**NEWPORT NEWS SHIPBUILDING**

LOBBYING CERTIFICATION FOR FEDERAL CONTRACTS

(Required for NNS Purchase Orders exceeding $150,000 under Federal Contracts)

The definitions and prohibitions in the clause, at FAR 52.203-12, Limitation on Payments to Influence Certain Federal Transactions, included in this solicitation, are hereby incorporated by reference into this certification.

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that

(1)  No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of this Purchase Order or the Federal contract under which this Purchase Order was awarded.

(2)  If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress for any of the activities identified in paragraph (1) of this certification, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, “Disclosure of Lobbying Activities,” in accordance with its instructions.

(3) The undersigned shall obtain a similar certification in conjunction with subcontract/purchase order awards at any tier and require that all recipients of subcontract/purchase order awards in excess of $150,000 certify and disclose accordingly.

(4)  Submission of this certification and disclosure is a prerequisite for making or entering into this Purchase Order imposed by section 1352, title 31, United States Code.  Any person who makes an expenditure prohibited under this provision or who fails to file or amend the disclosure form to be filed or amended by this provision, shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000, and not more than $100,000, for each such failure.

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