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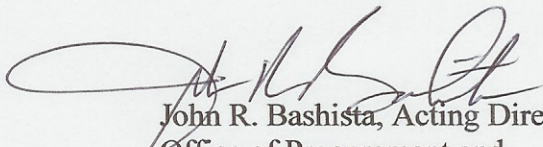
FROM: Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy, MA-61
Office of Procurement and Assistance Management

SUBJECT: Amendment of the Department of Energy Acquisition Regulation (DEAR)

SUMMARY: The DEAR has been amended to require drug testing of contractor employees who require access to restricted data or special nuclear material. The amendment was published at page 23120 of the May 18, 2009 *Federal Register*. It is effective June 17, 2009. The amendment has been posted to the Electronic DEAR on the Home Page.

This Flash and its attachment will be available online within a day, at the following website: http://www.management.energy.gov/policy_guidance/policy_flashes.htm.

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