SUBCHAPTER F—SPECIAL CATEGORIES OF CONTRACTING

PART 4435—RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CONTRACTING

AUTHORITY: 40 U.S.C. 486(c); Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978.

4435.003 Policy.

Cost-sharing policy for research and development contracts is stated in 4415.502-70.

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PART 4436—CONSTRUCTION AND ARCHITECT-ENGINEER CONTRACTS

Subpart 4436.6—Architect-Engineer Services

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4436.602-2 Evaluation boards. 4436.602-4 Selection authority.

Authority: 40 U.S.C. 486(c); Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978.

Subpart 4436.6—Architect-Engineer Services

4436.602-2 Evaluation boards.

- (a) Each architect-engineer evaluation board, permanent or ad hoc, shall have at least five voting members and one alternate. These will be Federal employees. A majority of the voting members will be from the program office
- (b) During the selection process, a board member or advisor may have, or appear to have, a conflict of interest regarding a firm in the competition. Immediately upon becoming aware of a potential conflict or an appearance of a conflict, the member or advisor shall notify the board chairperson who shall, in turn, inform the Office of General Counsel. The Office of General Counsel shall make a final determination on the conflict issue.
- (c) The evaluation board is to be insulated from outside pressures. Information concerning board deliberations shall be divulged only to persons having a need-to-know.

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4436.602-4 Selection authority.

- (a) Heads of program offices which may require architect-engineer services are designated as selection authorities for acquisition of architectengineer services.
- (b) A determination shall be sent to the contracting officer listing the selected firms in order of preference.

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PART 4450—EXTRAORDINARY CONTRACTUAL ACTIONS

Subpart 4450.2—Delegation of and Limitations on Exercise of Authority

Sec.

4440.201 Delegation of authority. 4450.202 Contract adjustment boards.

AUTHORITY: 50 U.S.C. 1431-1435; E.O. 10789; E.O. 12148.

Subpart 4450.2—Delegation of and Limitations on Exercise of Authority

4450.201 Delegation of authority.

All authority granted by 48 CFR 50.101 may be exercised by the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Such authority to approve, authorize, and direct appropriate action under this Part and to make all appropriate determinations and findings which do not obligate the United States in excess of \$50,000 are delegated to the Director, Office of Acquisition Management. Such authority to approve, and direct appropriate action under this Part and to make all appropriate determinations and findings which may obligate the United States in excess of \$50,000 are delegated to the FEMA Contract Adjustment Board. The limitations contained in 48 CFR 50.201 and 50.202 apply.

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4450.202 Contract adjustment boards.

As cases arise under the Act, the Director of FEMA may appoint, as needed, a FEMA Contract Adjustment Board consisting of one senior staff