

**CONTRACTS OPERATIONS BRANCH
NATIONAL HEART, LUNG, AND BLOOD INSTITUTE**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NUMBER NHLBI -HB-04-28 entitled
“Maintenance of NHLBI Cord Blood Units”**

Amendment No. 1

Date of Issuance: April 13, 2004

The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth below:

1) Under Task 3, **For solicitation purposes**, the last sentence is deleted and replaced with the following: The confidential donor information will remain with the original COBLT Cord Blood Banks and will be made available only on an as needed basis according to local IRB requirements.

2) Under paragraph f. Special Requirements, the following paragraph will be an advance understanding of the contract:

“In the event of contract termination by default, the contractor shall pay all costs associated with the relocation of Government Property included with this contract. The specified location will be determined by the Contracting Officer.”

3) Recent COBLT study presentations, to provide additional background information on the COBLT study cord blood bank program, are added to the Cord Blood Transplantation Project home page located at www.emmes.com.