

Amendment 0003
BAA 09-036 titled "Navy Counter Directed Energy Weapon Research"

The purpose of Amendment 0003 to BAA 09-036 is to update the BAA in accordance with the new ONR website and revisions to ONR policy.

The following items have been revised:

1. Page 7, under section I, paragraph 6, "Research Opportunity Description":

Delete: For the past two years Congress has placed limits on the percentage of indirect costs that can be paid by the government using basic research (6.1) funds. Currently indirect costs paid under contracts and grants for the performance of basic research may not exceed 35 percent. It is unknown at present whether a similar indirect cost restriction will apply to 6.1 funds in FY 2010 or thereafter.

Replace with: For the past two years Congress has placed limits on the percentage of indirect costs that can be paid by the government using basic research (6.1) funds. Currently indirect costs paid under contracts and grants for the performance of basic research may not exceed 35 percent. The FY 2010 DOD Appropriations Act includes the same limitation on Indirect Cost reimbursement on basic research funding for FY 2010.

2. Page 22, under Section IV, paragraph 5, "Submission of Grant Proposals through Grants.gov":

By completing **Block 17** of the SF 424 R&R the Grant Applicant is providing the certification on lobbying required by 32 CFR Part 28. Refer to Section VI, 'Award Administration Information' entitled "Certifications" for further information.

3. Page 26, under section VI, paragraph 1, "Administrative Requirements":

Grants:

Grant awards greater than \$100,000 require a certification of compliance with a national policy mandate concerning lobbying. Grant applicants shall provide this certification by electronic submission of SF424 (R&R) as a part of the electronic proposal submitted via Grants.gov (complete **Block 17**); The following certification applies to each applicant seeking federal assistance funds exceeding \$100,000.