Health Care PKI Working Group July 24, 2001

The meeting opened with review and after agreement to changes suggested by Justice/DEA, approval of the minutes of the May 22 meeting. These minutes are posted on the Federal PKI Steering Committee web site (http://www.cio.gov/fpkisc) under the Working Group: Health Care.

Concerning the funds available for Health Care pilot projects, proposals for three projects were received. The applicants and projects are:

- ♦ SSA & VA Secure Exchange of Medical Evidence
- ♦ Western Governor's Association Health Passport
- NIH Educause Higher Education Electronic Grant Application Process Utilizing the Federal Bridge Certification Authority and the Higher Education Bridge Certification Authority

The FPKISC is in the process of reviewing the proposals and providing formal responses to the applicants, but it is expected that all will be funded.

Concerning the funds available for pilot projects, which demonstrate cross-certification through the Federal PKI Bridge CA, ten proposals were received.

The remainder of the meeting was dedicated to a working session to plan the September 12 conference at the HHH Building. A number of ideas were discussed concerning proposed speakers, panels and topics. Also discussed was the target audience who would be attracted to the conference. These minutes will not attempt to reiterate the discussions. It was agreed and the attendees of the meeting formed an informal "Conference Working Group" and will develop the agenda and details. George Fortwengler will take the ideas expressed, and develop another draft conference agenda. The Conference Working Group will provide comments and make appropriate contacts. The conference working group (or a sub-group of individuals within the group) will meet again in mid-August to finalize ideas.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for October 23; it is tentatively scheduled at the VA Headquarters Building. The November 27 meeting is tentatively scheduled at the HHH Building. There will not be a December meeting.

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