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Amendment for Pre-College Environmental Science Research and Training Opportunities Program

The current due date for applications has been revised from **6/19/04** to **08/07/04**. To be considered timely, initial proposals must be received by 4:00 pm local time on **08/07/04** from the U.S. Postal Service or other commercial delivery service.

Clarification is provided as follows:

Under **OVERVIEW INFORMATION** Section:

Anticipated Funding: Not to exceed approximately \$110,000 per year renewable for three years.

Under section **II. Award Information, Amount and Range of Individual Award:**

One award for three years, renewable on an annual basis, are not to exceed \$110,000 per year.

Under section **II. Award Information, Funding:**

The EPA is expected to fund this award over a period of three years. Funding of the first year of the award is estimated to be approximately \$110,000. Additional funding of approximately \$58,000 during the second year and approximately \$64,000 during the third year will be contingent upon availability of funds and satisfactory progress by the selected recipient.

Under section **IV. Application and Submission Information, Funding Restrictions:**

Funding of the first year of the award is expected to be at \$110,000. Additional funding will be contingent upon availability of funds.

Answers to relevant questions posed during question period:

- The solicitation is to facilitate interaction between EPA's Atlantic Ecology Division in Narragansett, RI and Rhode Island High School Students only.
- There is no need to match the funding; however, it does show institution support if there is a match.
- The maximum funding level for FY04 is \$110,000 (see above).