Report on Audit of Indirect and Other Direct Cost System

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SUBJECT: Report on Audit of Indirect and Other Direct Cost System

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The Defense Contract Audit Agency (DCAA) examined the contractor's Federal Sector January 3, 2005, indirect and other direct cost system to assure the contractor's indirect and other direct cost system and related internal controls comply with applicable laws and regulations.

The DCAA qualified its report because of the contractor's policy not to provide internal audit reports and workpapers to the DCAA. Also, the DCAA stated the contractor's policy limits its ability to assess the effectiveness of the contractor's internal audit function in monitoring their organizational, accounting, and operational controls.

The DCAA opined that except for the qualification described above, the indirect cost and other direct cost system and related internal control policies and procedures of the Federal Sector are adequate. The DCAA examined only the indirect cost and other direct cost system. Accordingly, the DCAA expresses no opinion on the contractor's internal control taken as a whole.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 622-8500 or John R. Wright, Director, at (202) 927-7077.

Attachment

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