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Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act (U)

Annex Item No. vii

(vii) Sensitivity of Technology:

1. The Royal Saudi Air Force AWACS mission suite is Unclassified except as mentioned below. Sensitive elements include the radar, identification, data analysis group, navigation equipment, and communications equipment. Classified elements include U.S. Government provided secure communications equipment, mission system software, operations and maintenance publications, and training. These elements are classified up to and including Secret to protect vulnerabilities, design parameters, system related data, and similar critical information. The source code is sensitive, but will not be released to Saudi Arabia.

2. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures which might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Notice of Intent To Grant Partially Exclusive Patent License; Elemental Wireless, LLC

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DoD. **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy herby gives notice of its intent to grant to Elemental Wireless, LLC., a revocable, nonassignable, partially exclusive license in the United States to practice the Government-Owned inventions described in U.S. Patent Numbers 5,528,612 entitled "Laser with Multiple Gain Elements", issue date June 18, 1996// U.S. Patent Number 5,530,711 entitled "Low threshold diode-pumped tunable dye laser'', issue date June 25, 1996// U.S. Patent Number 5,541,946 entitled "Laser with multiple gain elements pumped by a single excitation source", issue date July 30, 1996// U.S. Patent Number 6,759,303

entitled "Complementary vertical bipolar junction transistors fabricated of silicon-on-sapphire utilizing wide base PNP transistors", issue date July 6, 2004.

DATES: Anyone wishing to object to the grant of this license must file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any, not later than January 10, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Written objections are to be filed with the Office of Research and Technology Applications, Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center, Code 73120, 53560 Hull St., San Diego, CA 92152–5048.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Stephen H. Lieberman, Ph.D., Head, Office of Research and Technology Applications, Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center, Code 73120, 53560 Hull St., San Diego, CA 92152–5048, telephone 619–553–2778, e-mail: *stephen.lieberman@navy.mil*.

(Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR part 404.)

Dated: December 18, 2007. T.M. Cruz,

Lieutenant, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer. [FR Doc. E7–24921 Filed 12–21–07; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3810-FF-P

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[CFDA No. 84.031S]

Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions Program

AGENCY: Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education. **ACTION:** Notice of intent to fund down the fiscal year (FY) 2007 slate for the Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSI) Program.

SUMMARY: The Secretary intends to use the grant slate developed for the HSI Program authorized by Title V of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, in FY 2007 to make new Individual Development grant awards in FY 2008. The Secretary takes this action because a significant number of highquality applications remain on last year's grant slate. The Administration has requested \$94,914,000 for the HSI program for FY 2008, of which we intend to use an estimated \$13,408,000 for new awards. The actual level of funding for the FY 2008 program, if any, depends on final Congressional action. No Cooperative Development grant awards will be made from the FY 2008 appropriation for this program.

The College Cost Reduction and Access Act of 2007 (CCRAA) has provided \$100 million for grants to Hispanic-serving institutions for Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics (STEM) and articulation programs in each of the FYs 2008 and 2009. Further information about the criteria and priorities applicable to these awards and the Secretary's plans for conducting the FY 2008 competition under the CCRAA, including workshops, will be forthcoming.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Carnisia M. Proctor, U.S. Department of Education, 1990 K Street, NW., 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20006–8513. Telephone: (202) 502–7606 or via Internet: *carnisia.proctor@ed.gov*.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 11, 2007, we published a notice in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 37735–37740) inviting applications for new awards under the HSI Program.

We received a large number of highquality applications and awarded 30 new grants from the slate. However, many applications that were given high scores by peer reviewers did not receive funding in FY 2007.

Based on the anticipated FY 2008 appropriation level, funding is expected for new awards under the HSI program. To conserve funding that would have been required for a peer review of new grant applications and to use those funds instead to support grant activities, we will select grantees in FY 2008 from the FY 2007 slate of applicants. This slate was developed during the FY 2007 competition using the selection criteria, application requirements, priorities, and definitions referenced in the notice inviting applications that was published in the Federal Register on July 11, 2007 (72 FR 37735). No changes to the selection criteria, application

requirements, and definitions are required by this action.

The CCRAA (Pub. L. 110–84) provided \$100 million for additional awards to Hispanic-serving institutions for FYs 2008 and 2009. Further information about the criteria and priorities applicable to these additional awards and the Secretary's plans for conducting the FY 2008 competition under the CCRAA, including workshops, will be forthcoming.

Note: All Individual Development grant applicants that received a peer review score of 96 or above in the FY 2007 HSI Program competition and did not receive funding in the FY 2007 competition for the HSI Program MUST apply for FY 2008 Title III/V eligibility to be eligible to receive a grant for FY 2008. We intend to publish the notice inviting applications for designation as an Eligible Institution under Title III and Title V of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, for FY 2008 in January 2008.

Program Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1101–1101d, 1103–1103g.

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Dated: December 19, 2007.

Diane Auer Jones,

Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Models of Exemplary, Effective, and Promising Alcohol or Other Drug Abuse Prevention Programs on College Campuses

AGENCY: Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools, Department of Education. **ACTION:** Notice of proposed priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria.

SUMMARY: The Assistant Deputy Secretary for Safe and Drug-Free Schools proposes a priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria under the Models of Exemplary, Effective, and Promising Alcohol or Other Drug Abuse Prevention Programs on College Campuses grant competition. The Assistant Deputy Secretary may use the priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria for competitions in fiscal year (FY) 2008 and later years. The Assistant Deputy Secretary intends to use the priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria to identify exemplary, effective, and promising campus-based alcohol or other drug abuse prevention programs and to disseminate information about exemplary and effective programs to other colleges and universities where similar efforts may be adopted.

DATES: We must receive your comments on or before January 25, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Address all comments about the proposed priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria to Richard Lucey, Jr., U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 3E335, Washington, DC 20202– 6450. If you prefer to send your comments through the Internet, use the following address:

richard.lucey@ed.gov.

You must include the phrase "Models of Exemplary, Effective, and Promising Alcohol or Other Drug Abuse Prevention Programs on College Campuses—Comments on FY 2008 Proposed Priority" in the subject line of your electronic message.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Richard Lucey, Jr. (202) 205–5471 or via Internet: *richard.lucey@ed.gov*.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Invitation To Comment

We invite you to submit comments regarding the proposed priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria. To ensure that your comments have maximum effect in developing the notice of final priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria, we urge you to identify clearly the specific proposed priority, definitions,