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IN REPLY REFER TO

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October 6, 2008

Ms. Mary Catherine Gaisbauer
Associate Vice President
& University Controller
University of Colorado
800 Grant St, 6th Floor
436 UCA
Denver, CO 80203

Dear Ms. Gaisbauer,

Reference is made to (a) my letter dated August 8, 2008 which forwarded the preliminary recommendations stemming from the Contractor Purchasing System Review (CPSR) conducted July 28-August 1, 2008, and (b) University of Colorado Chief Procurement Officer response letter dated September 29, 2008.

Enclosed is the resulting CPSR report which contains a total of thirteen recommendations. It is requested that I be informed when all of the agreed-to recommendations have been implemented, the target date for which the University established as 1/1/09.

As a result of the review the approval of the University of Colorado's purchasing system is extended through March 31, 2010. With this approval the University may enter into certain subcontracts and purchase orders without providing advance notice and/or consent, unless specific contractual language stipulates otherwise. FAR 44.2 and the associated Subcontracts clauses specify those actions requiring and not requiring such notice and/or consent. Approval applies to all DoD contracts with the university, and to other Federal contracts to the extent that cross-servicing arrangements exist.

This approval shall not be construed to be a determination of the acceptability of any subcontract price or of the allowability of cost under any subcontract, or to relieve the University of any contractual requirement except as noted herein.

This approval shall automatically terminate at the end of the period cited above, unless further extended, or when any significant changes occur in your system, unless approved by the undersigned. The approval may be withdrawn at any time at my discretion.

Please contact me at 206 548-7237 or moodyrp@onr.navy.mil if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

////signed////
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Administrative Contracting Officer

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