act shall submit the request with its offer, including the information and applicable supporting data required by paragraphs (c) and (d) of the clause at FAR 52.225-21.

- X 5. <sup>15b</sup> Add Clause ~~L.62~~, **52.225-23 Required Use of American Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials Under Trade Agreements as applicable.**

The following clause is only applicable to projects funded by the Recovery Act:

**L156 52.225-23 REQUIRED USE OF AMERICAN IRON, STEEL, AND OTHER MANUFACTURED GOODS—BUY AMERICAN ACT—CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS UNDER TRADE AGREEMENTS (MAR 2009)**

- (a) *Definitions.* As used in this clause—  
“Construction material” means an article, material, or supply brought to the construction site by the Contractor or subcontractor for incorporation into the building or work. The term also includes an item brought to the site preassembled from articles, materials, or supplies. However, emergency life safety systems, such as emergency lighting, fire alarm, and audio evacuation systems, that are discrete systems incorporated into a public building or work and that are produced as complete systems, are evaluated as a single and distinct construction material regardless of when or how the individual parts or components of those systems are

delivered to the construction site. Materials purchased directly by the Government are supplies, not construction material.

“Domestic construction material” means—

- (1) An unmanufactured construction material mined or produced in the United States;
- or
- (2) A construction material manufactured in the United States.

“Foreign construction material” means a construction material other than a domestic construction material.

“Free trade agreement (FTA) country construction material” means a construction material that—

- (1) Is wholly the growth, product, or manufacture of an FTA country; or
- (2) In the case of a construction material that consists in whole or in part of materials from another country, has been substantially transformed in an FTA country into a new and different construction material distinct from the materials from which it was transformed.

“Least developed country construction material” means a construction material that—

- (1) Is wholly the growth, product, or manufacture of a least developed country; or
- (2) In the case of a construction material that consists in whole or in part of materials from another country, has been substantially transformed in a least developed country into a new and different construction material distinct from the materials from which it was transformed.

“Manufactured construction material” means any construction material that is not unmanufactured construction material.

“Recovery Act designated country” means any of the following countries:

- (1) A World Trade Organization Government Procurement Agreement (WTO GPA) country (Aruba, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Korea (Republic of), Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Singapore, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, or United Kingdom);

- (2) A Free Trade Agreement country (FTA)(Australia, Bahrain, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Israel, Mexico, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Peru, or Singapore); or
- (3) A least developed country (Afghanistan, Angola, Bangladesh, Benin, Bhutan, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Democratic Republic of Congo, Djibouti, East Timor, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Kiribati, Laos, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Mauritania, Mozambique, Nepal, Niger, Rwanda, Samoa, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, Somalia, Tanzania, Togo, Tuvalu, Uganda, Vanuatu, Yemen, or Zambia).

“Recovery Act designated country construction material” means a construction material that is a WTO GPA country construction material, an FTA country construction material, or a least developed country construction material.

“Steel” means an alloy that includes at least 50 percent iron, between .02 and 2 percent carbon, and may include other elements.

“United States” means the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas.

“Unmanufactured construction material” means raw material brought to the construction site for incorporation into the building or work that has not been—

- (1) Processed into a specific form and shape; or
- (2) Combined with other raw material to create a material that has different properties than the properties of the individual raw materials.

“WTO GPA country construction material” means a construction material that—

- (1) Is wholly the growth, product, or manufacture of a WTO GPA country; or
  - (2) In the case of a construction material that consists in whole or in part of materials from another country, has been substantially transformed in a WTO GPA country into a new and different construction material distinct from the materials from which it was transformed.
- (b) Construction materials.
- (1) The restrictions of section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5) (Recovery Act) and the Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d) do not apply to Recovery Act designated country construction material.

Consistent with U.S. obligations under international agreements, this clause implements—

- (i) Section 1605 of the Recovery Act by requiring, unless an exception applies, that all iron, steel, and other manufactured goods used as construction material in the project are produced in the United States; and
  - (ii) The Buy American Act by providing a preference for unmanufactured domestic construction material.
- (2) The Contractor shall use only domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material in performing this contract, except as provided in paragraphs (b)(3) and (b)(4) of this clause.
- (3) The requirement in paragraph (b)(2) of this clause does not apply to the construction materials or components listed by the Government as follows: None.
- (4) The Contracting Officer may add other construction material to the list in paragraph (b)(3) of this clause if the Government determines that—
- (i) The cost of domestic construction material would be unreasonable.
    - (A) The cost of domestic iron, steel, or other manufactured goods used as construction material is unreasonable when the cumulative cost of such material will increase the overall cost of the contract by more than 25 percent;
    - (B) The cost of unmanufactured construction material is unreasonable when the cost of such material exceeds the cost of foreign material by more than 6 percent;
  - (ii) The construction material is not mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States in sufficient and reasonably available commercial quantities of a satisfactory quality; or
  - (iii) The application of the restriction of section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act to a particular construction material would be inconsistent with the public interest.
- (c) Request for determination of inapplicability of section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act.
- (1) (i) Any Contractor request to use foreign construction material in accordance with paragraph (b)(4) of this clause shall include adequate information for Government evaluation of the request, including—
    - (A) A description of the foreign and domestic construction materials;
    - (B) Unit of measure;
    - (C) Quantity;
    - (D) Cost;

- (E) Time of delivery or availability;
- (F) Location of the construction project;
- (G) Name and address of the proposed supplier; and
- (H) A detailed justification of the reason for use of foreign construction materials cited in accordance with paragraph (b)(4) of this clause.

(ii) A request based on unreasonable cost shall include a reasonable survey of the market and a completed cost comparison table in the format in paragraph (d) of this clause.

(iii) The cost of construction material shall include all delivery costs to the construction site and any applicable duty.

(iv) Any Contractor request for a determination submitted after contract award shall explain why the Contractor could not reasonably foresee the need for such determination and could not have requested the determination before contract award. If the Contractor does not submit a satisfactory explanation, the Contracting Officer need not make a determination.

(2) If the Government determines after contract award that an exception to section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act applies and the Contracting Officer and the Contractor negotiate adequate consideration, the Contracting Officer will modify the contract to allow use of the foreign construction material. However, when the basis for the exception is the unreasonable cost of a domestic construction material, adequate consideration is not less than the differential established in paragraph (b)(4)(i) of this clause.

(3) Unless the Government determines that an exception to the section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act applies, use of foreign construction material other than that covered by trade agreements is noncompliant with the applicable Act.

(d) *Data.* To permit evaluation of requests under paragraph (c) of this clause based on unreasonable cost, the Contractor shall include the following information and any applicable supporting data based on the survey of suppliers:

<b>Construction Material Description</b>	<b>Unit of Measure</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	<b>Cost (Dollars)*</b>
<i>Item 1:</i> Foreign construction material	_____	_____	_____



Domestic construction  
material

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*Item 2:*

Foreign construction  
material

\_\_\_\_\_

Domestic construction  
material

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[List name, address, telephone number, and contact for suppliers surveyed. Attach copy of response; if oral, attach summary.]

[Include other applicable supporting information.]

[\* Include all delivery costs to the construction site.]

*Alternate I (Mar 2009).* As prescribed in 25.1102(e), add the following definition of "Bahrainian, Mexican, or Omani construction material" to paragraph (a) of the basic clause, and substitute the following paragraphs (b)(1) and (b)(2) for paragraphs (b)(1) and (b)(2) of the basic clause:

"Bahrainian, Mexican, or Omani construction material" means a construction material that—

- (1) Is wholly the growth, product, or manufacture of Bahrain, Mexico, or Oman;  
or
- (2) In the case of a construction material that consists in whole or in part of materials from another country, has been substantially transformed in Bahrain, Mexico, or Oman into a new and different construction material distinct from the materials from which it was transformed.

(b) *Construction materials.* (1) The restrictions of section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5) (Recovery Act) and the Buy American Act do not apply to Recovery Act designated country construction material. Consistent with U.S. obligations under international agreements, this clause implements—

- (i) Section 1605 of the Recovery Act, by requiring, unless an exception applies, that all iron, steel, and other manufactured goods used as construction material in the project are produced in the United States; and
- (ii) The Buy American Act providing a preference for unmanufactured domestic construction material.

- (2) The Contractor shall use only domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material other than Bahrainian, Mexican, or Omani construction material in performing this contract, except as provided in paragraphs (b)(3) and (b)(4) of this clause.

**6. Add Clause I.157, 52.225-24, Notice of Required Use of American Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials Under Trade Agreements as applicable.**

**The following clause is only applicable to projects funded by the Recovery Act:**

**I.157 52.225-24 NOTICE OF REQUIRED USE OF AMERICAN IRON, STEEL, AND OTHER MANUFACTURED GOODS—BUY AMERICAN ACT—CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS UNDER TRADE AGREEMENTS (MAR 2009)**

- (a) *Definitions.* “Construction material,” “domestic construction material,” “foreign construction material,” “manufactured construction material,” “Recovery Act designated country construction material,” “steel,” and “unmanufactured construction material,” as used in this provision, are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled “Required Use of Iron, Steel, and Other Manufactured Goods—Buy American Act—Construction Materials Under Trade Agreements” (Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clause 52.225-23).
- (b) *Requests for determination of inapplicability.* An offeror requesting a determination regarding the inapplicability of section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5) (Recovery Act) or the Buy American Act should submit the request to the Contracting Officer in time to allow a determination before submission of offers. The offeror shall include the information and applicable supporting data required by paragraphs (c) and (d) of FAR clause 52.225-23 in the request. If an offeror has not requested a determination regarding the inapplicability of section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act before submitting its offer, or has not received a response to a previous request, the offeror shall include the information and supporting data in the offer.
- (c) Evaluation of offers.
- (1) If the Government determines that an exception based on unreasonable cost of domestic construction material applies, the Government will evaluate an offer requesting exception to the requirements of section 1605 of the Recovery Act or the Buy American Act by adding to the offered price of the contract—

(i) 25 percent of the offered price of the contract, if foreign iron, steel, or other manufactured goods are used as construction material based on unreasonable cost of comparable manufactured domestic construction material; and

(ii) 6 percent of the cost of foreign unmanufactured construction material included in the offer based on unreasonable cost of comparable domestic unmanufactured construction material.

(2) If two or more offers are equal in price, the Contracting Officer will give preference to an offer that does not include foreign construction material excepted at the request of the offeror on the basis of unreasonable cost.

(a) Alternate offers.

(1) When an offer includes foreign construction material, other than Recovery Act designated country construction material, that is not listed by the Government in this solicitation in paragraph (b)(3) of FAR clause 52.225-23, the offeror also may submit an alternate offer based on use of equivalent domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material.

(2) If an alternate offer is submitted, the offeror shall submit a separate Standard Form 1442 for the alternate offer and a separate cost comparison table prepared in accordance with paragraphs (c) and (d) of FAR clause 52.225-23 for the offer that is based on the use of any foreign construction material for which the Government has not yet determined an exception applies.

(3) If the Government determines that a particular exception requested in accordance with paragraph (c) of FAR clause 52.225-23 does not apply, the Government will evaluate only those offers based on use of the equivalent domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material, and the offeror shall be required to furnish such domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material. An offer based on use of the foreign construction material for which an exception was requested—

(i) Will be rejected as nonresponsive if this acquisition is conducted by sealed bidding; or

(ii) May be accepted if revised during negotiations.

*Alternate I (Mar 2009).* As prescribed in 25.1102(e), substitute the following paragraph (b) for paragraph (b) of the basic provision:

(b) *Requests for determination of inapplicability.* An offeror requesting a determination regarding the inapplicability of section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment

Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111-5) (Recovery Act) or the Buy American Act shall submit the request with its offer, including the information and applicable supporting data required by paragraphs (c) and (d) of FAR clause 52.225-23.

*Alternate II (Mar 2009).* As prescribed in 25.1102(e), add the definition of "Bahrainian, Mexican, or Omani construction material" to paragraph (a) and substitute the following paragraph (d) for paragraph (d) of the basic provision:

**(d) Alternate offers.**

- (1) When an offer includes foreign construction material, except foreign construction material from a Recovery Act designated country other than Bahrain, Mexico, or Oman that is not listed by the Government in this solicitation in paragraph (b)(3) of FAR clause 52.225-23, the offeror also may submit an alternate offer based on use of equivalent domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material other than Bahrainian, Mexican, or Omani construction material.
- (2) If an alternate offer is submitted, the offeror shall submit a separate Standard Form 1442 for the alternate offer and a separate cost comparison table prepared in accordance with paragraphs (c) and (d) of FAR clause 52.225-23 for the offer that is based on the use of any foreign construction material for which the Government has not yet determined an exception applies.
- (3) If the Government determines that a particular exception requested in accordance with paragraph (c) of FAR clause 52.225-23 does not apply, the Government will evaluate only those offers based on use of the equivalent domestic or Recovery Act designated country construction material other than Bahrainian, Mexican, or Omani construction material. An offer based on use of the foreign construction material for which an exception was requested—
  - (i) Will be rejected as nonresponsive if this acquisition is conducted by sealed bidding; or
  - (ii) May be accepted if revised during negotiations.

**7. Modify L139-DEAR 970.5232-3, Accounts, Records, and Inspection (DEC 2000) (DEVIATION) to delete Paragraph (h) (1) and replace it with the following:**

**“(h) Comptroller General**

- (1) The Comptroller General of the United States, or an authorized representative, shall have access to and the right to examine any of the contractor's or subcontractor's directly pertinent

records involving transactions related to this contract or a subcontract hereunder and to interview any current employee regarding such transactions.”

E. Section J, Attachment F OPERATING AND ADMINISTRATIVE

REQUIREMENTS (LIST B) is deleted and replaced as follows to reflect deletions of DOE Directives:

**SECTION J – LIST OF DOCUMENTS, EXHIBITS AND OTHER ATTACHMENTS**

**OPERATING AND ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS (LIST B)  
 Prime Contract No. DE-AC36-08GO28308**

The operating and administrative requirements, including the Contractor Requirements Documents of DOE directives listed below are applicable in whole or in part in accordance with clauses H-18 Application of DOE Contractor Requirements Documents and 970.5204-2, Laws, Regulations, and DOE Directives (DEC 2000). The concurrence analysis documenting applicability for each requirement below is maintained in the DOE Master File as well as any assurances as required by Clause H-18, are made a part of this Contract by reference and are managed through a formal change control process.

<b>Operating and Administrative Requirements</b>	<b>Applicability</b>
DOE O 110.3A CRD Conference Management Approved: 01/25/07	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 130.1 CRD Budget Formulation Approved: 09/29/95	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 142.3 CRD Unclassified Foreign Visits and Assignments Program Approved: 06/18/04	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 151.1C CRD Comprehensive Emergency Management System Approved: 11/02/05	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 200.1A Information Technology Management Approved: 12/23/2008	CRD applicable in whole
DOE N 203.1 CRD Software Quality Assurance Approved: 10/02/00	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 205.1A CRD Department of Energy Cyber Security Management Approved: 12/04/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE M 205.1-6 CRD Media Sanitization Manual Approved: 12/23/2008	CRD applicable in whole

Operating and Administrative Requirements	Applicability
DOE N 206.3 CRD Personal Identity Verification Approved: 11/23/05 (DOE N 251.67 extends DOE N 206.3 until 03/22/07)	CRD applicable in part
DOE N 206.5 CRD Response and Notification Procedures for Data Breaches Involving Personally Identifiable Information Approved: 10/09/07	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 210.2 CRD Corporate Operating Experience Program Approved: 06/12/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 221.1A CRD Reporting Fraud, Waste, and Abuse to the Office of Inspector General Approved: 04/19/08	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 221.2 CRD Cooperation with the Office of Inspector General Approved: 03/22/01	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 225.1A CRD Accident Investigations Approved: 11/26/97	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 226.1A CRD Implementation of Department of Energy Oversight Policy Approved: 07/31/07	CRD applicable in whole
DOE M 231.1-1A CRD Change 2 Environment, Safety and Health Reporting Manual Approved: 03/19/04 Change 2: 06/12/07	CRD applicable in whole
DOE M 231.1-2 CRD Occurrence Reporting and Processing of Operations Information Approved: 08/19/03	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 241.1A CRD Scientific and Technical Information Management Approved: 04/09/01	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 243.1 CRD Records Management Program Approved: 02/03/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 243.2 CRD Vital Records Approved: 02/02/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 251.1B CRD Departmental Directives Program Approved: 08/16/06	CRD Applicable in whole
DOE O 350.1 CRD(s) Change 1 Contractor Human Resource Management Programs Approved: 09/30/96 Change 1: 05/08/98	CRD applicable in whole

Operating and Administrative Requirements	Applicability
DOE O 350.2A CRD Use of Management and Operating or Other Facility Management Contractor Employees for Services to DOE in the Washington, D.C., Area Approved: 10/29/03	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 412.1 CRD Work Authorization System Approved: 04/20/99	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 413.1A CRD Management Control Program Approved: 04/18/02	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 413.2B CRD Laboratory Directed Research and Development Approved: 04/19/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 413.3A CRD Program and Project Management for the Acquisition of Capital Assets Approved: 07/28/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 414.1C CRD Quality Assurance Approved: 06/17/05	CRD applicable in part
DOE O 430.1B CRD Real Property Asset Management Approved: 09/24/03	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 430.2A CRD Departmental Energy and Utilities Management Approved: 04/15/02	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 442.1A CRD Employee Concerns Program Approved: 06/06/01	CRD applicable in whole
DOE N 450.1A CRD Environmental Protection Program Approved: 6/04/08	CRD applicable in whole
DOE M 450.4-1 CRD Integrated Safety Management System Manual Approved: 11/01/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE N 456.1 Safe Handling of Unbound Engineered Nanoparticles Approved: 1/05/09	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 470.2B CRD Independent Oversight and Performance Assurance Program Approved: 10/31/02	CRD applicable in whole
DOE M 470.4-1 CRD Change 1 Safeguards and Security Program Planning and Management Approved: 08/26/05 Change 1: 03/07/06	CRD applicable in part

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*Insert DOE N 456.1A CRD  
The Safe Handling of Unbound Engineered Nanoparticles  
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Operating and Administrative Requirements	Applicability
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DOE M 470.4-3 CRD Change 1 Protective Force Approved: 08/26/05 Change 1: 03/07/06	CRD applicable in part
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DOE O 471.3 CRD Identifying and Protecting Official Use Only Information Approved: 04/09/03	CRD applicable in whole
DOE M 471.3-1 CRD Manual for Identifying and Protecting Official Use Only Information Approved: 04/09/03	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 475.1 CRD Counterintelligence Program Approved: 12/10/04	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 482.1 CRD DOE Facilities Technology Partnering Programs Approved: 01/12/01	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 483.1 CRD DOE Cooperative Research and Development Agreements Approved: 01/12/01	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 484.1 CRD Reimbursable Work for the Department of Homeland Security Approved: 08/17/06	CRD applicable in whole
DOE O 522.1 CRD Pricing of Departmental Materials and Services Approved: 11/03/04	CRD applicable in whole
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