



The Deputy Secretary of Energy  
Washington, DC 20585

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MEMORANDUM FOR HEADS OF DEPARTMENTAL ELEMENTS

FROM:

CLAY SELL

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SUBJECT:

Federal Project Director Certification Progress

The last several years have seen a concerted effort by the Department to certify Federal Project Directors who have the responsibility to manage projects in accordance with DOE Order 413.3, *Project Management for the Acquisition of Capital Assets*.

In conjunction with this effort, we set May 31, 2006, as the deadline for incumbent Federal Project Directors certification.

I am pleased to inform you that one hundred percent of the Federal Project Directors, identified by the program offices as requiring certification, have attained that goal. I would like to extend my congratulations to the newly certified individuals, as well as to the Office of Engineering and Construction Management who, in cooperation with the National Nuclear Security Administration and DOE's program offices, led the effort to make this possible.

I expect the program offices to continue their high standard in management and execution of projects subject to DOE O 413.3 requirements by ensuring they are directed by certified Federal Project Directors.



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