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MEMORANDUM FOR UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR ACQUISITION,  
TECHNOLOGY, AND LOGISTICS  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (FINANCIAL  
MANAGEMENT AND COMPTROLLER)  
AUDITOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
NAVAL INSPECTOR GENERAL  
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY

SUBJECT: Audit of DoD Compliance with the Berry Amendment and the Buy American Act  
for Selected Items (Project No. D2014-D000CG-0038.000)

We plan to begin the subject audit immediately. This audit is being announced in response to the termination of Project No. D2013-D000CG-0208.000 (see attachment). Our objective is to determine whether DoD personnel complied with the Berry Amendment and the Buy American Act when they purchased covered items such as food, clothing, tents, textiles, and hand or measuring tools. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the audit at the Services and the Defense Logistics Agency. We will identify specific locations during the audit. We will continue to work with the points of contact identified by the Services and the Defense Logistics Agency from the terminated audit.

You can obtain information about the Department of Defense Office of Inspector General from DoD Directive 5106.01, "Inspector General of the Department of Defense (IG DoD)," April 20, 2012; DoD Instruction 7600.02, "Audit Policies," April 27, 2007; and DoD Instruction 7050.03, "Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense Access to Records and Information," March 22, 2013. Our website is [www.dodig.mil](http://www.dodig.mil).

If you have any questions, please contact [REDACTED]

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Alice Carey  
Assistant Inspector General  
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Attachment:  
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SUBJECT: Termination of the Audit of DoD Compliance with the Berry Amendment  
(Project No. D2013-D000CG-0208.000)

We announced the subject audit on August 13, 2013. The objective was to determine whether DoD personnel complied with the Berry Amendment when they purchased covered items (see attachment). We are expanding the scope of the previously announced audit in response to Congressional interest in DoD compliance with the Buy American Act. Both the Berry Amendment and the Buy American Act require DoD to procure supplies from domestic sources with some exceptions. We are terminating the Berry Amendment audit because continuing the audit would not be an efficient use of Agency resources.

We plan to announce a new audit to determine whether DoD personnel complied with the Berry Amendment and the Buy American Act when they purchased items such as food, clothing, tents, textiles, and hand or measuring tools.

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August 13, 2013

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AUDITOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
NAVAL INSPECTOR GENERAL  
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY

SUBJECT: Audit of DoD Compliance with the Berry Amendment (Project No. D2013-  
D000CG-0208.000)

We plan to begin the subject audit in August 2013. We are announcing this audit because we anticipate that the pending National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014 will require the Department of Defense Office of Inspector General to conduct periodic audits of contracting practices and policies related to the procurement of items identified in the Berry Amendment. Our objective is to determine whether DoD personnel complied with the Berry Amendment when they purchased covered items. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the audit at the Services and the Defense Logistics Agency. We will identify specific locations during the audit.

Please provide us with a point of contact for the audit within **10 days** of the date of this memorandum. The point of contact should be a Government employee—a GS-15, pay band equivalent, or the military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address to [audcmp@dodig.mil](mailto:audcmp@dodig.mil).

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