

MODIFICATION NO. M050
CONTRACT NO. DE-ACO2-98CH10886

1 of 6

MODIFICATION NO. M050
SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT TO
CONTRACT NO. DE-AC02-98CH10886

MODIFICATION NO. M050

CONTRACTOR AND ADDRESS:	Brookhaven Science Associates, LLC Brookhaven National Laboratory Upton, NY 11973
MODIFICATION FOR:	Recognition of previous obligation increases; modifies Article 31, Obligation of Funds; Modifies Article 32, Allowable Costs and Fixed Fee (Management and Operating Contracts); revisions to the Contract Terms and Conditions Articles; and revisions to Appendix B Performance Measures.
PRIOR OBLIGATION:	\$1,160,131,022.26
INCREASE IN MODS. A049	\$11,367,112.18
INCREASE IN THIS MODIFICATION	-0-
CURRENT TOTAL OBLIGATION:	\$1,171,498,134.44

THIS MODIFICATION, effective the 12th day of October 2000, by and between the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (hereinafter referred to as the "Government"), as represented by the UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (hereinafter referred to as "DOE"), and BROOKHAVEN SCIENCE ASSOCIATES, LLC (hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor"),

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, the Government and the Contractor entered into Contract No. DE-AC02-98CH10886) on the 5th day of January 1998, for the operation of the Brookhaven National Laboratory; and

WHEREAS, said contract has been modified previously, and the parties desire to modify said contract further, as hereinafter provided; and

WHEREAS, this modification is authorized by law, including 41 U.S.C. 252(c)(15), P.L. 95-91 and other applicable law;

NOW, THEREFORE, said contract, as modified previously, is hereby further modified as follows:

1. The first sentence of paragraph (a) of Article 31, OBLIGATION OF FUNDS, is revised to read as follows: "The amount presently obligated by the Government with respect to this contract is \$1,171,498,134.44."

2. ARTICLE 32 ALLOWABLE COSTS AND FIXED FEE (MANAGEMENT AND OPERATING CONTRACTS) (JUN 1997) (DEVIATION) is modified as follows:
The fourth sentence of paragraph (b), Fee (s) is modified by deleting the phrase "October 1, 2001 to and including November 16, 2002," and by adding the phrase "October 1, 2001 to and including September 30, 2002, and October 1, 2002 to and including January 4, 2003."

3. STATEMENT OF WORK/PERFORMANCE ARTICLES:

ARTICLE 25 Delete FAR Clause 52.225-5 Buy American Act – Construction Materials (JUN 1997) in its entirety.

ARTICLE 26 Delete FAR Clause 52.225-3 Buy American Act – Supplies (JUN 1997) in its entirety.

Insert the attached FAR Clause 52.225-1 Buy American Act – Balance of Payments Program – Supplies (FEB 2000)

4. FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ARTICLES

ARTICLE 42 Delete 52.230-2 Cost Accounting Standards (MAY 1997) in its entirety.
Insert the attached revised clause, 52.230-2 Cost Accounting Standards (APR 1998).

ARTICLE 43 Delete 52.230-6 Administration of Cost Accounting Standards (MAY 1996) in its entirety.

Insert the attached revised clause, 52.230-6 Administration of Cost Accounting Standards (NOV 1999).

5. SITE MANAGEMENT ARTICLES:

ARTICLE 67 Delete 52.223-5 Pollution Prevention and Right-to-Know Information (MAR 1997) in its entirety.

Insert the attached revised clause, 52.223-5 Pollution Prevention and Right-to-Know Information (APR 1998)

ARTICLE 75 Delete 52.223-2 Clean Air and Water (1983) in its entirety (Reserved).

ARTICLE 77A Delete 52.223-10 Waste Reduction Program (MAY 1995) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause, 52.223-10 Waste Reduction Program (AUG 2000)

6. SUBCONTRACT MANAGEMENT ARTICLES:

ARTICLE 105 Delete 52.215-24 Subcontractor Cost or Pricing Data (OCT 1995) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause 52.215-12 Subcontractor Cost or Pricing Data (OCT 1997)

ARTICLE 105A Delete 52.215-25 Subcontract Cost or Pricing Data -- Modifications (OCT 1995) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause, 52.215-13 Subcontract Cost or Pricing Data - - Modifications (OCT 1997)

ARTICLE 105B Add the attached clause 52.215-10 Price Reduction for Defective Cost or Pricing Data (OCT 1997)

ARTICLE 105C Add the attached clause 52.215-11 Price Reduction for Defective Cost or Pricing Data -- Modifications (OCT 1997)

ARTICLE 112 Delete 52.244-6 Subcontracts for Commercial Items and Commercial Components (OCT 1995) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause 52.244-6 Subcontracts for Commercial Items and Commercial Components (OCT 1998)

ARTICLE 115 52.222-28 Equal Opportunity Pre-award Clearance of Subcontracts (APR 1984) - Delete this article in its entirety (Reserved).

ARTICLE 120 Delete 52.219-16 Liquidated Damages – Subcontracting Plan (OCT 1995), in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause, 52.219-16 Liquidated Damages – Subcontracting Plan (JAN 1999)

ARTICLE 122 Delete 52.225-11 Restrictions on Certain Foreign Purchases (OCT 1996), in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause 52.225-13 Restrictions on Certain Foreign Purchases (JUL 2000)

7. LABOR RELATIONS/SOCIO-ECONOMIC ARTICLES:

ARTICLE 128 Delete 52.222-26 Equal Opportunity (APR 1984) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause, 52.222-26 Equal Opportunity (FEB 1999)

ARTICLE 129 Delete 52.222-36 Affirmative Action for Handicapped Workers (APR 1984) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause 52.222-36 Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (JUN 1998)

ARTICLE 130 Delete 52.222-35 Affirmative Action for Special Disabled and Vietnam Era Veterans, (APR 1984) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause, 52.222-35 Affirmative Action for Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era (APR 1998)

ARTICLE 131 Delete 52.222-37 Employment Reports on Special Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era (JAN 1988) in its entirety.

Insert the attached clause, 52.222-37 Employment Reports on Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era (JAN 1999)

8. APPENDIX B, CRITICAL OUTCOME PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

- a. Critical Outcome Performance Measure – 3.2.2 “Continued Development of, and Implement Environmental Management Systems, and Fully Implement Groundwater Protection Program,” is revised by deleting page 21 of Attachment 1, Appendix B in its entirety, and replace with the attached revised page 21 identified as Modification No. M050, Appendix B.
- b. Critical Outcome Performance Measure – 4.0 Leadership and Management – 4.1.2 “Personnel” and 4.1.3 “Quality of Worklife (PBW/IAP Tracking Number 00-07),” is revised by deleting pages 24 and 26 Attachment 1, Appendix B in their entirety, and replace with the attached revised pages 24 and 26 identified as Modification No. M050, Appendix B.

MODIFICATION NO. M050
CONTRACT NO. DE-ACO2-98CH10886

6 of 6

- c. Critical Outcome Performance Measure – 4.3.3 “Effective and Efficient Waste Management,” is revised by deleting page 36 Attachment 1, Appendix B in its entirety, and replace with the attached revised page 36 identified as Modification No. M050, Appendix B.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this document.

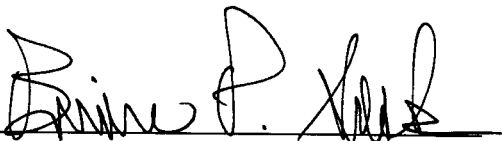
**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

BY: 

Robert P. Gordon
Contracting Officer
(Title)

DATE: 10 - 12 - 00

**BROOKHAVEN SCIENCE
ASSOCIATES, LLC**

BY: 

Brian P. Sack
Chief Financial Officer
(Title)

DATE: October 12, 2000

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause--

"Component" means any item supplied to the Government as part of an end item or of another component.

"Cost of components" means--

(1) For components purchased by the Contractor, the acquisition cost, including transportation costs to the place of incorporation into the end product (whether or not such costs are paid to a domestic firm), and any applicable duty (whether or not a duty-free entry certificate is issued); or

(2) For components manufactured by the Contractor, all costs associated with the manufacture of the component, including transportation costs as described in paragraph (1) of this definition, plus allocable overhead costs, but excluding profit. Cost of components does not include any costs associated with the manufacture of the end product.

"Domestic end product" means--

(1) An unmanufactured end product mined or produced in the United States; or

(2) An end product manufactured in the United States, if the cost of its components mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States exceeds 50 percent of the cost of all its components. Components of foreign origin of the same class or kind as those that the agency determines are not mined, produced, or manufactured in sufficient and reasonably available commercial quantities of a satisfactory quality are treated as domestic. Scrap generated, collected, and prepared for processing in the United States is considered domestic.

"End product" means supplies delivered under a line item of a Government contract.

"Foreign end product" means an end product other than a domestic end product.

"United States" means the 50 States and the District of Columbia, U.S. territories and possessions, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, and any other place subject to U.S. jurisdiction, but does not include leased bases.

(b) The Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a - 10d) provides a preference for domestic end products for supplies acquired for use in the United States. The Balance of Payments Program provides a preference for domestic end products for supplies acquired for use outside the United States.

(c) Offerors may obtain from the Contracting Officer a list of foreign articles that the Contracting Officer will treat as domestic for this contract.

(d) The Contractor shall deliver only domestic end products except to the extent that it specified delivery of foreign end products in the provision of the solicitation entitled "Buy American Act--Balance of Payments Program Certificate."

(End of clause)

(a) Unless the contract is exempt under 48 CFR 9903.201-1 and 9903.201-2, the provisions of 48 CFR Part 9903 are incorporated herein by reference and the Contractor, in connection with this contract, shall--

(1) (CAS-covered Contracts Only) By submission of a Disclosure Statement, disclose in writing the Contractor's cost accounting practices as required by 48 CFR 9903.202-1 through 9903.202-5, including methods of distinguishing direct costs from indirect costs and the basis used for allocating indirect costs. The practices disclosed for this contract shall be the same as the practices currently disclosed and applied on all other contracts and subcontracts being performed by the Contractor and which contain a Cost Accounting Standards (CAS) clause. If the Contractor has notified the Contracting Officer that the Disclosure Statement contains trade secrets and commercial or financial information which is privileged and confidential, the Disclosure Statement shall be protected and shall not be released outside of the Government.

(2) Follow consistently the Contractor's cost accounting practices in accumulating and reporting contract performance cost data concerning this contract. If any change in cost accounting practices is made for the purposes of any contract or subcontract subject to CAS requirements, the change must be applied prospectively to this contract and the Disclosure Statement must be amended accordingly. If the contract price or cost allowance of this contract is affected by such changes, adjustment shall be made in accordance with subparagraph (a)(4) or (a)(5) of this clause, as appropriate.

(3) Comply with all CAS, including any modifications and interpretations indicated thereto contained in 48 CFR Part 9904, in effect on the date of award of this contract or, if the Contractor has submitted cost or pricing data, on the date of final agreement on price as shown on the Contractor's signed certificate of current cost or pricing data. The Contractor shall also comply with any CAS (or modifications to CAS) which hereafter become applicable to a contract or subcontract of the Contractor. Such compliance shall be required prospectively from the date of applicability to such contract or subcontract.

(4) (i) Agree to an equitable adjustment as provided in the Changes clause of this contract if the contract cost is affected by a change which, pursuant to subparagraph (a)(3) of this clause, the Contractor is required to make to the Contractor's established cost accounting practices.

(ii) Negotiate with the Contracting Officer to determine the terms and conditions under which a change may be made to a cost accounting practice, other than a change made under other provisions of subparagraph (a)(4) of this clause; provided that no agreement may be made under this provision that will increase costs paid by the United States.

(iii) When the parties agree to a change to a cost accounting practice, other than a change under subdivision (a)(4)(i) of this clause, negotiate an equitable adjustment as provided in the Changes clause of this contract.

(5) Agree to an adjustment of the contract price or cost allowance, as appropriate, if the Contractor or a subcontractor fails to comply with an applicable Cost Accounting Standard, or to follow any cost accounting practice consistently and such failure results in any increased costs paid by the United States. Such adjustment shall provide for recovery of the increased costs to the United States, together with interest thereon computed at the annual rate established under section 6621 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 6621) for such period, from the time the payment by the United States was made to the time the adjustment is effected. In no case shall the Government recover costs greater than the increased cost to the Government, in the aggregate, on the relevant contracts subject to the price adjustment, unless the Contractor made a change in its cost accounting practices of which it was aware or should have been aware at the time of price negotiations and which it failed to disclose to the Government.

(b) If the parties fail to agree whether the Contractor or a subcontractor has complied with an applicable CAS in 48 CFR 9904 or a CAS rule or regulation in 48 CFR 9903 and as to any cost adjustment demanded by the United States, such failure to agree will constitute a dispute under the Contract Disputes Act (41 U.S.C. 601).

(c) The Contractor shall permit any authorized representatives of the Government to examine and make copies of any documents, papers, or records relating to compliance with the requirements of this clause.

(d) The Contractor shall include in all negotiated subcontracts which the Contractor enters into, the substance of this clause, except paragraph (b), and shall require such inclusion in all other subcontracts, of any tier, including the obligation to comply with all CAS in effect on the subcontractor's award date or if the subcontractor has submitted cost or pricing data, on the date of final agreement on price as shown on the subcontractor's signed Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data. If the subcontract is awarded to a business unit which pursuant to 48 CFR 9903.201-2 is subject to other types of CAS coverage, the substance of the applicable clause set forth in subsection 30.201-4 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation shall be inserted. This requirement shall apply only to negotiated subcontracts in excess of \$500,000, except that the requirement shall not apply to negotiated subcontracts otherwise exempt from the requirement to include a CAS clause as specified in 48 CFR 9903.201-1.

(End of clause)

For the purpose of administering the Cost Accounting Standards (CAS) requirements under this contract, the Contractor shall take the steps outlined in paragraphs (a) through (g) of this clause:

(a) Submit to the Contracting Officer a description of any cost accounting practice change, the total potential impact of the change on contracts containing a CAS clause, and a general dollar magnitude of the change which identifies the potential shift of costs between CAS-covered contracts by contract type (i.e., firm-fixed-price, incentive, cost-plus-fixed fee, etc.) and other contractor business activity. As related to CAS-covered contracts, the analysis should identify the potential impact on funds of the various Agencies/Departments (i.e., Department of Energy, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Army, Navy, Air Force, other Department of Defense, other Government) as follows:

(1) For any change in cost accounting practices required in accordance with subparagraph (a)(3) and subdivision (a)(4)(i) of the clause at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards; or subparagraph (a)(3) and subdivisions (a)(4)(i) or (a)(4)(iv) of the clause at FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution; within 60 days (or such other date as may be mutually agreed to) after award of a contract requiring this change.

(2) For any change in cost accounting practices proposed in accordance with subdivision (a)(4)(ii) or (iii) of the clauses at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards, and FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution; or with subparagraph (a)(3) of the clause at FAR 52.230-3, Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices, not less than 60 days (or such other date as may be mutually agreed to) before the effective date of the proposed change.

(3) For any failure to comply with an applicable CAS or to follow a disclosed practice (as contemplated by subparagraph (a)(5) at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards, and FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution; or by subparagraph (a)(4) at FAR 52.230-3, Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices):

(i) Within 60 days (or such other date as may be mutually agreed to) after the date of agreement with the initial finding of noncompliance, or

(ii) In the event of Contractor disagreement with the initial finding of noncompliance, within 60 days of the date the Contractor is notified by the Contracting Officer of the determination of noncompliance.

(b) After an ACO, or cognizant Federal agency official, determination of materiality, submit a cost impact proposal in the form and manner specified by the Contracting Officer within 60 days (or such other date as may be mutually agreed to) after the date of

determination of the adequacy and compliance of a change submitted pursuant to paragraph (a) of this clause. The cost impact proposal shall be in sufficient detail to permit evaluation, determination, and negotiation of the cost impact upon each separate CAS-covered contract and subcontract.

(1) Cost impact proposals submitted for changes in cost accounting practices required in accordance with subparagraph (a)(3) and subdivision (a)(4)(i) of the clause at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards; or subparagraph (a)(3) and subdivisions (a)(4)(i) or (a)(4)(iv) of the clause at FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution; shall identify the applicable standard or cost principle and all contracts and subcontracts containing the clauses entitled Cost Accounting Standards or Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution, which have an award date before the effective date of that standard or cost principle.

(2) Cost impact proposals submitted for any change in cost accounting practices proposed in accordance with subdivisions (a)(4)(ii) or (iii) of the clauses at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards, and FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution; or with subparagraph (a)(3) of the clause at FAR 52.230-3, Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices; shall identify all contracts and subcontracts containing the clauses at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards, FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution, and FAR 52.230-3, Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices.

(3) Cost impact proposals submitted for failure to comply with an applicable CAS or to follow a disclosed practice as contemplated by subparagraph (a)(5) of the clauses at FAR 52.230-2, Cost Accounting Standards, and FAR 52.230-5, Cost Accounting Standards--Educational Institution; or by subparagraph (a)(4) of the clause at FAR 52.230-3, Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices, shall identify the cost impact on each separate CAS covered contract from the date of failure to comply until the noncompliance is corrected.

(c) If the submissions required by paragraphs (a) and (b) of this clause are not submitted within the specified time, or any extension granted by the Contracting Officer, an amount not to exceed 10 percent of each subsequent amount determined payable related to the Contractor's CAS-covered prime contracts, up to the estimated general dollar magnitude of the cost impact, may be withheld until such time as the required submission has been provided in the form and manner specified by the Contracting Officer.

(d) Agree to appropriate contract and subcontract amendments to reflect adjustments established in accordance with subparagraphs (a)(4) and (a)(5) of the clauses at FAR 52.230-2 and 52.230-5; or with subparagraphs (a)(3) or (a)(4) of the Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices clause at FAR 52.230-3.

(e) For all subcontracts subject to the clauses at FAR 52.230-2, 52.230-3, or 52.230-5--

- (1) So state in the body of the subcontract, in the letter of award, or in both (self-deleting clauses shall not be used);
- (2) Include the substance of this clause in all negotiated subcontracts; and
- (3) Within 30 days after award of the subcontract, submit the following information to the Contractor's cognizant contract administration office for transmittal to the contract administration office cognizant of the subcontractor's facility:
 - (i) Subcontractor's name and subcontract number.
 - (ii) Dollar amount and date of award.
 - (iii) Name of Contractor making the award.
- (f) Notify the Contracting Officer in writing of any adjustments required to subcontracts under this contract and agree to an adjustment, based on them, to this contract price or estimated cost and fee. This notice is due within 30 days after proposed subcontract adjustments are received and shall include a proposal for adjusting the higher tier subcontract or the prime contract appropriately.
- (g) For subcontracts containing the clauses at FAR 52.230-2 or 52.230-5, require the subcontractor to comply with all Standards in effect on the date of award or of final agreement on price, as shown on the subcontractor's signed Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, whichever is earlier.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 67 52.223-5 POLLUTION PREVENTION AND RIGHT-TO-
KNOW INFORMATION (APR 1998)

(a) Executive Order 12856 of August 3, 1993, requires Federal facilities to comply with the provisions of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA) (42 U.S.C. 11001-11050) and the Pollution Prevention Act of 1990 (PPA) (42 U.S.C. 13101-13109).

(b) The Contractor shall provide all information needed by the Federal facility to comply with the emergency planning reporting requirements of Section 302 of EPCRA; the emergency notice requirements of Section 304 of EPCRA; the list of Material Safety Data Sheets required by Section 311 of EPCRA; the emergency and hazardous chemical inventory forms of Section 312 of EPCRA; the toxic chemical release inventory of Section 313 of EPCRA, which includes the reduction and recycling information required by Section 6607 of PPA; and the toxic chemical reduction goals requirements of Section 3-302 of Executive Order 12856.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE - 77A 52.223-10 WASTE REDUCTION PROGRAM (AUG 2000)

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause--

"Recycling" means the series of activities, including collection, separation, and processing, by which products or other materials are recovered from the solid waste stream for use in the form of raw materials in the manufacture of products other than fuel for producing heat or power by combustion.

"Waste prevention" means any change in the design, manufacturing, purchase, or use of materials or products (including packaging) to reduce their amount or toxicity before they are discarded. Waste prevention also refers to the reuse of products or materials.

"Waste reduction" means preventing or decreasing the amount of waste being generated through waste prevention, recycling, or purchasing recycled and environmentally preferable products.

(b) Consistent with the requirements of Section 701 of Executive Order 13101, the Contractor shall establish a program to promote cost-effective waste reduction in all operations and facilities covered by this contract. The Contractor's programs shall comply with applicable Federal, State, and local requirements, specifically including Section 6002 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. 6962, et seq.) and implementing regulations (40 CFR part 247).

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 105 52.215-12 SUBCONTRACTOR COST OR PRICING DATA
(OCT 1997)

(a) Before awarding any subcontract expected to exceed the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4, on the date of agreement on price or the date of award, whichever is later; or before pricing any subcontract modification involving a pricing adjustment expected to exceed the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4, the Contractor shall require the subcontractor to submit cost or pricing data (actually or by specific identification in writing), unless an exception under FAR 15.403-1 applies.

(b) The Contractor shall require the subcontractor to certify in substantially the form prescribed in FAR 15.406-2 that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, the data submitted under paragraph (a) of this clause were accurate, complete, and current as of the date of agreement on the negotiated price of the subcontract or subcontract modification.

(c) In each subcontract that exceeds the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4, when entered into, the Contractor shall insert either--

(1) The substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), if paragraph (a) of this clause requires submission of cost or pricing data for the subcontract; or

(2) The substance of the clause at FAR 52.215-13, Subcontractor Cost or Pricing Data--Modifications.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 105A 52.215-13 SUBCONTRACTOR COST OR PRICING DATA—
MODIFICATIONS (OCT 1997)

(a) The requirements of paragraphs (b) and (c) of this clause shall--

(1) Become operative only for any modification to this contract involving a pricing adjustment expected to exceed the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4; and

(2) Be limited to such modifications.

(b) Before awarding any subcontract expected to exceed the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4, on the date of agreement on price or the date of award, whichever is later; or before pricing any subcontract modification involving a pricing adjustment expected to exceed the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4, the Contractor shall require the subcontractor to submit cost or pricing data (actually or by specific identification in writing), unless an exception under FAR 15.403-1 applies.

(c) The Contractor shall require the subcontractor to certify in substantially the form prescribed in FAR 15.406-2 that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, the data submitted under paragraph (b) of this clause were accurate, complete, and current as of the date of agreement on the negotiated price of the subcontract or subcontract modification.

(d) The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (d), in each subcontract that exceeds the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4 on the date of agreement on price or the date of award, whichever is later.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE 105B 52.215-10 PRICE REDUCTION FOR DEFECTIVE COST OR PRICING DATA (OCT 1997)

(a) If any price, including profit or fee, negotiated in connection with this contract, or any cost reimbursable under this contract, was increased by any significant amount because--

(1) The Contractor or a subcontractor furnished cost or pricing data that were not complete, accurate, and current as certified in its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data;

(2) A subcontractor or prospective subcontractor furnished the Contractor cost or pricing data that were not complete, accurate, and current as certified in the Contractor's Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data; or

(3) Any of these parties furnished data of any description that were not accurate, the price or cost shall be reduced accordingly and the contract shall be modified to reflect the reduction.

(b) Any reduction in the contract price under paragraph (a) of this clause due to defective data from a prospective subcontractor that was not subsequently awarded the subcontract shall be limited to the amount, plus applicable overhead and profit markup, by which--

(1) The actual subcontract; or

(2) The actual cost to the Contractor, if there was no subcontract, was less than the prospective subcontract cost estimate submitted by the Contractor; provided, that the actual subcontract price was not itself affected by defective cost or pricing data.

(c)(1) If the Contracting Officer determines under paragraph (a) of this clause that a price or cost reduction should be made, the Contractor agrees not to raise the following matters as a defense:

(i) The Contractor or subcontractor was a sole source supplier or otherwise was in a superior bargaining position and thus the price of the contract would not have been modified even if accurate, complete, and current cost or pricing data had been submitted.

(ii) The Contracting Officer should have known that the cost or pricing data in issue were defective even though the Contractor or subcontractor took no affirmative action to bring the character of the data to the attention of the Contracting Officer.

(iii) The contract was based on an agreement about the total cost of the contract and there was no agreement about the cost of each item procured under the contract.

(iv) The Contractor or subcontractor did not submit a Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data.

(2)(i) Except as prohibited by subdivision (c)(2)(ii) of this clause, an offset in an amount determined appropriate by the Contracting Officer based upon the facts shall be allowed against the amount of a contract price reduction if--

(A) The Contractor certifies to the Contracting Officer that, to the best of the Contractor's knowledge and belief, the Contractor is entitled to the offset in the amount requested; and

(B) The Contractor proves that the cost or pricing data were available before the "as of" date specified on its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, and that the data were not submitted before such date.

(ii) An offset shall not be allowed if--

(A) The understated data were known by the Contractor to be understated before the "as of" date specified on its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data; or

(B) The Government proves that the facts demonstrate that the contract price would not have increased in the amount to be offset even if the available data had been submitted before the "as of" date specified on its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data.

(d) If any reduction in the contract price under this clause reduces the price of items for which payment was made prior to the date of the modification reflecting the price reduction, the Contractor shall be liable to and shall pay the United States at the time such overpayment is repaid--

(1) Simple interest on the amount of such overpayment to be computed from the date(s) of overpayment to the Contractor to the date the Government is repaid by the Contractor at the applicable underpayment rate effective for each quarter prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6621(a)(2); and

(2) A penalty equal to the amount of the overpayment, if the Contractor or subcontractor knowingly submitted cost or pricing data that were incomplete, inaccurate, or noncurrent.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 105C- 52.215-11 PRICE REDUCTION FOR DEFECTIVE COST OR PRICING DATA--MODIFICATIONS (OCT 1997)

(a) This clause shall become operative only for any modification to this contract involving a pricing adjustment expected to exceed the threshold for submission of cost or pricing data at FAR 15.403-4, except that this clause does not apply to any modification if an exception under FAR 15.403-1 applies.

(b) If any price, including profit or fee, negotiated in connection with any modification under this clause, or any cost reimbursable under this contract, was increased by any significant amount because (1) the Contractor or a subcontractor furnished cost or pricing data that were not complete, accurate, and current as certified in its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, (2) a subcontractor or prospective subcontractor furnished the Contractor cost or pricing data that were not complete, accurate, and current as certified in the Contractor's Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, or (3) any of these parties furnished data of any description that were not accurate, the price or cost shall be reduced accordingly and the contract shall be modified to reflect the reduction. This right to a price reduction is limited to that resulting from defects in data relating to modifications for which this clause becomes operative under paragraph (a) of this clause.

(c) Any reduction in the contract price under paragraph (b) of this clause due to defective data from a prospective subcontractor that was not subsequently awarded the subcontract shall be limited to the amount, plus applicable overhead and profit markup, by which--

(1) The actual subcontract; or

(2) The actual cost to the Contractor, if there was no subcontract, was less than the prospective subcontract cost estimate submitted by the Contractor; provided, that the actual subcontract price was not itself affected by defective cost or pricing data.

(d)(1) If the Contracting Officer determines under paragraph (b) of this clause that a price or cost reduction should be made, the Contractor agrees not to raise the following matters as a defense:

(i) The Contractor or subcontractor was a sole source supplier or otherwise was in a superior bargaining position and thus the price of the contract would not have been modified even if accurate, complete, and current cost or pricing data had been submitted.

(ii) The Contracting Officer should have known that the cost or pricing data in issue were defective even though the Contractor or subcontractor took no affirmative action to bring the character of the data to the attention of the Contracting Officer.

(iii) The contract was based on an agreement about the total cost of the contract and there was no agreement about the cost of each item procured under the contract.

(iv) The Contractor or subcontractor did not submit a Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data.

(2)(i) Except as prohibited by paragraph (d)(2)(ii) of this clause, an offset in an amount determined appropriate by the Contracting Officer based upon the facts shall be allowed against the amount of a contract price reduction if--

(A) The Contractor certifies to the Contracting Officer that, to the best of the Contractor's knowledge and belief, the Contractor is entitled to the offset in the amount requested; and

(B) The Contractor proves that the cost or pricing data were available before the "as of" date specified on its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, and that the data were not submitted before such date.

(ii) An offset shall not be allowed if--

(A) The understated data were known by the Contractor to be understated before the "as of" date specified on its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data; or

(B) The Government proves that the facts demonstrate that the contract price would not have increased in the amount to be offset even if the available data had been submitted before the "as of" date specified on its Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data.

(e) If any reduction in the contract price under this clause reduces the price of items for which payment was made prior to the date of the modification reflecting the price reduction, the Contractor shall be liable to and shall pay the United States at the time such overpayment is repaid--

(1) Simple interest on the amount of such overpayment to be computed from the date(s) of overpayment to the Contractor to the date the Government is repaid by the Contractor at the applicable underpayment rate effective for each quarter prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6621(a)(2); and

(2) A penalty equal to the amount of the overpayment, if the Contractor or subcontractor knowingly submitted cost or pricing data that were incomplete, inaccurate, or noncurrent.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE -112 52.244-6 SUBCONTRACTS FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS AND
COMMERCIAL COMPONENTS. (OCT 1998)

(a) Definitions.

"Commercial item," as used in this clause, has the meaning contained in the clause at 52.202-1, Definitions.

"Subcontract," as used in this clause, includes a transfer of commercial items between divisions, subsidiaries, or affiliates of the Contractor or subcontractor at any tier.

(b) To the maximum extent practicable, the Contractor shall incorporate, and require its subcontractors at all tiers to incorporate, commercial items or nondevelopmental items as components of items to be supplied under this contract.

(c) Notwithstanding any other clause of this contract, the Contractor is not required to include any FAR provision or clause, other than those listed below to the extent they are applicable and as may be required to establish the reasonableness of prices under Part 15, in a subcontract at any tier for commercial items or commercial components:

(1) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (E.O. 11246);

(2) 52.222-35, Affirmative Action for Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era (38 U.S.C. 4212(a));

(3) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (29 U.S.C. 793); and

(4) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flagged Commercial Vessels (46 U.S.C. 1241) (flow down not required for subcontracts awarded beginning May 1, 1996).

(d) The Contractor shall include the terms of this clause, including this paragraph (d), in subcontracts awarded under this contract.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 120 52.219-16 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES—SUBCONTRACTING
PLAN (JAN 1999)

(a) "Failure to make a good faith effort to comply with the subcontracting plan", as used in this clause, means a willful or intentional failure to perform in accordance with the requirements of the subcontracting plan approved under the clause in this contract entitled "Small Business Subcontracting Plan," or willful or intentional action to frustrate the plan.

(b) Performance shall be measured by applying the percentage goals to the total actual subcontracting dollars or, if a commercial plan is involved, to the pro rata share of actual subcontracting dollars attributable to Government contracts covered by the commercial plan. If, at contract completion or, in the case of a commercial plan, at the close of the fiscal year for which the plan is applicable, the Contractor has failed to meet its subcontracting goals and the Contracting Officer decides in accordance with paragraph (c) of this clause that the Contractor failed to make a good faith effort to comply with its subcontracting plan, established in accordance with the clause in this contract entitled "Small Business Subcontracting Plan," the Contractor shall pay the Government liquidated damages in an amount stated. The amount of probable damages attributable to the Contractor's failure to comply shall be an amount equal to the actual dollar amount by which the Contractor failed to achieve each subcontract goal.

(c) Before the Contracting Officer makes a final decision that the Contractor has failed to make such good faith effort, the Contracting Officer shall give the Contractor written notice specifying the failure and permitting the Contractor to demonstrate what good faith efforts have been made and to discuss the matter. Failure to respond to the notice may be taken as an admission that no valid explanation exists. If, after consideration of all the pertinent data, the Contracting Officer finds that the Contractor failed to make a good faith effort to comply with the subcontracting plan, the Contracting Officer shall issue a final decision to that effect and require that the Contractor pay the Government liquidated damages as provided in paragraph (b) of this clause.

(d) With respect to commercial plans, the Contracting Officer who approved the plan will perform the functions of the Contracting Officer under this clause on behalf of all agencies with contracts covered by the commercial plan.

(e) The Contractor shall have the right of appeal, under the clause in this contract entitled, Disputes, from any final decision of the Contracting Officer.

(f) Liquidated damages shall be in addition to any other remedies that the Government may have.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 122 52.225-13 RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN FOREIGN
PURCHASES (JUL 2000)

(a) The Contractor shall not acquire, for use in the performance of this contract, any supplies or services originating from sources within, or that were located in or transported from or through, countries whose products are banned from importation into the United States under regulations of the Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury. Those countries are Cuba, Iran, Iraq, Libya, North Korea, Sudan, the territory of Afghanistan controlled by the Taliban, and Serbia (excluding the territory of Kosovo).

(b) The Contractor shall not acquire for use in the performance of this contract any supplies or services from entities controlled by the government of Iraq.

(c) The Contractor shall insert this clause, including this paragraph (c), in all subcontracts.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 128 52.222-26 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY (FEB 1999)

(a) If, during any 12-month period (including the 12 months preceding the award of this contract), the Contractor has been or is awarded nonexempt Federal contracts and/or subcontracts that have an aggregate value in excess of \$10,000, the Contractor shall comply with subparagraphs (b)(1) through (11) of this clause. Upon request, the Contractor shall provide information necessary to determine the applicability of this clause.

(b) During performance of this contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

(1) The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. However, it shall not be a violation of this clause for the Contractor to extend a publicly announced preference in employment to Indians living on or near an Indian reservation, in connection with employment opportunities on or near an Indian reservation, as permitted by 41 CFR 60-1.5.

(2) The Contractor shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. This shall include, but not be limited to--

(i) Employment;

(ii) Upgrading;

(iii) Demotion;

(iv) Transfer;

(v) Recruitment or recruitment advertising;

(vi) Layoff or termination;

(vii) Rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and

(viii) Selection for training, including apprenticeship.

(3) The Contractor shall post in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment the notices to be provided by the Contracting Officer that explain this clause.

(4) The Contractor shall, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

(5) The Contractor shall send, to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, the notice to be provided by the Contracting Officer advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this clause, and post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

(6) The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, as amended, and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor.

(7) The Contractor shall furnish to the contracting agency all information required by Executive Order 11246, as amended, and by the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor. The Contractor shall also file Standard Form 100 (EEO-1), or any successor form, as prescribed in 41 CFR part 60-1. Unless the Contractor has filed within the 12 months preceding the date of contract award, the Contractor shall, within 30 days after contract award, apply to either the regional Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) or the local office of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for the necessary forms.

(8) The Contractor shall permit access to its premises, during normal business hours, by the contracting agency or the OFCCP for the purpose of conducting on-site compliance evaluations and complaint investigations. The Contractor shall permit the Government to inspect and copy any books, accounts, records (including computerized records), and other material that may be relevant to the matter under investigation and pertinent to compliance with Executive Order 11246, as amended, and rules and regulations that implement the Executive Order.

(9) If the OFCCP determines that the Contractor is not in compliance with this clause or any rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts, under the procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246, as amended. In addition, sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked against the Contractor as provided in Executive Order 11246, as amended; in the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor; or as otherwise provided by law.

(10) The Contractor shall include the terms and conditions of subparagraphs (b)(1) through (11) of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order that is not exempted by the rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued under Executive Order 11246, as amended, so that these terms and conditions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor.

(11) The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the Contracting Officer may direct as a means of enforcing these terms and conditions, including sanctions for noncompliance, provided, that if the Contractor

becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of any direction, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

(c) Notwithstanding any other clause in this contract, disputes relative to this clause will be governed by the procedures in 41 CFR 60-1.1.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 129 52.222-36 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR WORKERS WITH
DISABILITIES (JUN 1998)

(a) General. (1) Regarding any position for which the employee or applicant for employment is qualified, the Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant because of physical or mental disability. The Contractor agrees to take affirmative action to employ, advance in employment, and otherwise treat qualified individuals with disabilities without discrimination based upon their physical or mental disability in all employment practices such as--

- (i) Recruitment, advertising, and job application procedures;
- (ii) Hiring, upgrading, promotion, award of tenure, demotion, transfer, layoff, termination, right of return from layoff, and rehiring;
- (iii) Rates of pay or any other form of compensation and changes in compensation;
- (iv) Job assignments, job classifications, organizational structures, position descriptions, lines of progression, and seniority lists;
- (v) Leaves of absence, sick leave, or any other leave;
- (vi) Fringe benefits available by virtue of employment, whether or not administered by the Contractor;
- (vii) Selection and financial support for training, including apprenticeships, professional meetings, conferences, and other related activities, and selection for leaves of absence to pursue training;
- (viii) Activities sponsored by the Contractor, including social or recreational programs; and
- (ix) Any other term, condition, or privilege of employment.

(2) The Contractor agrees to comply with the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor (Secretary) issued under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 793) (the Act), as amended.

(b) Postings. (1) The Contractor agrees to post employment notices stating--

- (i) The Contractor's obligation under the law to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment qualified individuals with disabilities; and
- (ii) The rights of applicants and employees.

(2) These notices shall be posted in conspicuous places that are available to employees and applicants for employment. The Contractor shall ensure that applicants and employees with disabilities are informed of the contents of the notice (e.g., the Contractor may have the notice read to a visually disabled individual, or may lower the posted notice so that it might be read by a person in a wheelchair). The notices shall be in a form prescribed by the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Federal Contract Compliance of the U.S. Department of Labor (Deputy Assistant Secretary) and shall be provided by or through the Contracting Officer.

(3) The Contractor shall notify each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract understanding, that the Contractor is bound by the terms of Section 503 of the Act and is committed to take affirmative action to employ, and advance in employment, qualified individuals with physical or mental disabilities.

(c) Noncompliance. If the Contractor does not comply with the requirements of this clause, appropriate actions may be taken under the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary issued pursuant to the Act.

(d) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall include the terms of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order in excess of \$10,000 unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary. The Contractor shall act as specified by the Deputy Assistant Secretary to enforce the terms, including action for noncompliance.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 130 52.222-35 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR DISABLED
VETERANS AND VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA
(APR 1998)

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause--

"All employment openings" includes all positions except executive and top management, those positions that will be filled from within the contractor's organization, and positions lasting 3 days or less. This term includes full-time employment, temporary employment of more than 3 days' duration, and part-time employment.

"Appropriate office of the State employment service system" means the local office of the Federal-State national system of public employment offices with assigned responsibility to serve the area where the employment opening is to be filled, including the District of Columbia, Guam, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

"Positions that will be filled from within the Contractor's organization" means employment openings for which no consideration will be given to persons outside the Contractor's organization (including any affiliates, subsidiaries, and parent companies) and includes any openings that the Contractor proposes to fill from regularly established "recall" lists. The exception does not apply to a particular opening once an employer decides to consider applicants outside of its organization.

"Veteran of the Vietnam era" means a person who--

(1) Served on active duty for a period of more than 180 days, any part of which occurred between August 5, 1964, and May 7, 1975, and was discharged or released there from with other than a dishonorable discharge; or

(2) Was discharged or released from active duty for a service-connected disability if any part of such active duty was performed between August 5, 1964, and May 7, 1975.

(b) General. (1) Regarding any position for which the employee or applicant for employment is qualified, the Contractor shall not discriminate against the individual because the individual is a disabled veteran or a veteran of the Vietnam era. The Contractor agrees to take affirmative action to employ, advance in employment, and otherwise treat qualified disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam era without discrimination based upon their disability or veterans' status in all employment practices such as--

(i) Employment;

(ii) Upgrading;

(iii) Demotion or transfer;

(iv) Recruitment;

- (v) Advertising;
- (vi) Layoff or termination;
- (vii) Rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and
- (viii) Selection for training, including apprenticeship.

(2) The Contractor agrees to comply with the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor (Secretary) issued under the Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act of 1972 (the Act), as amended.

(c) Listing openings.

(1) The Contractor agrees to list all employment openings existing at contract award or occurring during contract performance, at an appropriate office of the State employment service system in the locality where the opening occurs. These openings include those occurring at any Contractor facility, including one not connected with performing this contract. An independent corporate affiliate is exempt from this requirement.

(2) State and local government agencies holding Federal contracts of \$10,000 or more shall also list all employment openings with the appropriate office of the State employment service.

(3) The listing of employment openings with the State employment service system is required at least concurrently with using any other recruitment source or effort and involves the obligations of placing a bona fide job order, including accepting referrals of veterans and nonveterans. This listing does not require hiring any particular job applicant or hiring from any particular group of job applicants and is not intended to relieve the Contractor from any requirements of Executive orders or regulations concerning nondiscrimination in employment.

(4) Whenever the Contractor becomes contractually bound to the listing terms of this clause, it shall advise the State employment service system, in each State where it has establishments, of the name and location of each hiring location in the State. As long as the Contractor is contractually bound to these terms and has so advised the State system, it need not advise the State system of subsequent contracts. The Contractor may advise the State system when it is no longer bound by this contract clause.

(d) Applicability. This clause does not apply to the listing of employment openings that occur and are filled outside the 50 States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands.

(e) Postings.

(1) The Contractor agrees to post employment notices stating--

(i) The Contractor's obligation under the law to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment qualified disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam era; and

(ii) The rights of applicants and employees.

(2) These notices shall be posted in conspicuous places that are available to employees and applicants for employment. They shall be in a form prescribed by the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Department of Labor (Deputy Assistant Secretary), and provided by or through the Contracting Officer.

(3) The Contractor shall notify each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract understanding, that the Contractor is bound by the terms of the Act, and is committed to take affirmative action to employ, and advance in employment, qualified disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam era.

(f) Noncompliance. If the Contractor does not comply with the requirements of this clause, appropriate actions may be taken under the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary issued pursuant to the Act.

(g) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall include the terms of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order of \$10,000 or more unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary. The Contractor shall act as specified by the Deputy Assistant Secretary to enforce the terms, including action for noncompliance.

(End of clause)

ARTICLE – 131 52.222-37 EMPLOYMENT REPORTS ON DISABLED
VETERANS AND VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA
(JAN 1999)

(a) Unless the Contractor is a State or local government agency, the Contractor shall report at least annually, as required by the Secretary of Labor, on--

(1) The number of disabled veterans and the number of veterans of the Vietnam era in the workforce of the contractor by job category and hiring location; and

(2) The total number of new employees hired during the period covered by the report, and of that total, the number of disabled veterans, and the number of veterans of the Vietnam era.

(b) The above items shall be reported by completing the form entitled "Federal Contractor Veterans' Employment Report VETS-100."

(c) Reports shall be submitted no later than September 30 of each year beginning September 30, 1988.

(d) The employment activity report required by paragraph (a)(2) of this clause shall reflect total hires during the most recent 12-month period as of the ending date selected for the employment profile report required by paragraph (a)(1) of this clause. Contractors may select an ending date:

(1) As of the end of any pay period during the period January through March 1st of the year the report is due, or

(2) As of December 31, if the contractor has previous written approval from the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission to do so for purposes of submitting the Employer Information Report EEO-1 (Standard Form 100).

(e) The count of veterans reported according to paragraph (a) of this clause shall be based on voluntary disclosure. Each Contractor subject to the reporting requirements at 38 U.S.C. 4212 shall invite all disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam era who wish to benefit under the affirmative action program at 38 U.S.C. 4212 to identify themselves to the Contractor. The invitation shall state that the information is voluntarily provided; that the information will be kept confidential; that disclosure or refusal to provide the information will not subject the applicant or employee to any adverse treatment; and that the information will be used only in accordance with the regulations promulgated under 38 U.S.C. 4212.

(f) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall include the terms of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order of \$10,000 or more unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary.

(End of clause)

Metric:
Outstanding: $\geq 95\%$
Excellent: 90% to $< 95\%$
Good: 85% to $< 90\%$
Marginal: 80% to $< 85\%$
Unsatisfactory: $< 80\%$

3.2.2 Continue development of, and implement Environmental Management System, and fully implement Groundwater Protection Program.

The weight of this Performance Measure is 20%.

Discussion: Finalizing development and completing implementation of BNL's Environmental Management System will ensure that environmental considerations are fully integrated into the way BNL operates. It will also ensure that commitments in the EPA Memorandum of Agreement are met (Phase III). The path forward to implementing EMS is laid out in the EMS Project Plan. BNL expects to achieve registration for the Lab as a whole by the end of FY01.

The Groundwater Protection Implementation and Integration Plan (GPIIP) describes tasks needed to further integrate the existing Environmental Restoration Groundwater Monitoring program with the environmental surveillance/active Facility Monitoring program. Proceeding with other high priority tasks in the GPIIP is essential to furthering integration of the groundwater programs on-site in an effort to increase their effectiveness and efficiency, and to ensuring a smooth transition of the groundwater program from EM to a landlord function in the future. The GPIIP will be rebaselined as necessary in September of 99. Full implementation will be defined by completion of DQOs and EIMS database integration, with a project review/self-assessment on progress.

Measure: *(Revised by Mod M050)*

Meet key milestones of the EMS Project Plan and the GPIIP.

- Laboratory-wide EMS deployment complete, 7/01/00.
- Laboratory self declares conformance to ISO 14001, 9/30/00 (after independent assessment).
- Select facilities (Reactor Operations Division, Environmental Management Directorate, Collider Accelerator Complex, and BLIP) achieve ISO 14001 registration, 9/30/00.
- Establish Environmental Information Management System as the repository for all BNL groundwater data by June 30, 2000.
- *Revised - Develop DQO decision framework; DQO statement for three pilot groundwater monitoring programs; communicate DQO decision logic and pilot statements to regulatory agencies; and develop a detailed schedule for the completion of the remaining groundwater DQO statements by September 30, 2000.*
- Conduct a project review/self-assessment of implementation of components of the GPIIP by 9/30/00.

Scoring:

Each milestone will be awarded points as follows based on the accomplishments of that milestone:

Outstanding = 4 points
Excellent = 3 points
Good = 2 points
Marginal = 1 point
Unsatisfactory = 0 points

The evaluation of the performance measure will be the numerical average of the scores of the supporting milestones.

EEO Group	% of Points
Officials and Managers – Women	25
Officials and Managers – Minorities	25
Professionals – Women	25
Professionals – Minorities	25

4.1.2 Personnel - Revised by MOD 50

Create a pool of talented, empowered, motivated, and goal-oriented leaders/managers to enhance the Lab's competitive position in the market for required talent and motivate employees to achieve the Lab's goals.

The weight of this Measure is 25%. (Revised)

4.1.2.1 Strengthen Performance Appraisal and Goal Planning Process.

Measure: Degree to which non-bargaining unit staff have established goals for FY 2000 and quality of goals established

The weight of this element is 70%.

Metric:

Outstanding: 95% of level 1, 2, and 3 non-bargaining unit staff and 80% of all other such staff have established goals

Excellent: 95% of level 1, 2, and 3 non-bargaining unit staff and 60% of all other such staff have established goals

Good: 90% of level 1, 2, and 3 non-bargaining unit staff have established goals and 50% of all other such staff have goals

Marginal: 75% of level 1, 2, and 3 non-bargaining unit staff have established goals

Unsatisfactory: <75% of level 1, 2, and 3 non-bargaining unit staff have established goals

Note: New hire and terminating managers will be excluded from the base for these percentages.

4.1.2.2 Incorporate succession planning, job-training-analysis training and 360° Leadership feedback elements into the management goals of managers and supervisors.

The weight of this element is 15%.

4.1.2.2.1 Implement and Monitor Succession Planning Progress.

The weight of this sub-element is 30%.

Measure: Percent of Level 1 and 2 managers who have completed succession plans.

Metric:

All Succession Plans complete by 12/31/99 - Outstanding

4.1.3 Quality of Work-life - Revised by MOD M050

Provide a high quality work environment that enhances BNL's ability to retain and attract an excellent workforce.

The weight of this Measure is 5%. (Revised)

Measure (Revised): Development of pilot Career Development Program and progress in developing Career Development Plans (CDP's) in 3 pilot Directorates.

Metric:

1. *Percentage of CDPs developed in 3 pilot Directorates by 6/30/00.*

<i>Outstanding</i>	<i>95%</i>
<i>Excellent</i>	<i>85%</i>
<i>Good</i>	<i>75%</i>
<i>Marginal</i>	<i>65% co</i>
<i>Unsatisfactory</i>	<i><65%</i>

2. *Self-assessment of the planning and implementation of the program development process. The self-assessment will determine an adjectival performance rating. Application of the performance rating will be based on BHG concurrence.*

3. *Percent (%) of participating employees and managers who believe that the program support opportunity for career development planning*

<i>Outstanding</i>	<i>>=90%</i>
<i>Excellent</i>	<i>80 - 89%</i>
<i>Good</i>	<i>70 - 79%</i>
<i>Marginal</i>	<i>60 - 69%</i>
<i>Unsatisfactory</i>	<i><60%</i>

4.1.4 Integrated Assessment

The Lab Integrated Assessment Program (IAP) shall be implemented to provide operational, technical, and business performance feedback.

The weight of this Measure is 45%.

- 4.1.4.1 *Achieve the FY00 IAP key milestones and maintain or accelerate the critical path to program completion. These Integrated Assessment Program Milestones are:*

- a. *Revised FY00 Self-Assessment (SA) Plans for Departments and Divisions approved by the Deputy Laboratory Directors by November 30, 1999.*
- b. *Independent Oversight SA Review Program evaluation of at least 8 directorates and/or other organizations reporting directly to the BNL Director by September 30, 2000.*

The weight of this element is 20%.

Metric:

The FY00 IAP deliverables focus on deployment and results from year two of the implementation of self-assessment. Meeting the project milestones above will be considered Excellent performance, and bettering a milestone by 30 days or more will comprise Outstanding performance for that milestone. Missing a milestone by up to 45 days will be considered Good performance for that milestone, but only if the critical path is not adversely affected. Missing a milestone by more than 45 days will be considered Marginal, and by more than 90 days will be considered Unsatisfactory performance for that milestone.

Each milestone will be awarded points as follows based on the accomplishment of that milestone:

Outstanding - 4 points
Excellent - 3 points

4.3.3 Effective and Efficient Waste Management. (Revised by Mod M050)

The weight of this Measure is 25%.

Wastes, derived from current Laboratory activities are managed properly to ensure regulatory compliance and cost efficiency. Laboratory institutionalizes processes which estimate planned waste generation, consider waste reduction options, formulate cost effective treatment/disposition approaches, and confirm available funding prior to the initiation of the activity of the waste producing activity. The contractor does not generate any waste that cannot be properly disposed of within 12 months *or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan.*

Performance Measure:

BSA dispositions all waste within 12 months of acceptance by the Laboratory's Waste Management Division (or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan) and as recorded in the BSA waste tracking database. Tracking and trending of this metric will be based upon a 12-month rolling calendar of waste receipt, *as reported in this database, starting October 1, 1999.* FY 2000 performance levels and metrics for "Current Waste Management" activities are as follows:

Performance Level	Performance Metric
Outstanding (Revised)	Lab disposes of 100% of each <i>newly generated, routine</i> waste stream within 12 months <i>or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan</i> and submit no exemption requests. <i>In addition</i> , volumes reduces more than 85% LLW compactable solids
Excellent (Revised)	Lab disposes of 100% of each <i>newly generated, routine</i> waste stream within 12 months <i>or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan.</i> <i>Submits no more than five exemption requests.</i> <i>In addition</i> , reduces more than 80% LLW compactable solids
Good (Revised)	Lab disposes of 100% of each <i>newly generated, routine</i> waste stream within 12 months <i>or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan</i> , <i>submit no more than ten, but greater than five exemption requests.</i> <i>In addition</i> , volumes reduces more than 70% LLW compactable solids
Marginal (Revised)	Lab disposes of 100% of each <i>newly generated, routine</i> waste stream disposed of within 12 months <i>or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan</i> , <i>submit no more than fifteen, but greater than ten exemption requests.</i> <i>In addition</i> , volumes reduces less than 70% LLW compactable solids
Unsatisfactory (Revised)	Lab disposes of less than 100% of each <i>newly generated, routine</i> waste stream within 12 months <i>or in accordance with the 435.1 Implementation Plan</i> , <i>submit greater than fifteen exemption requests.</i> <i>In addition</i> , volumes reduces less than 70% LLW compactable solids

Assumptions: (Revised)

- DOE EM is cognizant management for the Waste Management Program.
- New waste streams generated after 9/30/99 without a disposition pathway will be tracked and reported for FY 2000. Waste streams generated after 7/09/00 without a planned disposition pathway or a DOE approved exemption through an implementation of a DOE O 435.1 corrective action plan will automatically result in a "Marginal" or "Unsatisfactory" rating for this measure.
- WM Performance evaluation not impacted by "Force Majeure" events (which includes disposal facility shut-down).
- Exemptions pertain to waste streams.
- Excludes non-routine, non-newly generated wastes including, but not limited to, clean-up wastes, spill residues, radioactive mixed waste being managed under the Site Treatment Plan, Tru wastes, and legacy wastes.
- All waste generated prior to 9/30/00 that remains on the WMD inventory will be addressed in the Radioactive Waste Management Basis Document, as part of the DOE O 435.1 Implementation Plan.
- Waste at the HWMF or transferred from the HWMF is considered "legacy" and will not be considered within this measure.