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COMMANDING GENERAL, U.S. ARMY MATERIEL COMMAND
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE SECURITY COOPERATION AGENCY
AUDITOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

SUBJECT: Audit of Adequacy of Controls Over Small Arms Contracts for the Afghan National Security Forces (Project No. D2011-D000AT-0246.000)

We plan to begin the subject audit in July 2011. Our overall objective is to evaluate contract award, pricing, and quality assurance provisions for small arms, to include accessories and spare parts, acquired using Afghanistan Security Forces Funds. Specifically, we will determine whether the contract processes were in accordance with applicable acquisition regulations. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the audit at the U.S. Army Security Assistance Command; Defense Logistics Agency; Defense Security Cooperation Agency; U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command; U.S. Army TACOM Life Cycle Management Command; and U.S. Army Contracting Command. We may identify additional locations during the audit; however, we do not anticipate travel to Southwest Asia or contacting officials from the NATO Training Mission-Afghanistan/Combined Security Transition Command-Afghanistan.

Please provide us with a point of contact for the audit. The point of contact should be a Government employee, a GS-15 or pay band equivalent or the military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address by mail, by fax to [REDACTED], or by e-mail to [REDACTED].

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