MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

Subj: CHANGE 03-2 TO NAVY MARINE CORPS ACQUISITION REGULATION SUPPLEMENT (NMCARS) AND CHANGE 03-2 TO NAVY MARINE CORPS ACQUISITION GUIDE (NMCAG)

Ref: (a) DASN(ACQ) memo dtd March 4, 2004, subj: Delegation of Authority
(b) DASN(ACQ) memo dtd April 29, 2004, subj: Department of the Navy Desk Guide for Service Contract Price Adjustments

Encl: (1) NMCARS Change 03-2
(2) NMCAG Change 03-2

Reference (a) delegated to the Heads of the Contracting Activities the Special Emergency Procurement Authority for procurement of property or services that are to be used in support of a contingency operation or to facilitate the defense against or recovery from nuclear, biological, chemical or radiological attack against the United States. Enclosure (1) incorporates this delegation of authority into the November 2003 NMCARS.

Enclosure (2) incorporates reference (b) into the November 2003 NMCAG.

The changes in enclosures (1) and (2) are effective immediately and will be reflected in the NMCARS and NMCAG online.

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for DASN(ACQ)

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The following changes are hereby incorporated into the November 2003 NMCARS:

1. Subpart 5212.1 and Section 5212.102 are added as follows:

**SUBPART 5212.1 ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS - GENERAL**

5212.102 Applicability.
   (f)(1) HCAs are delegated the authority to make the determinations described in FAR 12.102 (f)(1).

2. Subpart 5213.2 and Section 5213.201 are added as follows:

**SUBPART 5213.2—ACTIONS AT OR BELOW THE MICRO-PURCHASE THRESHOLD**

5213.201 General
   (g)(1) HCAs are delegated the authority to make the determinations described in FAR 13.201 (g)(1).

3. Subpart 5219.9 and Section 5219.903 are added as follows:

**SUBPART 5219.9 – VERY SMALL BUSINESS PILOT PROGRAM**

5219.903 Applicability
   (b)(3) HCAs are delegated the authority to make the determinations described in FAR 19.903 (b)(3).
1. Subpart G5222.10 and Section G5222.1006 are hereby added as follows:

SUBPART G5222.10 – SERVICE CONTRACT ACT OF 1965, AS AMENDED

G5222.1006 Contract clauses.

(c)(1) The Desk Guide for Service Contract Price Adjustments contains DoN guidance on processing price adjustments that result from—

(i) Changes in wage determinations issued under the Service Contract Act, or;
(ii) Amendments changing the minimum wage required by the Fair Labor Standards Act.