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Mr. Shay D. Assad Director, Defense Procurement, Acquisition Policy and Strategic Sourcing Office of the Under Secretary of Defense 3000 Defense Pentagon Washington, DC 20301-3000

Dear Mr. Aşsad:

Enclosed is the certification required by Section 801 of the National Defense Authorization Act of 2008, as requested in your letter of August 29, 2008.

Please contact me at (202)501-1043 or <a href="mailto:david.drabkin@gsa.gov">david.drabkin@gsa.gov</a> if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

David A. Drabkin

Deputy Chief Acquisition Officer & Senior Procurement Executive

## CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 801 OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2008

I, David Drabkin as head of General Services Administration, or his or her designee, certify in accordance with the requirements of section 801 of the Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008 that acquisitions conducted on the behalf of the Department of Defense by this Agency in Fiscal Year 2009 will comply with defense procurement requirements for Fiscal Year 2009.

David A Drabkin

Deputy Chief Acquisition Officer & Senior Procurement Executive

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